



*Miss Gibbsboro Pageant 2023
Celebrating 51 years of Miss Gibbsboro*

Open to Gibbsboro residents between the ages of 13 and 18

June 27th at 7 p.m. at the Senior Recreation Center

Scholarships will be awarded to the top 3 contestants:

1st place \$500

2nd place \$300

3rd place \$200

*The pageant is a wonderful way to become involved in the
community and build your college resume.*

More information is available at the Gibbsboro website

www.gibbsborotownhall.com

You can also contact:


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or

Amy Troxel 856-783-6655 x105

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SHARE 10 FACTS ABOUT YOURSELF...

Thank you for entering the Miss Gibbsboro Pageant. Please complete this fact sheet and return it by 6/16/23 to the Borough Clerk, Amy Troxel, or email it to Sharon Maher at tsmc@comcast.net. Facts can include a variety of things, such as, "I have two brothers and have lived in Gibbsboro all my life," as well as your hobbies and accomplishments.

If you have any questions, call **Sharon Maher at (609) 320-1453**.

NAME _____ AGE _____

ADDRESS _____ (Gibbsboro, NJ)

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

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Answers can be hand-written on this sheet or typed on separate piece of paper.

IMPORTANT THINGS TO KNOW...

1. Arrive at 5:15 p.m. at the Senior Center @ Pole Hill Park on June 27th. Come dressed in your **casual attire** for your interview with the judges. The questions will be very general so just relax and be yourself!
2. You will be judged based on several factors: appearance poise, personality, and speech presentation.
3. Come prepared with a 2-2.5 minute **speech** on your goals and aspirations. Contestants will present their speech at the pageant. You may bring note cards to read from. Here are a few tips for preparing your speech:
 - ❖ Don't rush – speak slowly and clearly.
 - ❖ Take deep breaths, especially if you feel jittery.
 - ❖ Find a friendly face in the audience to make eye contact with, or look at the back wall if faces make you nervous, but remember to look up after every few sentences.
 - ❖ Practice – most people feel nervous when speaking in public, but the more prepared you are, the better!
4. Bring your **formal attire** (gown or dressy dress) to change into for the second half of the pageant. Don't forget a change of shoes and jewelry if that is part of your formal attire.
5. If you have a **flower girl** (ages 4-8) from town that would like to participate, please let us know their name and how to contact them.
6. We encourage all contestants to also participate in the **essay contest** (this is not a requirement).
7. Make sure you have submitted your **fact sheet**. This information will be shared with the judges before your interview, and used by the emcee to introduce you during the pageant. You can submit it by hand to the Borough Hall or by email to tsmc@comcast.net

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