

RHODODENDRON FESTIVAL QUEEN'S COURT APPLICATION

2008

If you are in 7th or 8th grade this year and are interested in being chosen for the 2008 Rhododendron Festival Queen's Court, please complete a one-page essay as described below and return it with this application. A parent or guardian's signature is required below. **This form and your essay must be returned to your school office by January 18th, postmarked by January 18th, returning by mail.**

You must complete a one-page essay, typed if possible, telling about yourself and what the Rhododendron Festival means to you. Describe your interests, goals and hobbies, as well as anything about yourself that makes you unique. Also, describe how you like to spend Rhody week with your family and friends.

If you are chosen by the Rhododendron Festival Board of Directors to be a member of the Queen's Court, the requirements of attendance are as follows:

Parent meeting January 29th, the modeling session with the Queen Candidates (date to be given at parent meeting). Coronation rehearsal is March 14th in the afternoon. Coronation is the evening of Saturday, March 15th, during which time you will officially be crowned and introduced to the public. During Rhody week, you will participate in the Trike Race on Wednesday afternoon, May 14th, Pet parade on Thursday, May 15th, Kiddies Parade on Friday, May 16th, and the Grand Parade on Saturday, May 17th. You may also be asked to attend 3-5 other parades on the peninsula. You will be properly chaperoned for these extra parades.

Your parent or guardian will be responsible for making sure you arrive on time to all events. They will also need to be there at the end of all events to pick you up in a timely manner.

If you are able to participate in **all** of these events and would like the opportunity to represent your community as a member of the 2007 Queens Court, please print the information requested below, have your parent or guardian sign and date, and return this form with your essay as directed above. You may also mail this application to: **Youth Royalties Director, PO Box 766, Port Townsend, WA. 98368 .**

In the event that you are chosen, you will be notified by telephone no later than January 28th. You and your parent/guardian will then be asked to attend an informal meeting. where we will go over the important information you will need to know about your reign on the Queens Court.

Child's Name : _____ **Sex:** _____
Birthdate: _____ **Grade in School:** _____
School _____
Parent/Guardian name _____
Signature and date _____
Address _____ **City:** _____
Email _____
Telephone _____ **Cell phone:** _____

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