

# SOUTHEAST Virtual American Women Pageant ages 4 to 99



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Welcome to Southeast American Women of Service! Offering you a unique and special opportunity to advance to American Women Pageants through a virtual platform!

I'm so excited that you are here and welcome you to our sisterhood. Your journey to the crown starts here in a safe space designed to help you shine and prepare you to hit the international stage.

I wish you all the best and welcome your questions, comments, and concerns!

*Jasmine DeRier*

AWOS International Director

## Pageant Outline

### Age Divisions (age as of January 1, 2022)

Young Princess (4-6)  
Elementary Princess (7-9)  
Preteen Princess (10-12)  
Young Teen (13-15)  
Teen (16-19)  
Miss (20-25, never married, no children)

Sweetheart (18-29)  
Ms. (30+)  
Mrs. (18+, married)  
Elite (35-49)  
Classic (50-59)  
Senior (60+)

Southern States (Any Age)



### Compete In:

**Interview:** 3-minute panel-style interviews will be conducted with an esteemed panel of judges via zoom on Saturday, March 5, 2022. Contestants will be asked to submit a resume, from which judges will ask questions. There will be no controversial or political questions asked. We are looking for great conversationalists who love their communities. A zoom link will be provided along with a schedule. Be sure to sign on at your directed time as early access will not be granted, and you might interrupt another interview. Dress should be a typical pageant interview style. If you need assistance or have questions, please ask.

**Fun Fashion:** Prepare a 30-second video in your favorite fashion. Contestants should perform a walking pattern of choice to background music. Video must be emailed no later than Saturday, March 5, 2022, to [awosdirector@gmail.com](mailto:awosdirector@gmail.com).

**Evening Gown:** Prepare a 30-second video in an evening gown of choice. Contestants should perform a walking pattern of choice to background music. Video must be emailed no later than Saturday, March 5, 2022, to [awosdirector@gmail.com](mailto:awosdirector@gmail.com)

\*\* Videos may be recorded inside or outside and not judged on background depiction. Just be sure the contestant has a cleared walking space. \*\*



### Optional Categories:

**Photogenic:** Contestants may submit one photo to be viewed by our judge's panel. Images should be emailed by March 5, 2022, to [awosdirector@gmail.com](mailto:awosdirector@gmail.com). Contestants may submit up to 3 entries. A first and second runner-up winner will be awarded in YAWOS (young princess-miss) and AWOS divisions (sweetheart-senior).

**Talent:** Contestants may submit a 1-minute video depicting their talent. It may include talking, photos, words, video, or music. Videos should be emailed by March 5, 2022, to [awosdirector@gmail.com](mailto:awosdirector@gmail.com). Contestants may submit up to 2 entries. A first and second runner-up winner will be awarded in YAWOS (young princess-miss) and AWOS divisions (sweetheart-senior).

**Community Service:** Contestants may submit a service log from March 1, 2021, through February 28, 2022. Logs should include service name, whom it was performed for, supervisor, number of hours, and email contact for the supervisor. Please include the total number of hours served. Email submissions should be sent by March 5, 2022, to [awosdirector@gmail.com](mailto:awosdirector@gmail.com). A first and second runner-up winner will be awarded in YAWOS (young princess-miss) and AWOS divisions (sweetheart-senior).

**Southern States Title Opportunity:** Compete for the Southern States title opportunity by selling \$25 ads to family, friends, and local businesses. The contestant who sells the most ads will be awarded the southern states title and the same prizes as all other winners, including international registration! Ads should be in IG 1080 x 1080 format and must be emailed by March 5, 2022, to [awosdirector@gmail.com](mailto:awosdirector@gmail.com) and will be shared on our Facebook and Instagram during the month of March. The minimum to raise for the Southern States title is \$200. Interview scores will also be taken into account for this title.

### Cost Breakdown

Registration fee - \$125 per contestant  
Optional Entry - \$25 per optional entry

All fees should be submitted via PayPal to [americanwos@yahoo.com](mailto:americanwos@yahoo.com), Venmo @Jasmine-DeRier, mail-in check to 560 Whites Bridge Rd. Standish, ME 04084. Please ask if needing another option. Checks must be made payable to Jasmine DeRier.

### WINNERS Receive...

Official AWOS State/Regional Crown  
Official State or Regional AWOS Sash  
Paid registration to AWOS Internationals 2022 (\$350 value)  
Beyond Expectations Formals State Titleholder Discount  
Other AWOS sponsor discounts

Awards will be mailed following the announcement of winners.



How to enter:

Use the online form to register. [www.americanwomenofservice.com/southeast](http://www.americanwomenofservice.com/southeast)  
Make payment as listed above.

**The deadline to register and submit payments is March 5, 2022.**

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**Resume:** Resumes should be bulleted and include name, occupation, interesting facts, community service, awards, achievements, and activities. Please ask if you would like a sample.

Be sure to list all necessary information on your sheet.

The font is Times New Roman 12, but only one page. More than one page will result in a point deduction.

Can use double columns for bullet points to get more on the page. An example is included for you to review in the handbook. NOTE: All paperwork must be legible and neat, this is part of your competition, and we take your ability to present yourself clearly, neatly, and within our guidelines very seriously. Judges see your applications and judge you on your neatness.

**Makeup** – Natural makeup for all ages is acceptable. Natural makeup for a 4 to 10-year-old is typically unnoticeable. We would not encourage false lashes for those under 12 years old. Judges are instructed to account for makeup when distracting and noticeably inappropriate.

**Communication** – All communication will be sent via the email address shared on the registration form. Please be sure your email address is accurate.

**ZERO-TOLERANCE POLICY** – AWOS is a no-bullying, drama-free zone. We have a 100% zero-tolerance policy on this behavior. All participants, parents, and spouses are expected to understand and follow this best-practice policy.

**All contestants are expected to adhere to international rules following crowning and receiving a state or regional title.**