

Statement of Understanding Between: Miss Leeds Teen and the Miss Leeds Scholarship Organization

Relationship: The Miss Leeds Area Organization is organized as an organization whose express purposes include:

1. The provision of scholarship funds.
2. The representation of the City of Leeds in the Miss Alabama's Teen Pageant.
3. The representation of the sponsors of the Miss Leeds Teen Pageant.
4. The promotion of the Miss Leeds Teen Pageant.

As a result, there are several important premises, which are basic to Miss Leeds Teen's year of service. Miss Leeds Teen must recognize that for her year of service, she will represent the City of Leeds, Leeds Chamber of Commerce, and the Miss Leeds Area Organization, and its sponsors.

The Miss Leeds Area Organization will:

- Confirm all appearances and requirements pertaining thereto.
- Screen all appearance requests and protect against undesirable appearances.
- Provide time for study, rest, and vacations in regard to the interest of Miss Leeds Teen's good health and mental well-being.
- Provide a cash scholarship for Miss Leeds Teen

Miss Leeds Teen will:

- Prepare herself in conjunction with the Miss Leeds Area Committee and Directors to adequately and successfully compete in the Miss Alabama's Teen Pageant
- Be responsible for raising/collecting monies required prior to competing at Miss Alabama's Teen Pageant
- Miss Leeds Teen will never have any type of coaching or outside help, advice, or influences in preparing for the Miss Alabama's Teen Pageant without the written approval from the Directors, except for talent instruction, for example, a voice teacher, a dance teacher, a music teacher, etc.
- The newly crowned Miss Leeds Teen will provide the Directors with an edited headshot as soon after being crowned Miss Leeds Teen as feasible. She will have her competition photographs taken in a timely manner so that the photos are ready for all deadlines.
- Maintain and review the online calendar provided by Miss Leeds Area Committee to keep apprised of important events.
- Frequent communication in some form with the Directors. Respond in a timely manner to texts and/or email communications.
- Communicate with your Rising Star on a regular basis. Please treat it as the mentoring program it's intended to be and take that role seriously.
- Understand that all decisions will be made between her and the Directors. Parents are to provide support for their daughter but will not have final say in the decision-making process in preparing for the Miss Alabama's Teen Pageant. Although the

- Directors will give utmost regard to her personal taste, style, and budget constraints, the Directors have her best interests at heart and understand what is expected of her at the Miss Alabama's Teen Pageant.

Appearances:

To ensure efficient management of Miss Leeds Teen and her appearances:

- Refer ALL appearance requests to the Directors.
- Refer ALL press, radio, or television requests to the Directors
- Honor and fulfill ALL scheduled appearances for Miss Leeds Teen
- Prepare herself to successfully meet the requirements of the approved appearances.

In addition, it is required that Miss Leeds Teen attend and/or participate in these events during her year of service:

- Miss Alabama's Teen Orientation
- City of Leeds Christmas Parade
- Creekbank Festival hosted by Leeds Chamber of Commerce

In addition, it is highly desirable that Miss Leeds Teen make attempts to attend and/or participate in these events during her year of service:

- Parades and community events as applicable
- Miss Alabama Gala (Date TBA)
- Miss Alabama Pageant (for Teen introductions)

Succession Clause

In the event that Miss Leeds Teen should forfeit her title prior to the State Pageant, the 1st alternate may have the opportunity to attend Miss Alabama's Teen as Miss Leeds Teen, although no additional monies or prizes will be awarded. If Miss Leeds Teen is not able to fulfill her duties after competing at the State Pageant, a successor will not be named.

I, _____, a Miss Leeds Teen Candidate
have read the agreement, and understand all conditions, rules, and regulations set forth by the Miss Leeds Area Organization, and if selected Miss Leeds Teen will be able to follow and fulfill all the rules and regulations set forth in the Miss Leeds Teen Contract. I understand that, if found in violation of any part of this contract, the Directors have the authority to revoke my title as Miss Leeds Teen.

Signature

Date

Parent's Signature

Date