

# Standards of Personal Conduct and Dress

If accepted into the Nauvoo Pageant, we the \_\_\_\_\_ family, commit to keep the following standards of personal conduct and dress as representatives of the pageant and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

We recognize that the purpose of the pageant is to invite the Spirit to testify to cast and audience members of the divine mission of Jesus Christ and the restoration of His gospel to the earth through the Prophet Joseph Smith.

Therefore, we commit to live in accordance with the principles of the restored gospel of Jesus Christ, as taught by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, throughout our involvement in the pageant.

Specifically, we agree to:

- Abide by the standards of Christian living taught by the Church. We will strive to be gracious, courteous, and considerate of others at all times and observe high principles of honor, integrity, and morality.
- Be honest in all behavior.
- Respect others' personal rights, including consideration of others' property.
- Keep the Word of Wisdom. We agree to abstain from the use of tobacco, alcoholic beverages, tea, coffee, and illegal drugs.
- Live the law of chastity and observe the highest standards of decency.
- Dress modestly and appropriately at all times. We understand that shorts must be at least knee-length, that shoes must be worn on and around the stage area, and that sleeveless, strapless, tight, or revealing clothing is not appropriate. We further understand that those wearing inappropriate attire will be asked to change.
- Maintain a clean and well-groomed appearance consistent with the period of Church history represented. We understand that any questions about the appropriateness of personal appearance should be referred to the costume specialist.
- Refrain from profanity, vulgarity, and any other inappropriate language.
- Refrain from any behavior that is inconsistent with Church standards or would adversely affect the mission, purposes, operations, or image of the pageant or the Church.
- Follow all standards and rules established for the pageant cast, including conduct and daily schedule.

In making this commitment, we recognize our important role in inviting the Spirit into all aspects of the pageant production. Please discuss the importance of this commitment with each family member.

Signatures of *each* family member

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