

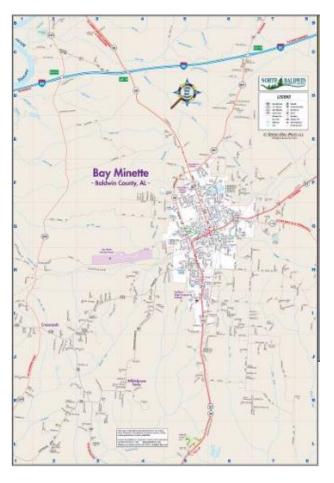
Saturday, February 20, 2016 6:00pm

L.D. Owen Performing Hrts Center

Thank you for your interest in competing in the 2016 North Baldwin Beauty Review. The purpose of this pageant is to highlight and reward the beauty, grace, and intelligence of the young ladies of North Baldwin County. Our goal for this pageant is for the contestants to have a rewarding, fun experience that helps them to build confidence and poise.

In this packet you will find all information about participating in this year's program.

<u>Contestants</u>: Eligible contestants for the North Baldwin Beauty Review must be female students in grades 3 – 12 currently enrolled in a school or homeschool program in the North Baldwin area and/or residing in the North Baldwin area.



The North Baldwin area includes all towns within Baldwin County from as far South as Stapleton to as far North as Little River.

Divisions: There will be three divisions in the North Baldwin Beauty Review:

Elementary Division – Grades 3-5 Junior High Division – Grades 6-8 High School Division – Grades 9-12

<u>Judging Criteria</u>: Contestants will be scored on the following attributes:

Self-Expression/Personality	25%
Presence and Poise	25%
Beauty/Appearance	30%
Community Support/Involvement	10%
Overall Appeal	10%

<u> Attire</u>:

Contestants will wear evening gowns for the full duration of the pageant.

Contestants are free to wear an evening gown of their choice. For the Junior High

and High School Divisions gowns may be floor length or tea length. For these two divisions, all dress lengths must come <u>below</u> the knee. For the Elementary Division, gowns may be floor length, tea length, or knee length pageant dresses. For this division, knee length dresses must not fall on the contestant any higher than to the top of the knee cap. Contestants should select a dress style that is age appropriate and a dress color that accentuates their beauty in order to catch the judges' attention. This is a glitz pageant, which consists of full makeup and allows sequins, rhinestones and costume jewelry. However, hair pieces, wigs or wiglets, and flippers (fake teeth) are strictly prohibited.

Sponsorships:

Each contestant will enter under a sponsorship of a minimum of \$50.00. This sponsorship can be from a business/company, community group/organization, or a personal sponsorship. The full \$50 can come from a single sponsor or a dual sponsorship of \$25 each. Contestants are not limited to a single \$50 sponsorship, and can collect more sponsorships if they choose. All sponsorships should be made payable to Baldwin County High School (BCHS) and are due Monday, February 15, at registration. More information on sponsorships will be addressed later in this packet. Make copies of the sponsorship form included in this packet as needed.

On Stage Interview: Contestants will be asked an on stage interview question during the pageant. This question will be a personal question for the judges to learn more about the contestant, as well as to see how the contestant articulates self-expression. Contestants will have an opportunity to generate an answer to the question before the pageant begins. Contestants are not to get help with answers. Answers must be original.

Awards: The following major distinctions will be awarded for each division

Elementary Division (3rd-5th grade):

4th Runner Up

3rd Runner Up

Fourth highest scoring beauty

2nd Runner Up

Third highest scoring beauty

1st Runner Up

Second highest scoring beauty

Little Miss North Baldwin Highest scoring beauty in the Elementary Division

Junior High Division (6th-8th grade):

4th Runner Up Fifth highest scoring beauty
3rd Runner Up Fourth highest scoring beauty
2nd Runner Up Third highest scoring beauty
1st Runner Up Second highest scoring beauty

Junior Miss North Baldwin Highest scoring beauty in the Junior High Division

High School Division (9th-12th grade):

4th Runner Up

3rd Runner Up

Fourth highest scoring beauty

2nd Runner Up

Third highest scoring beauty

1st Runner Up

Second highest scoring beauty

Miss North Baldwin Highest scoring beauty in the High School Division

Awards vary from monetary prizes to merchandise, gift certificates, apparel, jewelry, and more!

Additional Awards:

Top Ad Sales: This will be awarded to the contestants with the most sponsorship ads in each division. Though you are required to have a minimum of \$50 in sponsorship, you are not limited to this. Having multiple sponsors displays community support and involvement to the judges.

Most Photogenic: Contestants must submit a photograph by the second rehearsal on Tuesday, February 16, to be voted on by the audience the night of the program. The photograph may be color or black and white and should be a minimum portrait size of 4x6 but no larger than 8x10. A Most Photogenic will be awarded in each division.

Judges' Choice Awards: These include Best Hair, Best Smile, Best Dress, and Most Poise. These will be awarded to one (1) contestant in each division as decided by the judges.

Surprise Awards: There will be a few new "surprise" awards this year that will not be announced until the night of the Beauty Review.

Timeline

Monday, February 15*: Registration (1 Parent/Guardian must attend with each contestant.)

L.D. Owen Performing Arts Center, 5:30-6:00pm

*Bring all registration forms, sponsorship(s)

Followed by Rehearsal

L.D. Owen Performing Arts Center, 6:00pm-7:30pm

Tuesday, February 16: Rehearsal

L.D. Owen Performing Arts Center, 5:30-7:30pm

*Last day to turn in photo for Most Photogenic

Friday, February 19: Dress Rehearsal (Each contestant should bring her gown and shoes)

L.D. Owen Performing Arts Center, 4:30-6:45pm

Contestants are to report to L.D. Owen Performing Arts Center at Faulkner State Community College on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>February 20 at 1:00pm</u>. Contestants should eat lunch <u>before</u> they arrive to the auditorium. Only <u>ONE</u> backstage helper is allowed to be with each contestant at a time. Contestants will not be allowed to leave the auditorium until the pageant has ended.

1:30pm - 3:30pm Final Rehearsal

3:30pm – 3:45pm Snack Break

3:45pm - 4:45pm Prep Time

4:50pm *All contestants must report to the stage for distribution of numbers and on-stage questions

Back Stage Help

Each contestant may have only <u>ONE</u> backstage helper in order to prep for the pageant. All backstage helpers must leave the backstage area at 4:45pm on Saturday, February 20, and may not return backstage until after the pageant is over. At this time - 4:45pm - parents and helpers must leave the auditorium completely. They may return at 5:30pm when the doors open to spectators.

Pageant volunteers/Staff helpers will be backstage during the pageant to assist contestants as needed.

Tickets

Admission to the Beauty Review is \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for students. Children age 5 and under will be admitted free. The doors will not open for spectators until 5:30pm. Each contestant will be given two Free Admission tickets.

Rules & Regulations:

- 1. Eligible contestants for the North Baldwin Beauty Review must be female students in grades 3 12 currently enrolled in a school or homeschool program in the North Baldwin area and/or residing in the North Baldwin area.
- 2. Eligible contestants must not have given birth to a child nor have a criminal record of any kind.
- 3. Contestants must turn in all required paperwork and fees on the required date.
- 4. Contestants must attend all meetings and rehearsals at the designated times. Tardiness will not be tolerated.
- 5. Contestants are responsible for their own transportation to and from any meetings, rehearsals, and the pageant.
- 6. Parents/guardians are welcome to attend rehearsals but are to remain in the audience seating and refrain from coaching or distracting the contestants. If a parent/guardian or rehearsal spectator causes any disturbances to the rehearsal that detract from the contestants having a positive experience, he/she will be asked to leave.
- 7. Should a contestant provide any false data on the contestant information form, they will be disqualified.
- 8. Absolutely no unsportsmanlike behavior, misconduct, obscene/foul language, or theft will be tolerated. Behavior such as this will warrant grounds for disqualification. Contestants are to exhibit positive attitudes at all times.
- 9. Should a contestant be disqualified or withdraw from the pageant for any reason, no refunds will be issued.
- 10. Contestants will be allowed to have <u>one</u> person back stage with them to help them get ready the night of the pageant from 3:45pm 4:45pm. After 4:45pm only contestants and pageant volunteers will be allowed backstage until the pageant is over.

- 11. All spectators, including backstage helpers and parents must leave the auditorium at 4:45pm. Doors will open for spectator entry at 5:30pm.
- 12. <u>Absolutely NO</u> cell phone usage will be allowed backstage or during rehearsals. If seen, they will be taken away and the contestant risks being disqualified.
- 13. Contestants are not allowed to get any help with the answer to their onstage interview question. All answers must be original thoughts of the contestant.
- 14. The North Baldwin Beauty Review affiliates and volunteers are in no way to be held responsible for any damages, thefts, or accidents.
- 15. Winners may be called upon to ride in parades and represent the pageant/community for various events. If this should happen, winners are expected to wear the supplied sash and crown.

Additional Information

There will be a brief meeting during registration on Monday, February 15, before rehearsal begins to go over specific details and address questions. However, questions about the North Baldwin Beauty Review prior to registration may be sent to the pageant director, Elizabeth Byrd, at Elizabeth.B.Byrd@gmail.com

Contestant Agreement

<i>I</i> ,	, understand the rules, regulations, and	
expectations for participating	in the 2016 North Baldwin Beauty Review. I	
understand that failure to corresult in the disqualification	rply with the rules, regulations, and expectations may rom the program.	
Contestant Signature:	Date:	
Parent Signature:	Date:	
Please sign this statement ar	return along with your Contestant Information	
Sheet at Registration on Mo	day, February 15.	

2016 North Baldwin Beauty Review <u>Contestant Information Sheet</u>

*Information will be used to compose Contestant Bios for the script and program.

Grade*:
_ Email:

This form, along with Sponsorship(s) and the Contestant Agreement are due at Registration on **Monday, February 15**.

2016 North Baldwin Beauty Review Sponsor Information Sheet

Sponsorships may be made in increments of \$25.00. All contestants are required to submit a minimum of \$50.00 in sponsorships. In appreciation for sponsoring a candidate of the 2016 North Baldwin Beauty Review, all sponsors will be

- Recognized by the contestant during pageant introductions
- Recognized in the event program

Sponsor Name:	
Sponsor Address:	
Phone Number: _	Contact Person:
Contestant Name	·
	Sponsorships should be made payable to BCHS
Sponsorship level:	
	Bronze Sponsor \$25
	Sponsor Name listed in the event program
	Silver Sponsor \$50
	Quarter page Sponsor Ad*
	Gold Sponsor \$75
	Half page Sponsor Ad*
	Platinum Sponsor \$100
	Full page sponsor Ad*

All Sponsor Ad graphics must be turned in with the sponsorship form and payment at Registration or emailed to the pageant director, Elizabeth.B.Byrd@gmail.com, by Monday, February 15.