

MISS PULASKI POLKA DAYS 2026
OFFICIAL CONTESTANT PACKET

Welcome!

Thank you for your interest in becoming a contestant in the 2026 Miss Pulaski Polka Days Pageant.

This pageant is more than crowns and sashes, it is an opportunity to represent the community of Pulaski, Wisconsin with pride, leadership, kindness, and purpose.

Our royalty serve as ambassadors for the community throughout the year by participating in local events, engaging in community service, and promoting positive values among their peers.

The 2026 competition will include an interview, optional escort walk, and crowning ceremony during the Pulaski Polka Days Festival.

We are honored to continue this tradition and look forward to welcoming this year's contestants.

Important Dates and Locations

Interview Night

Wednesday, July 15, 2026

6:30 PM

Knights of Columbus Pavilion

(Located next to the Pulaski Polka Grounds)

Pulaski, Wisconsin

Crowning Ceremony

Thursday, July 16, 2026

6:00 PM

Tent 2 – Pulaski Polka Grounds

Divisions

Little Miss: Ages 6–10

Junior Miss: Ages 11–13

Miss: Ages 14–18

About the Pageant

The Miss Pulaski Polka Days Pageant celebrates the spirit of community, tradition, and service.

Winners in each division are expected to represent Pulaski throughout the year by participating in parades, community events, volunteer opportunities, and other appearances as requested.

Junior Miss and Miss Contestants

Contestants in the Junior Miss and Miss divisions are required to present a personal platform.

A platform is a cause, issue, or message the contestant is passionate about promoting during her reign. This may include topics such as kindness, anti-bullying, environmental awareness, mental health advocacy, faith, volunteerism, or any other positive initiative.

Platforms should reflect the contestant's personal values and commitment to making a difference within the community.

Attire Guidelines

Interview Night

Contestants should wear business casual or Sunday best attire appropriate for an interview setting.

Crowning Night

Contestants may wear any age-appropriate formal dress in which they feel confident and comfortable.

Acceptable attire may include:

Sunday dresses

Cocktail dresses

Formal gowns

Dress selection is left to the discretion of the contestant and parent/guardian.

Escorts

Contestants may choose to have an escort accompany them during the crowning ceremony walk.

Escorts are optional and may be any positive role model in the contestant's life, including but not limited to:

Parent or Guardian

Sibling

Grandparent

Teacher

Family Friend

Mentor

*An escort is not required to be male.

Application Deadline

All contestant applications must be submitted no later than July 1, 2026.

Applications submitted after this deadline will not be accepted due to the time required for processing and preparation of pageant materials.

Contestant Application

Contestant Name: _____

Age: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Division (Circle One):

Little Miss / Junior Miss / Miss

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Junior Miss and Miss Only

Platform Statement:

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Interview Questions

Little Miss (Ages 6–10)

What is your favorite thing about Pulaski?

If you could have any superpower, what would it be and why?

Who is someone you look up to and why?

Junior Miss (Ages 11–13)

What is a selfless act you have done in the past year?

If you win this title, how will you use it to help your community?

Do you consider yourself a role model and why?

Miss (Ages 14–18)

Why did you choose your platform, and how do you plan to promote it during your reign?

What qualities make someone an effective leader?

Does social media presence matter as a role model at such a young age?

Code of Conduct

Being crowned Little Miss, Junior Miss, or Miss Pulaski Polka Days is an honor and a responsibility.

All titleholders are expected to conduct themselves in a manner that reflects positively upon the pageant and the community of Pulaski.

Titleholders are expected to demonstrate:

Respect

Integrity

Leadership

Good Character

Professionalism

The following may result in immediate dismissal and forfeiture of title:

Underage alcohol or drug use

Illegal activity

Inappropriate public conduct

Inappropriate social media behavior

Any conduct deemed damaging to the reputation of the pageant or community

Titleholders are expected to uphold the standards associated with serving as community representatives throughout their reign.

Closing Statement

Thank you for your interest in participating in the Miss Pulaski Polka Days Pageant.

We are proud to continue this longstanding community tradition and look forward to celebrating the outstanding young women representing Pulaski.

We wish all contestants the best of luck!

Questions Or Concerns Please Contact

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