

RULES FOR CONTESTANTS THAT SEND IN THEIR APPLICATION FOR A LOCAL PAGEANT AND DO NOT SHOW UP FOR THE PAGEANT

If a contestant has two unexcused absences from a local pageant in one competition year, June – June, she will be ineligible to compete within the Miss Oregon's Outstanding Teen Local Program for a full calendar year from the date of the second unexcused absence.

EXAMPLE: A contestant has an unexcused absence on September 5, 2016 and a second unexcused absence on November 15, 2016. That contestant is ineligible to compete until November 15, 2017.

- ◆ A contestant may not submit an application to more than one pageant occurring on the same date. Once you have signed an application for a local, you are entered into the local unless the director contacts you and states that you are on a waiting list.
- ◆ Excuses agreed upon by the local directors (but it is still the E.D.'s discretion of whether to excuse the contestant or not): death in the family, illness with a doctor's excuse / sudden illness under the discretion of the director, work related with documentation from the employer, school related with documentation from the school.
- ◆ Each local director will notify the Miss Oregon's Outstanding Teen Program with the names of contestants who did not show and whether they were excused or unexcused and why.
- ◆ The Miss Oregon's Outstanding Teen Program will send out a notification when a contestant is ineligible to compete. This notice will include the date she can compete again.
- ◆ Contestants are required to sign and submit this form with the application and contract when applying to enter the local pageant.

Local Pageant Name

Contestant Name

Contestant's Signature

Date

Local Director Name

Local Director's Signature

Date