## **Guidelines and Pageant Information**

Age Divisions: Little Miss Filfest USA 7-12years of age Miss Teen Filfest USA 13-17 years of age Miss Filfest 18-24 years of age Qualifications: ¥ Reside in the United States ¥ Filipino Descent ¥ Good Moral Character ¥ Single never been married AND NEVER HAD A CHILD Please include a current head-shot and 2 full body PHOTOS when submitting appl Email: triciaorpilla@gmail.com

Categories:

Preliminary Pageant Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> at Granby Theatre Private Interview Possible 20pts-Dress or Suit (5:00pm) Modeling- possible 10pts-Short red cocktail dress On Stage Interview possible 40pts-Any floor length evening gown and color of your choice

Finals Oct 26<sup>th</sup> Saturday at Filfest Rudee Loop National Costume possible 25pts Talent Possible 25pts Evening Gown for crowning only Additional Titles: Tourism title most ads and tickets sales combined Congeniality title will be decided by the contestants.

*Private Interview-This will be conducted before the pageant. Contestants will be provided questions to review that the judges may ask.* 

Modeling-Contestants will showcase their poise and grace skills.

Onstage Interview-This will be conducted during the end of the preliminary pageant after contestants are introduced. They will be asked questions off of a list provided by the pageant. The contestant will pick from a bowl filled with questions from the list and will be asked a total of two questions. Contestants will wear any floor length gown of their choice.

National Filipino Costume) Any Filipino Floor length style Maria Clara of Butterfly Sleeves Style will be permitted. Headpiece required for this portion. If you need help locating this style of gown, please contact pageant staff.

Talent-Talent can be any type of talent (dance, musical, theatrical, and vocal). The talent performance must not be less than 2:30 and not to exceed 4 min. Failure to comply, will result in deduction of 2 points. Music must be put on a thumb drive or emailed if using pre-recorded music. If you are playing an instrument, please let us know so we will have the correct equipment for you.

Winners of each Division will receive Crown and sash. Runner Ups will receive Tiara and Sash Winners and all Runner Ups will be expected to make appearance for Cultural Functions including festivals and parades.

All Contestants will be required to solicit ADS. Minimum of one 1/4 page ad required. Ad Prices are: All checks will be made out to FilFest USA. FilFest Usa is a 501 (c)3 \$100 black and white \$75 half page black and white \$40 1/4 page black and white \$25 Business Card

Ad due date October 6th 2019

Registration of \$25 and one 1/4 page ad \$40, is the requirement for all contestants.