

# Big Knob Grange Fair Queen

Application deadline: July 10th, 2024

Interviews: July 20th, 2024 - TBD AM

## To be considered for Fair Queen, all entrants must:

\*Be between ages 16-20 as of June 1st of the year entering contest

## All Contestants must:

\*Be a female who is a U.S. citizen and a resident of Beaver County or reside in Beaver County.

\*Have entered at least one entry in any department at the Big Knob Grange Fair in prior years

\*Not currently married, have never been married, and have never been pregnant nor become pregnant during their reign as Big Knob Grange Fair Queen.

\*May not have previously held the title of Fair Queen (local or PA State) nor hold any other title for another commodity group or pageant including another local fair queen during her reign as Big Knob Grange Fair Queen

\*Must act in accordance with the PA Fair Queen Behavior Policy as well as the Dress Code set forth by the PA Fair Queen Program - 2024 Rules can be found at [2024 Fair Season Queen Contest Packet.pdf - Google Drive](#) (Updated rules will be available after June 1st 2024.)

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\* Indicates required question

1. Do you meet the qualifications and obligations listed above? \*

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes

2. Full Name

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3. Address \*

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4. Phone Number \*

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5. Age on June 1st 2024 \*

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6. Have you ever exhibited an entry in the Big Knob Grange Fair? \*

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes

No

7. If yes above, what years and entries did you exhibit?

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8. If you are selected as a Fair Queen, do you agree to the interview process tentatively July 20th, 2024 as well as being present for the Queen coronation where you will present a 3-5min speech at the opening of the Fair on Tuesday August 27th? \*

*Mark only one oval.*

I Agree

9. Applicants must also submit a 300-word essay describing "What my Fair Means to my Community" along with a contestant photo to [queen@bigknobgrangefair.org](mailto:queen@bigknobgrangefair.org) by July 10th, 2024. \*

Will you be submitting an Essay and contestant photo?

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes

10. Name of Parrent/Guardian \*

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11. Parrent/Guardian Phone \*

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12. Parent/Guardian: By initialing below, you hereby give permission for my daughter \* to participate in the 2024 Big Knob Grange Fair Queen Program. I understand that this is a yearlong commitment and that my daughter will be required to attend many fair related events during the week of the fair as well as additional appearances throughout the year when asked. I also understand that parental involvement may be required. I consent in use of pictures of the applicant photographed for the purposes of promotional use throughout all digital/social media uses, including Big Knob Grange Fair exhibits, publications, newspaper, television, and publications on the Big Knob Grange Fair website.

Parent/Guardian initials:

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13. School Activities/Interest \*

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14. My Career Goals \*

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15. My Scholastic Achievements

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16. Awards or Honors I have Received

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17. My employment Experience, if applicable

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18. Facebook Account, Email Address, and any other social media name (if none please reply "not applicable")

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19. What is a fun fact about you? \*

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20. Any Food Allergies?

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21. If you are selected as the Big Knob Grange Fair Queen or Fair Queen alterne, do you agree to being available to promote the Big Knob Grange Fair by: \*

- Being Available the week of the fair to be able to give Fair Announcements, Introductions, assist in handing out ribbons, and Queen meet and greets.

- Preparing for the PA State Fair Queen competition with our Fair Queen Coordinator.

- Represent Big Knob Grange Fair by competing in the 2025 PA Fair Queen competition, a 3-day event commencing Thursday, January 23rd and culminating with the Coronation banquet and ceremony on Saturday, January 25th, 2025 at the Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs (PASCF) at the Hershey Lodge in Hershey, PA (expenses paid).

- Serve as a junior fair ambassador by promoting involvement in the Big Knob Grange Fair. Examples include encouraging students to enter exhibits and, if possible, help establish a Junior Fair Board

- Promote Big Knob Grange fair at Big Knob Grange Dairy Day (TBD June 2025).

- Crown the following years Big Knob Grange Fair Queen at next year's Big Knob Grange Fair, August 26th, 2025

Additional Voluntary Examples:

- Attend and give a short presentation about the Big Knob Grange Fair at spring/fall Farm Bureau Banquet.

- Visiting a local elementary school to read an agriculture bases story to elementary students to promote agriculture and the Big Knob Grange Fair during the 2024-25 school year.

- Provide a brief presentation at the annual Farm City Banquet at the Big Knob Grange.

- Participate/attend the Maple Syrup Festival

- Attend the Beaver County Envirothon

-Attending two (2) local fairs, outside of Big Knob Grange Fair, to promote Big Knob Grange Fair.

*Mark only one oval.*

I Agree

Untitled Title

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