## Middle Park Fair and Rodeo Royalty Pageant Guidelines

## The Middle Park Fair and Rodeo Royalty will represent the Middle Park Fair and Rodeo, the western heritage and history of Middle Park throughout their yearlong reign. The Court will consist of a Queen and Princess. The Middle Park Fair and Rodeo will crown the Queen and Court during the CPRA Rodeo on Sunday August 13th, 2023. The candidate who has the highest total score from all judging will be crowned as Queen.  The Princess candidate with the highest total score will be crowned Princess. The following guidelines and requirements will apply to all candidates who apply for the Middle Park Fair and Rodeo Royalty Competition.

## Age Qualifications

## • Queen: must be between the ages of 15 -18 as of January 1st, 2023 • Princess: must be between the ages of 11-14 as January 1, 2023

## Marital status

## • All candidates must be single and never married or pregnant. • If any member of the Royalty court decides to marry, cohabit or becomes pregnant, she will automatically forfeit her title.

## Residency requirements

## •All candidates must be a full-time resident of Grand or Summit Counties. (Exception if candidate is attending college • The Royalty Coordinator and MPF&R Board of Directors reserve the right to ask for proof of residency.

## Event Participation and Responsibilities

## As a representative of the Middle Park Fair and Rodeo, you will be required to attend many events. The Royalty Coordinator and the Middle Park Fair Board have set forth the following guidelines to ensure your safety, and the well-being of the Middle Park Fair and Rodeo. • The Royalty Coordinator is responsible for communicating with the Court as to what events are to be attended. • Some of the events are listed below, but are certainly are not limited to, should the MPF&R Board and Royalty Coordinator feel that an appearance by the Royalty Court is deemed appropriate and beneficial to the MPF&R.

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| Middle Park Fair and Rodeo | Kremmling Fishing Contest |
| All MPF&R 4-H/FFA Events | Hot Sulphur Days (parade) |
| MPF&R Queen’s Barrel Race | Kremmling Days |
| MPF&R Junior Rodeo | Granby Rodeo Series |
| MPF&R Open Horse Show | Granby 4th of July (parade) |
| MPF&R Junior Livestock Sale | High Country Stampede Rodeo |
| MPF&R Princess Contest | Grand Lake Buffalo BBQ (parade) |
| MPF&R Poker Run | Lions Club Tree Event |
|  | Colorado Association of Fairs and Rodeo’s Convention |

## • Middle Park Fair and Rodeo Royalty will be supervised/ chaperoned at all times by a parent/coach/guardian or coordinator when at an event. • As representatives of the MPF&R the royalty court must act as a team. Therefore the court shall remain together unless otherwise approved by the Royalty Coordinator or MPF&R Board Member. • Royalty is required to attend monthly MPF&R meetings throughout the year, along with the Coordinator. • Keep current on thank you notes and correspondence when applicable. Please understand that if selected as Middle Park Fair and Rodeo Royalty, winners are responsible for their own transportation, clothing and expenses incurred as a result of representing the Middle Park Fair and Rodeo, unless the MPF&R Board of Directors deems otherwise in specific instances.

## Event Attire

## As a representative of the MPF&R we expect the Royalty Court will dress appropriately to the function. At all times this will include the MPF&R crown, belt buckle and sash and preferably a felt hat, and chaps when appropriate. This attire may include skirts, dresses, pants, vests or jackets, but at no time will ripped or faded jeans be allowed. Please do not wear tank tops, sleeveless shirts or crop tops. Jeans and shirts must be pressed. Remember you are representing the MPF&R and we expect you to be professional in your appearance. No sponsorship donations may be taken in the name of the Middle Park Fair and Rodeo Queen/ Princess without the knowledge and consent of the Middle Park Fair Board and the Queen Coordinator. All donations, money, clothing, etc. received by the candidate must be with the donor’s knowledge and understanding that it is for that of the candidate’s own personal benefit.