



## **Shelby County Applefest 2012 Queen and Little Miss Apple of My Eye Pageant**

### **General Information:**

The contest will be held on Wednesday, September 5, 2012 in the Cameo Theatre at the Senior Center on 304 S. West Avenue, Sidney, Ohio.

The pageant will begin at 7:00 p.m. Contestants must arrive by 6:30 p.m. All contestants must reside in Shelby County or attend a Shelby County School. Entry forms are available on the Applefest web site at [www.shelbyapplefest.com](http://www.shelbyapplefest.com) or may be picked up at the Shelby County Historical Society or the Shelby County Chamber of Commerce. **There is a mandatory rehearsal for all contestants on Tuesday, September 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. at the Cameo Theatre.** Remember! We are looking for personality and sparkle!

### **Girls will be judged in the following categories:**

- **Interview** - One contestant at a time will interview with our judges. This will be a friendly environment where the judges get to know the real you. Let your personality and Shelby County pride shine! Judging will be based on the girl's poise and responsiveness to questions. The interviews will be held on Sunday, August 26, 2012. The location will be determined at a later time. You will be notified of your interview time. You must wear an apple themed outfit to the interview.
- **Apple Themed Outfit** - Each girl must wear an original apple themed outfit for the interview and the pageant. We are looking for creativity!
- **On Stage Question** - The top five finalist will be asked a question on stage as part of the finalist interview.

**Shelby County Applefest Queen and Little Miss Apple of My Eye:** This pageant is open to girls who are in grades 9-11 and four to six years of age. Awards will be given to the top three winners in each category. The girl chosen the Shelby County Applefest Queen will be awarded \$350.00, First runner up \$250.00 and second runner up \$150.00. Little Miss Apple of My Eye will be awarded 100.00, First runner up \$75.00 and Second runner up \$50.00.

The top three finalists in each category will ride on the Applefest Float in the parade on Sunday, September 9, 2012 at 2:30 pm. The top three finalists in each category may be asked to ride on the Applefest float in local festival parades in June, July and August of 2013.

The deadline to register a contestant for this year's pageant is August 25, 2012.