Florence Fest Pageant - Saturday, October 22nd, 2016

The Florence Fest Pageant is presented and sponsored by the Florence Mayor's Youth Council, a group of high school students who volunteer and participate throughout the community helping others and promoting our city. All profits from the Florence Fest pageant will be used for scholarships and other worthwhile endeavors.

The pageant will be held in the Florence Middle School auditorium on Saturday, October 22nd, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. Pageant winners will be invited to be a part of the Florence Fest festivities (November 12th) and will also have the opportunity to be in the annual Florence Christmas parade. Parade entry forms may be found at florencems.com, you will be responsible for parade entry. All contestants will receive an award.

Who may enter the pageant? The Florence Fest Pageant is open to residents of the Florence school zone. Ages: The pageant is open to girls from infants to 24 years old, and boys from infants to 8 years old Entry fee: \$60.00. There will also be an optional Photogenic category, with a fee of \$10.00 (extra photos \$5.00 each)

Contestant Attire: Ages 12 and under- Sunday dress. Ages 13 and above-Formal dress. Note: If a young lady would like to wear a formal dress and compete in the older category that is acceptable. Please be sure and note this on your registration form. Boys should wear Sunday clothes.

Deadline for registration: Monday, October 17th, 2016

Pageant age divisions will be decided after registration forms are turned in to ensure evenly divided categories. Registration forms and \$60 entry fee may be delivered in person to City Hall, or mailed to:

City of Florence Attn: Pageant Registration P.O. Box 187 Florence, MS 39073

Future Goals:

Make checks payable to Florence Mayor's Youth Council Questions: Call (601) 845-1749 or email pkclark123@gmail.com

Please do not pre-pay the \$10 photogenic fee – it will be collected the day of the pageant.