

2011 Miss Birmingham's Rising Star Hold Harmless/ Pageant Agreement

As a Contestant in Miss Birmingham Rising Star I agree to the following terms:

1. I attest that I am a citizen of the United States State of Alabama and reside at the following address:

3. I agree to send a \$50 Non-Refundable Entrance Fee to Miss Birmingham as part of the eligibility requirements to be a contestant in Miss Birmingham Rising Star.

The following items of this contract have been read and understood by (name of contestant)
_____ and her parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s)
_____.

If named Miss Birmingham Rising Star 2011, I agree to the following terms:

I, (your name) _____

- Understand that the Rising Star competition is not an official preliminary of the Miss Alabama or Miss America Organizations
- Will conduct myself in a well mannered way, will not drink alcohol or smoke, will dress appropriately and modestly, will not wear visible tattoos, will not wear face piercing other than earrings, and will not wear t-shirts that are suggestive
- I also hereby release the use of all photos, videos, and press releases to the Miss Birmingham Pageant for Promotional use. I agree that anything from and of the Miss Birmingham Pageant is property of the Miss Birmingham Pageant for their use without my being notified
- Will maintain the crown awarded to me and keep it in excellent condition. If the crown is lost or damaged, it will be replaced at my own cost
- Will provide Miss Birmingham with one color and one black and white head shot with crown within 30 days of accepting the title of Miss Birmingham Rising Star
- I agree to the following appearances:
 - Annual Miss Birmingham Fundraiser
 - Annual Miss Birmingham CMN Fundraiser
 - Annual Christmas Card Drive for Children's Hospital of Birmingham
 - Birmingham Christmas Parade
 - Helena Christmas Parade
 - Best Wishes Reception prior to Miss Alabama's Outstanding Teen 2011
 - Best Wishes Reception for Miss Birmingham prior to Miss Alabama 2011
 - 2011 Miss Alabama Pageant
 - 2012 Miss Birmingham Pageant
- Will bring any appearance conflicts that may arise from the contestant's involvement in other organizations to the immediate attention of the director. I will check immediately with school sponsors of extra-curricular activities to ensure there will be no conflict with the Christmas parade dates
- I will be gracious to my public and my sponsors at all times
- Will write thank-you notes within 24 hours of an appearance and within 24 hours of receiving any donations from sponsors or gifts from supporters; I will also write thank you notes for any gifts received during my reign
- Will provide the necessary wardrobe for the 2011 Miss Alabama Pageant
- Understand that the \$350 entrance fee to the 2011 Miss Alabama Pageant will be provided by the Miss Birmingham Pageant

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The contestant and her parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s) understand the terms and conditions of this contract and hold harmless agreement and are signing this document without duress and are entering this contract and agreement freely and without reservation.

Contestant Signature: _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date _____

I agree not to hold the Miss Birmingham Pageant Staff/Committee, Mountain Brook High School, The City of Mountain Brook Board of Education, The Miss Alabama Pageant, or Miss America Pageant, pageant director/staff, or anyone affiliated with the pageant responsible for any personal injury, loss of items, or damage while attending the pageant.

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian Date _____

Notarize document here. The notary must include the raised seal.

My commission expires:

Sworn to me this _____ day of _____, 2010

Signature of Notary

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CONTESTANT INFORMATION SHEET

All Fields Required – Please Type or Write Clearly

NAME: _____

BIRTHDATE: _____ AGE: _____

PARENTS' NAME: _____

PARENTS' E-MAIL ADDRESS*: _____

*Please list an e-mail address that is checked frequently

PARENTS' HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

*Please list a cell phone number where you may be reached pageant day

PARENTS' HOME ADDRESS: _____

NAME OF SCHOOL: _____

GRADE: _____

INTRODUCTION TO BE READ DURING RISING STAR PRESENTATION:
