

2026 Henry County Fair Queen Pageant



Lilah Klotz Miranda Reed Lydia DeWolfe
2025 Jr. Miss Henry Co. Fair 2025 Miss Henry Co. Fair 2025 Little Miss Henry Co. Fair

TUESDAY • JUNE 16, 2026

HENRY COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS • CAMBRIDGE IL

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Little Miss Henry County Fair Pageant

Opening Dance Number

Introduction of Judges

Party Dress and Pop Question Competition

Grand March of All Contestants

2025 Little Miss Henry County Fair, Lydia DeWolfe, Farewell Speech

Announcement of Awards and the 2026 Little Miss Henry County Fair & Court

Miss & Jr. Miss Henry County Fair Pageant

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Miss Contestants Gown, Speech and Pop Question Competition

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RJ Miller Hose Solutions
Rock Valley Physical Therapy

Sam and Tori Bair
Schumacher Family
Shabbona Creek RV
The Bassford Team
at RE/ MAX Concepts
The Dance Connection
The Pawlor
Thomas and Katelynn Lynch
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To our 2025 Queens Miranda, Lilah & Lydia

Thank you for all the time, heart, and dedication you gave to your roles while representing the Henry County Fair this past year. We hope the memories, laughter, friendships, and little moments in between stay with you forever. We are so proud of each of you, and no matter where life takes you, you'll always have a place in the Henry County Fair family!

The Henry County Fair Board, Kelli and Crew



2026 Little Miss Henry County Fair Contestants



1. Emmarie Carroll



2. Mallory McVietty



3. Amelia Castaneda



4. Elianna Lynch



5. Lucy Miller



6. Vera DeFauw



7. Haven Davis



8. Nora Springer



9. Isla Blackaby



10. Khloe Rusk



11. Ella Reschke



12. Clara Mueller



13. Bryer Bair



14. Kennady Schumacher



15. Caroline Olson



16. Maggie Frisk

2026 Little Miss Henry County Fair Contestants



17. Abby Robinson



18. Maisyn Carroll



19. Emelia Gengler



20. Haleigh Wurslin



21. Kobi Minnaert



22. Brooklyn Kroll



23. Oakley Werner



2025
Little Miss
Henry County Fair
Lydia DeWolfe

2026 Jr. Miss Henry County Fair Contestants



1. Breckyn Granell



2. Ivie Haptonstall



3. Eden Ebert



4. Amelia Runty



5. Addilyn Houk



6. Abigail Brewer



7. Evelyn Knudtson



8. Grace Dobbeleare



9. Iyla Anderson



10. Peyton Wexell



11. Stella Doonan



12. Ruby Beam



13. Brenna Dykstra



14. Jaela Minnaert



15. Emmery Willaimson



16. Charlie Vandersnick

2026 Jr. Miss Henry County Fair Contestants



17. Haylee Boehler



18. Noelle Ames



19. Korah Klotz



20. Shae Robertson



21. Iris York



22. Charlotte Martin



23. Addison Johnson



24. Iris Mosley



2025

Junior Miss
Henry County Fair

Lilah Klotz

2026 Miss Henry County Fair Contestants



1. Emma Vandever



2. Madelyn Oltman



3. Ryleigh Martin



4. Hayley Rubitsky



5. Addison Little



6. Kailee vonMotz



7. Ellie Doubet



8. Livia Dodd



9. Jolene Blackert



10. Brooklyn Humphrey



11. Isla Disterhoft



12. Makenna Walker

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13. Ella Shannon



14. Maddie Wells



15. Sophia Oltman



16. Reid Simpson



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(* indicates donation of \$200 or more)

