



## 2019 Valliant Chamber of Commerce “Candy Cane Christmas” Pageant

Pageant Chairperson: Laramie Houston 580-969-9595

*Please notify Chairperson upon your decision to compete, slots may be limited!!  
At that time you will be able to pick up the pageant admission tickets to sell.*

### Divisions:

- 0-11 months
- 1 & 2 years
- 3 & 4 years
- 5 & 6 years
- 7 to 13 years
- 14 to 19 years
- 20+ years

### Rules:

1. **Contestants must raise \$100 in to compete. This can include the following:** Sponsorships, donations, or pre-event ticket sales for admission (which can be sales of 100 tickets for the pageant at \$1 each. **All money must be turned in by 4:30pm on Friday, November 29th at the Valliant Area Chamber of Commerce or**
2. **the Mattie Terry Library.** *Contestant information sheet and signed agreement form are to be turned in prior to receiving pageant tickets. \*Please note, you will not be in the newspaper or secured a spot in the pageant until registration entry fees are received. **Previous winners are unable to compete in the division they previously won.***
3. All contestants must provide an 8 x 10 headshot photo, suitable for judging for the overall Photogenic award. **Photos must NOT be digitally enhanced, NO glamour shots.** Each photo will need contestant name, age and division on the back. All photos and judging sheets will be available for pickup at The Valliant Chamber office on Thursday, December 12<sup>th</sup>. **Please submit photos to the Valliant Chamber office by 4:30pm or the Mattie Terry Library on Friday November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019.** Any photos received after this date will not be submitted for the newspaper article.
4. **All contestants are required to attend the dress rehearsal on Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm at the Valliant High School Auditorium.**



5. Contestants will provide a written detail of their outfit and a description of their talent suitable for reading as an introduction or while contestant is modeling. Please submit this description to the Valliant Chamber of Commerce or Mattie Terry Library by **4:30pm on Friday November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019**. (See 2019 Valliant “Candy Cane Christmas” Pageant Contestant information Sheet.) This will give committee time to prepare the program and narrative for the evening.
6. Each contestant will have a maximum of 2 minutes to perform a tasteful talent of their choice, with the exception of the 0-11months, 1 & 2 years, and 3 & 4 years divisions. Talent does not have to be Christmas related, but it is preferred.
7. Each person attending (except contestant) must have a ticket, or pay at the door. Children under 3 years of age will be permitted free with an adult.
8. The judges will select a winner in each of the 7 age divisions. Divisions may be combined or separated according to the number of contestants in each division.
9. You will be judged on talent, crowd engagement, modeling, costume and personality.

**Costume**— originality, Christmas theme, and audience engagement (must be in good taste—if in doubt, ask the pageant chairperson)

**Talent** – originality, audience engagement, quality of performance

**Decision of the judges is final.** Any relationship to or knowledge of contestants is accidental.

**Prizes:**

**7 Divisional Winners will be selected by the judges.** The divisional age groups are as follows: 0-11 months, 1 & 2 years, 3 & 4 years, 5 & 6 years, 7 to 13 years, 14 to 19 years, and 20+ years.

**Also: Overall Best Costume, Overall Talent Winner, and Overall Photogenic Award will be selected by the judges.**

**The OVERALL ticket sales** winner will receive a 2-night stay at the GAYLORD TEXAN Resort in Grapevine, Texas and 4 ICE tickets. **\*\*The 2-night stay and tickets are only valid for December 20 – 22, 2019.\*\*** If the overall ticket sales winner is unable to claim their prize, the prize will go to the next top ticket sales winner.

All contestants will receive a goodie bag.



**ALL titleholders are highly encouraged to participate in the “Candy Cane Christmas” parade on Saturday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 6:00pm.** Winners are responsible for their own transportation during the Parade. The parade lineup begins at 5:30 pm behind the Valliant Public School bus barn. To be considered for parade prizes, obtain and complete the parade form with the Chamber.

**Most important – This is a For-Fun Activity. It is NOT a serious pageant! The sole purpose of the pageant is to fundraise for the Valliant Chamber of Commerce Christmas parade and activities. PLEASE participate in that frame of mind. We appreciate your support of the Valliant Chamber of Commerce.**



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**Contestant Information & Agreement**

**Personal Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019: \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Information:**

Why would you like to be King or Queen of the 2019 Valliant "Candy Cane Christmas" Pageant?

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**Description of Costume and/or Talent Act:**

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*In signing this form, I do hereby release Valliant Chamber of Commerce and all persons connected to this event of all responsibility for any injuries or accidents.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature of minor child





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 Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019

**ALL MONEY FROM TICKET SALES IS DUE BY 4:30pm ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019!**

**Contestant Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Division:** (please circle one)

- 0-11 months      5 & 6 years
- 1 & 2 years      7 to 13 years
- 3 & 4 years      14 to 19 years
- 20+ years

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Division: (please circle one)

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| 1 & 2 years | 7 to 13 years  |
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| 20+ years   |                |

**Information to be read during contestant modeling: include family, hobbies, interests, etc. (Attach separate paper if necessary.)**

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**Information to be read during talent performances: include description of costume and/or talent act. (Attach separate paper if necessary.)**

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**NARRATIVE IS DUE BY 4:30pm on Friday, November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019.**