

**Section 3-6**  
**Fair Queen Contest**  
**Entry Deadline June 20, 2010**  
Chair: Virginia Letterman

The Fair Queen contest will take place on the opening day of the Fair. The coronation will be at the Southside Stage. Each contestant will have to write an essay entitled, "What the Centre County Grange Fair Means to My Community," and give a speech, "Why Come To My Fair?" They will be interviewed by a panel of county judges and introduce themselves while competing in an evening gown competition. We will crown a queen and an alternate. Many monetary prizes, gift boxes and certificates will be awarded. The winner will enter the State Fair Queen Contest in January.

**Rules to Enter:**

1. Must be a female at least age 16, but no older than 20 years of age as of June 1 of the year entering.
2. Must be single and never married.
3. Must be a Centre County resident.
4. Must complete an essay of 300 words or less entitled, "What the Centre County Grange Fair Means to My Community." This must be sent to one of the contact persons by June 20, 2010.
5. Must complete and send Personal Information to one of the contact persons by June 20, 2010.
6. Must be available August 26, 2010 for:
  - a. Luncheon at Mt. Nittany Inn Restaurant at Noon, one guest included.
  - b. Interviews at 1:30 p.m.
  - c. 3 to 4 minute speech, "Why Come To My Fair?"
  - d. Coronation at the Southside Stage.
7. Must participate in fair activities as outlined and be able to meet dress code.
8. Must send wallet size, color photograph with essay for publicity purposes.
9. Must have parent or guardian signature sent in with the essay.
10. Judges will review essays. Applicants will be notified of acceptance by August 1, 2010.

Contact Persons:

Virginia Letterman, Box 211, Milesburg, PA 16853	Phone 355-7697
Mona Bowmaster, 880 Blanchard St., Bellefonte, PA 16828	Phone 355-9475
Brenda Feters, 420 Forest Ave., Bellefonte, PA 16823	Phone 383-2796
Gladys Hartle, 750 Buffalo Run Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823	Phone 355-2943
Maryann Haagen, 485 Snydertown Rd., Howard, PA 16841	Phone 383-4428

**Required Personal Information:** Send with essay on standard size 8/5" x 11" paper

Contestant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's or Guardian's Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

High School or College attending or attended \_\_\_\_\_

**Please answer the following with a brief explanation:**

1. Career Goals
2. Employment Experiences
3. Scholastic Achievements
4. School and Community Activities
5. Hobbies and Interests