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Arcadia Family Fun Center	Little Miss- Lydia DeWolfe
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Current Waves	Schnowske & Sons Trucking, Inc.
Dairy Queen	Scooter's Coffee
*Designs on the Boulevard	Shannon Family
Ebert Farms	Sollenberger Trucking
*Emmy VandeVoorde Memorial	Springfield Armory
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Farmhouse Alterations	State Bank of Toulon
Four Seasons	Studio 131 Photography
Fringe Hair Studio	*Suzanne Vinckel Memorial
*Fritz Mechanical Services	Sweet Peas
Geneseo Community Center	*Terry & Kelli Patton
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Hanford Insurance	The Hair Hutch
*Hazelwood Homes	The Local Motive
*Henry County Fair Association	The Spectrum Pub
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Kristen Granell	

2026 Miss Illinois County Fair Queen

Krista Phillips, the 22-year-old daughter of Glen and Jeni Phillips of Effingham, Illinois, is a recent graduate of the Gies College of Business at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, where she earned her bachelor's degree in Management and Marketing. During her time at UIUC, Krista graduated with high honors, was recognized as a James Scholar, and received the Dean's Scroll award for her leadership, involvement, and impact within the college.

Krista is currently working part-time as a Loyalty Marketing Specialist at J&J Gaming and looks forward to beginning her full-time marketing career there this September, all while continuing to work toward her long-term goal of opening her own small business one day.

As the Miss Illinois County Fair Queen, Krista serves as an employee of the Illinois Department of Agriculture, traveling throughout the state to promote the value of county fairs and the agriculture industry. Her year will take her to dozens of fairs as well as allow her the opportunity to serve as the official hostess of both the Illinois State Fair in Springfield and the DuQuoin State Fair.

Krista feels deeply honored to represent the Illinois County Fair community. With strong roots in her hometown and a deep appreciation for community, faith, and the traditions that bring people together, she is excited and humbled to serve as the 2026 Miss Illinois County Fair Queen. She wishes all the contestants the very best as they compete for the amazing opportunity to represent their county!



FUN AT THE FAIR!

GRANDSTAND EVENTS

WEDNESDAY - Family Night Activities

THURSDAY - Rodeo

FRIDAY - Outlaw Truck & Tractor Pulls

SATURDAY - Demo Derby

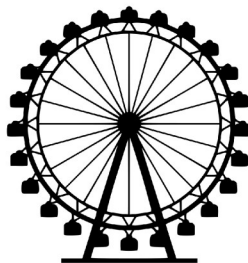
SUNDAY - Back Road Truck & Tractor Pulls

Carnival Rides

Livestock & Horse Shows

Chainsaw Carver

Merchant's Building



Midway Entertainment

Harness Racing

Petting Zoo

Live Entertainment

Former HENRY COUNTY FAIR QUEENS

1960 Glenna Moore
 1961 Katharine Pobanz Fellhauer
 1962 Kathleen Morrissey
 1963 Vickie DeDecker Johnson
 1964 Sue ZimmermanBrown
 1965 Rita Bassier Leslie
 1966 Terry Zimmerman Wyffels
 1967 Sandra Egert Searls
 1968 Barbara Buysse Fecteau
 1969 Patricia Ellsberry
 1970 Bonnie Bolinger
 1971 Patricia Stach Stoner
 1972 Eileen Heck Atwell
 1973 Sue Zumber Holste
 1974 Theresa Colgan Heidrich
 1975 Mary Coughlin Rulle
 1976 Cathy Clucas
 1977 Cherrie Puckett Rosander
 1978 Cathy Sullivan Dana
 1979 Leanne Price Shaw
 1980 Kim Nixon Barnes
 1981 Kelly Crowe Metz
 1982 Jane Doss Bell
 1983 Ann Stanley Dobbels
 1984 Lori Cady Tracey
 1985 Tina Ince Dana
 1986 Teresa Murray Welgat
 1987 Marley Crockett Nacey
 1988 Juliet Vandersnick VanOpdorp
 1989 Jennifer Vrban Kneen
 1990 Dawn Gillespie Bryner
 1991 Lisa Vincent Sumner
 1992 Angela Ericson
 1993 Shannon Gregory Moler
 1994 Vanessa VanHyfte
 1995 Kristina Hanson Misfeldt
 1996 Beth Kuster Sierens
 1997 Tacey Cliff Richmond
 1998 Carissa Lee Minder
 1999 Stephanie Schaecher Hampton
 2000 Donna Wray Sawyer

