

Welcome! We are so excited you have taken the first step to joining this year's pageant! Please carefully read through the Princess & Little Miss De Soto Day's pageant requirements and rules. If you wish to compete for the title this year, complete the application and return no later than July 25, 2025.

Should you have any questions, please reach out to by phone or email!

Thank you,

Randi Cole & Kristi Hinkle

Miss De Soto Days Chairs

Phone: 602-903-0921 email: [missdesotodays@yahoo.com](mailto:missdesotodays@yahoo.com)

## **Requirements**

### **Miss De Soto Days Princess**

Open to young ladies, ages 4-5 as of date of pageant kick off (08/24/2025)

Resident home address in De Soto, Kansas and/ or a student enrolled in a USD232 school.

The Miss De Soto Days Princess contestants will participate in the following areas of competition:

- Photogenic
- 2 min interview with judging panel

The Miss De Soto Days Princess will be crowned during a ceremony at the kick off of De Soto Days on Thursday evening.

The Miss De Soto Days Princess contestants will arrive and remain in their gowns through crowning and pictures on Thursday evening's ceremony.

All De Soto Days Princess contestants will be invited to be on a float for the De Soto Days parade.

In addition to her reign at the De Soto Days festivities and parade, the Miss De Soto Days Princess will be expected to be available to serve her community throughout the year of her reign at various events in the community and make herself available for volunteer opportunities & appearances when needed.

## **Little Miss De Soto Days**

Open to young ladies, ages 6-8 as of date of pageant kick off (08/24/2025)

Resident home address in De Soto, Kansas and/ or a student enrolled in a USD232 school.

Little Miss De Soto Days will compete in the following areas of competition:

- 3 min interview with judging panel
- Photogenic

Little Miss De Soto Days will be crowned during a ceremony at the kick off of De Soto Days on Thursday evening.

All Little Miss Contestants will arrive and remain in their gowns through crowning and pictures on Thursday evening's ceremony.

All Little Miss Contestants will be invited to be on a float for the De Soto Days parade.

In addition to her reign at the De Soto Days festivities and parade, Little Miss De Soto will be expected to be available to serve her community throughout the year of her reign at various events in the community and make herself available for volunteer opportunities & appearances when needed.

Ready to apply? What's Next?

- Fill out and sign application
- Submit your favorite TWO photos for the photogenic portion of judging. (one close up and one full length showing your little miss/ princess in their favorite environment – one that reflects their personality and showcases their spirit!)
- Send in your completed application, photo, registration fee (\$25) no later than July 25, 2025.



Princess, Little Miss and Miss DeSoto Days Application

Phone: 602-903-0921

8925 Oak Country Ln. De Soto, KS 66018

missdesotodays@yahoo.com



Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Contestant's Full Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Is there a different name used and would like us to use for competition and media posting:

\_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of August 20, 2025 \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/ Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Contact Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list the school you are attending and your year in school as of August 20, 2025:

\_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Contestant's t-shirt size: \_\_\_\_\_ (please indicate Youth or Adult size)

**For our PRINCESS and LITTLE MISS CONTESTANTS ONLY:**

Please complete a sixty-seconds or less bio/ write up for the emcee to read the evening of the Miss De Soto Days Crowning.

*Example: Suzie Tate is the five year old daughter of Joe and Lisa Tate of De Soto. She is the proud big sister to Nathan. Suzie loves to read and is off to a great start as a kindergartener at Starside Elementary. She loves dance and cheer and is currently taking dance at the Happy Feet Dance academy. She is also a Clover Bud with the De Soto Pioneer 4-H and can't wait til she is old enough to show her goat, Henry, at the county fair.*

*I understand in applying for Miss De Soto Days, I am not guaranteed a title. The information provided above is true and accurate and I/we have completed this application to the best of my knowledge. I understand in applying for Princess/ Little Miss De Soto Days, I am not guaranteed a title or a prize package. I also understand that should I be crowned, I am committing to a one-year title and will serve the obligations of Princess/ Little Miss De Soto Days to the best of my ability while representing the organization. I also give permission allowing the De Soto Days Pageant Directors and De Soto Days committee to use any pageant and title related images for promotional use. By signing or typing signature below, I acknowledge I have read and agree to the rules of the De Soto Days pageant.*

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Contestant

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/ Legal Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

Please include contestant photos (2 total), completed/ signed application, \$25 application fee no later than 07/25/2025 to Randi Cole. Required materials can be emailed to [missdesotodays@yahoo.com](mailto:missdesotodays@yahoo.com) or mailed to 8925 Oak Country Ln. De Soto, KS 66018. All materials must be received/ postmarked no later than 07/25/2025.

The \$25 application fee can be sent via VENMO: @Missdesotodays, PLEASE make sure contestant's name is clearly indicated in the Venmo notes. Money Orders or Checks can be made out to Randi Cole but need to be designated as contestants name and Miss De Soto Days in the memo line and mailed to Randi Cole at address listed above.

