

# Louisiana Quarter Horse Association Queen Contest

**Judging Criteria:** 40% Interview  
40% Public speaking - Impromptu question, 1 minute introduction  
20% Horsemanship – consisting of a pattern and rail work,  
consistent with and judged by AQHA guidelines for the horsemanship class.

## Queen Contest Rules:

1. The candidate must be 18-25 as of January 1 and not be married, divorced or a parent.
2. A candidate cannot run for more than three cumulative years.
3. In the event that no new contestants enter in the queen's contest, the reigning queen will be given the opportunity to continue to serve in her role an additional year, as long as she has not exceeded a three year term.
4. The candidate must be a current LQHA member in good standing.
5. All candidates must uphold their title with respect, honor, grace, integrity and dignity. Candidates will not involve themselves in any activities that bring dishonor to the title, contest, queen committee or fellow candidates. If asked to remove or edit media included on one's social media presence in conflict with the standards set forth by the LQHA, candidates will comply and do so.
6. Candidates are not to consume alcoholic beverages, smoke, and/or use any form of tobacco while representing LQHA as Queen. Additionally, no profanity or illegal drug usage will be tolerated.
7. Upon marriage, becoming pregnant or violating the rules outlined above, the LQHA Queen must relinquish her crown and all prizes connected with the crown to the first runner up in the contest.
8. The newly crowned queen, should she decide to compete in the Congress Queen contest, is responsible for all expenses incurred from her trip to the All American Quarter Horse Congress.
9. As queen, you will represent LQHA and present awards at our in-state events during the year and attend the banquet as reigning queen the following year, unless agreed upon by the Board for extenuating circumstances.
10. Contestants must agree to not enter any other association queen's contest after being crowned.
11. Contestant agrees to drop out of any contest that she is entered in upon being crowned. All contests approved by LQHA are excluded (i.e. Congress or National Queen Titles).

By my signature on this form, I hereby certify that I agree to comply with all terms and conditions outlined above and set by the LQHA.

Contestant's name (Please Print)\_\_\_\_\_

Contestant's signature\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_

If contestant is under 21 years of age, approved and attested by:

Parent/guardian's name (Please Print)\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/guardian's signature\_\_\_\_\_

# LQHA Queen Contest Application

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

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

College or High School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation year: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA / Scholastic Average: \_\_\_\_\_

Employed?      Yes No      If Yes:    Part-Time      Full-Time

If Yes, Company & Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Activities, Honors and/or Offices Held:

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Community Service:

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Career Ambition:

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Interests, Hobbies and/or Sports:

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Show Record:

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Please send these completed forms and a 4x6 photo to LQHA c/o Sally Blackwell, 56292 N. Cooper Road, Loranger LA 70446. Any questions or inquiries to (985)517-3787 or [sallyblackwellphotography@gmail.com](mailto:sallyblackwellphotography@gmail.com) **Entry deadline: Feb 14, 2020**