

RULES FOR SELECTING GEARY COUNTY 4-H ROYALTY

- 1) Any eligible youth can apply.
- 2) Candidates must have completed their freshman year of High School but cannot be older than 18.
- 3) Nominees must be current active member with two years of completed 4-H work.
- 4) All candidates are required to complete and submit an Application Packet (all of which will be judged). It will consist of:
 - A) Application (typed in space allowed – do not add additional pages!)
Application is available in Word and Adobe Acrobat form filler at <http://www.geary.k-state.edu/4-h/forms.html>
 - B) Essay
 - C) Current year's Personal Page
 - D) Up-to-date Permanent Record
 - E) Responsibilities of Royalty, Royal Court, and Candidates signed by applicant and parent/guardian
- 5) Past Royalty winners are not eligible to apply. Those selected as members of the Royal Court are eligible to apply.
- 6) Application Packets must be in the Geary County Extension Office by 5:00pm, Wednesday, May 1, 2024. Email to gkopfer@ksu.edu, mail to, or drop off at, the Extension Office (119 E. 9th Street, Junction City).
- 7) On the evening of July 11 at the Geary County 4-H/Senior Citizens Center, each candidate will be interviewed by a panel of judges to consist of no less than two out-of-county adults, along with current Royalty. The interview will begin with every candidate presenting a 1 to 3 minute speech highlighting his or her 4-H experiences and other accomplishments. Candidates must attend the interview to be considered for Royalty selection.
- 8) Selection will be based on a point system as outlined below:
 - A) Application ----- 60 points
 - B) Permanent Record----- 60 points
 - C) Interview ----- 70 points
 - D) Parade Participation----- 10 points
 - E) Total-----200 points