

YOU ARE A CINDERELLA WINNER!! WE KNOW YOU HAVE MANY QUESTIONS - HERE ARE SOME ANSWERS!

NOW WHAT? You have now been selected to represent your preliminary at the 2026 Nevada State Finals - the largest and most prestigious state production in Nevada!

WHEN IS IT? CINDERELLA = June 16-June 21, 2026

BABIES: Baby Playtime & Showtime (casualwear & partywear)

<u>CINDERELLA</u>: Optional-Scoresheet-Talents/Interview & Cameo, Cinderella Registration, Orientation,Get Acquainted Party, Interviews & Welcome Banquet, Tot Personality, Disco 70's Cindy Party, Talent, Prince Gilbert Pty, Gold N Glam Party & Casual Wear, ChiGamma Event, Color Time/Tea Time Rehearsal, Tribute, Grand Finals, 50 Golden Year Celebration Party & Awards Breakfast

WHERE IS IT? Santa Fe Hotel In Las Vegas.

WHY SHOULD I COME? Well - first you have been chosen by a responsible panel of judges to be the best representative in your area. But - you will also have the BEST week of your life - sharing friends, memories and learning a lot about yourself. AND - you will feel important! That is the best part because when you feel good about yourself - it's easy to make others like you!!

DO I HAVE TO STAY AT THE HOTEL? You will want to!!.... With all the scheduled parties and events - being a part of the Cinderella Girl Family for a week is the best part! We're having a Prince Gilbert Party, Age Group Get Acquainted Party, Enchanted Party, Jungle-Safari Party & more. If you want to save \$ and NOT stay at the hotel, you could just pay your Required Fees, & buy a Ticket plan for each person in your party attending State (chaperone & participant, etc.)

WHAT IS THE COST? The total cost for Cinderella Week is about \$1600. - BUT if you won a title you have just won \$75 towards that price - SO your cost is only \$1525.. If you put \$50 on deposit you will have a balance of **\$1475..** not due until May 15, 2026! - AND there is an additional bonus deduction (minus \$50.00) if your entry with full payment is received before the early incentive deadline of April 15, 2026! Once you have your deposit it, you will be given Raffle Tickets for the "\$1,000 CASH Drawying" to help earn money to state. Also you can sell additional advertising pages and after the first \$150, half of everything you sell will go towards your entry money.

THAT SEEMS LIKE A LOT - WHAT DOES IT INCLUDE? The cost includes your admission pass to all events, an Age Group Party, Prince Gilbert Party, Disco 70's Cindy Lunch Party, Gold N Glam Lunch Party, Color Time & Tea Party, and Cinderella Tribute, the Welcome Banquet, Grand Finals, & Awards Dinner, plus a Souvenir Program Book, a Tee shirt for the participant, all entry fees, and your housing for you AND your chaperone! THAT'S MORE FOR YOUR MONEY THAN ANY OTHER PAGEANT IN THE NATION! (note private room is a little more)

EVEN THOUGH IT SOUNDS LIKE FUN - MY FAMILY DOESN'T HAVE THE MONEY - There are several ways you can "earn" your way to state and take NO money from Mom and Dad. The easiest way is to find a business sponsor - Let us know if you want a sponsor letter and start looking TODAY! . Also you can sell additional advertising pages and after the first \$150, half of everything you sell will go towards your entry money as well as many other fundraisers going on statewide all year. just ask your local director for details. WHAT IF WE CAN'T FIND A SPONSOR? Well - many preliminary directors have all kinds of fundraisers throughout the year, so call your preliminary director and get involved!! BUT I HAVE ONE MORE OPTION WHICH YOU EACH AUTOMATICALLY QUALIFY FOR - IT'S - our Annual CINDERELLA STATE RAFFLE FOR \$1,000 CASH AWARD 1st Prize etc. - see separate paper for details

BUT I DIDN'T WIN THE OVERALL CROWN - IF I CAN'T WIN A PRELIMINARY - MAYBE I'M NOT READY FOR STATE. The purpose of the Cinderella System is to work as a development program. MANY times our Nevada State Representatives were only alternates at their preliminaries - but they practiced and learned and really improved themselves so that they were selected on the State or even the International Level. ANYONE can be successful at STATE - it's a different event with different judges!!

WHO CAN HELP ME? Well your first and most important resource is your preliminary director. She is a part of this program because she believes in Cinderella - has attended State and/or Internationals, and can offer you help with interview, modeling & talent! Then call/text your state director, Gwendolyn Hansen (702) 308-4004 I am always available to offer input and to help you become the best person you can be!

WHAT ABOUT THE STATE ENTRY FORMS? The final deadline is not until MAY 15 - but the sooner those forms are submitted the better - and don't forget the bonus for early submission. (Note: Entries will be placed in the order they are received (first in being last in the division based on full payment received). The State Entry forms are available on the Cinderella Website at www.CinderellaNevada.com under entry forms.

OK - I'M GOING TO COME TO STATE - HOW CAN I STAY ACTIVE BETWEEN NOW AND NEXT JUNE? Come to EVERY preliminary you can as Visiting Royalty and perform in the Showcase! (There's no charge to do this!) WATCH - see what is successful and try to analyze why other young ladies are successful - LEARN from others! (You can enter the next preliminary if you did not win the overall title provided your \$50 deposit is in to state to try and win an overall title).(If you have an overall title, you can enter Honor Roll) Borrow or order a copy of a state and/or national videos - look at the successes and find out how you can improve. Cinderella Girl is a year-round program, and you are now an important part of our program! Get Involved in the Chi Gamma Cinderella Sorority and all the events they have planned. Information is on the website calendar. Be involved in the parties, parades, community service, and other preliminaries throughout the state. Visit our website: www.CinderellaNevada.com to see dates. Our international site is: www.cinderellapageant.com

BUT THERE ARE SO MANY OTHER BEAUTIFUL AND TALENTED GIRLS! You Bet!! This is the number one pageant in Nevada and in the Nation - you are sharing your success with the BEST! But remember - we are NOT a beauty pageant - nor are we a talent contest we are looking for that sweet and humble young lady who exudes confidence to represent our communities in Nevada and... THAT'S YOU - BECAUSE YOU ARE A WINNER!!

