

MISS SALINAS VALLEY FAIR COMPETITION
Salinas Valley Fairgrounds
625 Division Street
King City, CA 93930
Saturday, March 18, 2017

On behalf of the Salinas Valley Fair, we wish to extend an invitation to you to vie for the title of Miss Salinas Valley Fair. The competition will be held Saturday, March 18, 2017, at the Salinas Valley Fairgrounds in King City. The 2017 Salinas Valley Fair will run from May 18 – 21, 2017.

Entrants will be judged on personality 40%, a written test 25%, poise and appearance 20%, and horsemanship 15%. Our 2017 Miss Salinas Valley Fair will receive a \$2,000 scholarship, a sterling silver buckle and other prizes. Awards shall be given to the winner of each category of competition.

In addition to her many duties as Miss Salinas Valley Fair, the winner of this competition will have the opportunity to represent the Salinas Valley Fair at local and regional events including the California Rodeo and other rodeos.

ELIGIBILITY

Competition is open to Junior and Senior High School girls who reside and are students of School Districts in the counties of Monterey, San Benito, Santa Cruz, Southern Santa Clara, Northern San Luis Obispo, Parkfield and Coalinga. Contestants may not be less than 16 years of age as of January 1, prior to the competition, and no more than 19 years of age as of December 31, of the year in which she competes.

She may enter the contest more than once, but may only win one time. There is no entry fee for the privilege of competing. Entrants will be required to sign a liability waiver and acceptance of responsibility.

All photographs taken in conjunction with this event become the property of the Salinas Valley Fair and can be used for fair publicity.

DEADLINE

All entries must be received at the Salinas Valley Fair office located at 625 Division Street, King City CA 93930 no later than March 3, 2017 at 5PM. Upon receipt of the application, a detailed information packet will be mailed to you.

We are looking forward to a great competition this year. If you have any questions, please contact Darla Mantel at (831)595-1250.

The Salinas Valley Fair reserves the right to cancel the contest at any time.

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MISS SALINAS VALLEY FAIR APPLICATION

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Applications must be RECEIVED NO LATER THAN 5PM MARCH 3, 2017
at the Salinas Valley Fair Office at 625 Division Street King City, CA 93930

Name: _____ Age:(as of 01/01/2016) _____ Birthdate: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
Applicants Cell #: _____ Email: _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION

High School currently attending _____ High School Address _____
Year in School: Junior / Senior _____ City _____
Phone# _____ Zip _____

Names, Addresses and phone numbers of newspapers located in your home town.

1. _____ _____ _____ Phone # _____	2. _____ _____ _____ Phone # _____
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On a separate sheet of paper, please attach a page listing all of your achievements, awards, honors, special interests and activities you are involved in such as 4-H, FFA, sports, church or high school activities any and all clubs/organizations you are a member of, in addition to any Rodeo, Horseshow or other livestock activities. Keep in mind that the information you write will be used in all publicity for this event as well as at the competition. Please make every effort to be as precise and detailed as possible.

Fathers Name: _____ Parent Cell/Home/Work # _____	Mothers Name: _____ Parent Cell/Home/Work # _____
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Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____
Parent/ Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Miss Salinas Valley Fair Contestant 2017
Release and Waiver of Liability

I, _____ (Miss SVF 2017 Contestant), acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to participate in the following activities at the Salinas Valley Fair ("the Fair"):

2017 MISS SALINAS VALLEY FAIR COMPETITION TO BE HELD ON,
MARCH 18, 2017 AND ANY ACTIVITIES & DUTIES INVOLVED WITH THE
WINNER OF THE 2017 MISS SALINAS VALLEY FAIR COMPETITION.

I AM AWARE THAT THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED ACTIVITIES ARE HAZARDOUS ACTIVITIES AND I AM VOLUNTARILY PARTICIPATING IN THESE ACTIVITIES WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THE DANGER INVOLVED, AND AGREE TO ASSUME ANY AND ALL RISKS OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.

I VERIFY THIS STATEMENT BY PLACING MY INITIALS HERE: X_____

PARENT OR GUARDIAN'S INITIALS (IF UNDER 18) X_____

As consideration for being permitted by the Fair, the County of Monterey ("the County"), and the State of California to participate in these activities and use their facilities, I hereby agree that I, my assignees, heirs, distributees, guardians, next of kin, spouse & legal representatives will not make a claim against, sue, or attach the property of the Fair, the County, the State of California or their affiliated organizations for injury or damage resulting from the negligence or other acts, however caused, by any director, employee, agent, or contractor of the Fair, the County, the State of California or any of their affiliated organizations as a result of my participation in the activities described above. I forever release the Fair, the county, the State of California and any of their affiliated organizations from any and all actions, claims, or demands that I, my assignees, heirs, distributees, guardians, next of kin, spouse and legal representatives now have or may hereafter have for injury or damage resulting from my participation in the activities described above.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT BETWEEN MYSELF AND THE FAIR, THE COUNTY, THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA AND/OR THEIR AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS AND SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.

EXECUTED AT _____, CALIFORNIA, ON _____, 2017

(CONTESTANT/RELEASOR)

(PARENT OR GUARDIAN)

ADDRESS:

ADDRESS:

***IF YOU ARE UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE, YOU AND YOUR PARENT OR GUARDIAN
MUST SIGN AND INITIAL THIS FORM WHERE INDICATED.***

Miss Salinas Valley Fair 2017 Applicant Agreement

I understand that by winning the title of Miss Salinas Valley Fair, I will be the Salinas Valley Fair's representative to the public. I will strive to represent good sportsmanship, high ethical character, and humane treatment to animals. I will wear my sash, crown, and proper western attire, as outlined by the Miss Salinas Valley Fair Committee, whenever I make an appearance as Miss Salinas Valley Fair.

I will uphold the title of Miss Salinas Valley Fair, encourage others to participate in future contests, and assist in promotion and conduct of the contest in every way. I will appear when asked by the Salinas Valley Fair to events that promote the Salinas Valley Fair and community. Miss SVF is required to participate in the following events:

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| ☞ Salinas Valley Fair Kick-Off Dinner | April 22, 2017 |
| ☞ Salinas Valley Fair | May 18 – 21, 2017 |
| ☞ Salinas Valley Fair Volunteer Appreciation Dinner | June 2017 |

Miss Salinas Valley Fair is encouraged to participate in the following community events as an ambassador of the Salinas Valley Fair

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| ☞ King City Chamber of Commerce Meeting | May 2017 |
| ☞ King City Fourth of July Parade | July 4, 2017 |
| ☞ 2016 King City Light Parade | December 2017 |
| ☞ Visiting the Pediatric Units of Community Hospital of Monterey Peninsula, Mee Memorial Hospital, Natividad Hospital and G.L. Mee Memorial Hospital.
This is to include the visitation of local Skilled Nursing Facilities. | TBD |

I understand that all of my appearances as Miss Salinas Valley Fair are to be approved by the Fair. I agree to maintain close contact with the contest Director and will be available to attend appearances as requested.

I agree that during my reign, I shall observe a high standard of ethical behavior befitting my title and will strive to set a good example to the public, future competitors and to the Salinas Valley Fair.

I understand that the Salinas Valley Fair has a zero tolerance policy concerning drug and alcohol use. Any conduct unbecoming of Miss Salinas Valley Fair may jeopardize my title, scholarship, and/or any other awards received.

Signature

Date

Miss Salinas Valley Fair Applicant