2001 Amanda Schaecher Schreiber
 2002 Ashley Fehlman Campbell
 2003 Kristen Courtright Granell
 2004 Ashley Maxwell Willer
 2005 Kelsey Vandike Kayess
 2006 Kala Causemaker Ingardona
 2007 Lindsey Patton Croom
 2008 Kendal Cross Kumzi
 2009 Andrea Hemphill Smith
 2010 Jackie Driscoll
 2011 Dana Brock Edwards
 2012 Kaci Storm Vermillion
 2013 Lauren VanDeVelde Stoeckmann
 2014 Maggie Schlindwein Sullivan
 2015 Danielle Strauss Knepp
 2016 Claudia VanOpdorp Neuhalfen
 2017 Becca Fisher Arteberry
 2018 Jamie Franck Dowell
 2019 Sierra Brown Reed
 2021 Katie Noyd
 2022 Mollie Bennett
 2023 Londen Fulks
 2024 Johnna Fulcher

2018 Olivia Goodley
 2019 Londen Fulks
 2021 Bella VanOpdorp
 2022 Emma Motley
 2023 Tessa Courtright
 2024 Camryn Ebert

Former LITTLE MISSES

1991 Crystal Abell
 1992 Sarah Schmoll
 1993 Renee Gradert
 1994 Karissa Nash
 1995 Sarah Abell
 1996 Jessica Goreth
 1997 Kaitlyn Smith
 1998 Alexi Strandberg
 1999 Hannah Larson
 2000 Jade Mariman
 2001 Brittany Hagerty
 2002 Danielle Strouss
 2003 Erica Munsinger
 2004 Claudia VanOpdorp
 2005 Madeline Cathelyn
 2006 Kiersten Cathelyn
 2007 Hannah Johnson
 2008 Kayla Anderson
 2009 Bradleigh Schaefer
 2010 Kammie Ludwig
 2011 Addison Dykstra
 2012 Kennadi Rico
 2013 Olivia Goodley
 2014 Caroline Girten
 2015 Leah Walker
 2016 Macy Anderson
 2017 Reese Shannon
 2018 Faith Kuster
 2019 Jaela Minnaert
 2021 Ivery Hull
 2022 Paisley Williamson
 2023 Berkley Granell
 2024 Owyn Fritz

Former JUNIOR MISSES

2002 Whitney Peterson
 2003 Sarah Abell
 2004 Jackie Driscoll
 2005 Carli Talbott
 2006 Chloe VanOpdorp
 2007 Dana Brock
 2008 Victoria Addis
 2009 Emmy VandeVoorde
 2010 Claudia VanOpdorp
 2011 Allison Meyer
 2012 Jamie Franck
 2013 Lauren Matson
 2014 Hannah Johnson
 2015 Kristen VanDeVelde
 2016 Bradleigh Schaefer
 2017 Carmen Stahl

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 Londen Fulks, Johnna Fulcher, Renae Shannon, Naomi Stahl, Bradleigh Reed, Carmen Stahl
 Dance instructor Ava DeWolfe
 National Anthem Singer Johnna Fulcher
 Interview Location Cambridge United Methodist Church
 Contestant Dinner and Snacks Fareway, Sonya VandeVoorde, Geneseo Donut
 Judges and Crew Lunch The Spectrum Pub
 Judges and Queens Dinner The Combine
 Contestant Headshots Rebecca Jean Photography
 Pageant Day Photographers Studio 131 Photography
 Pageant Day Videographer Thomas Allen
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 Meet the Contestants Cookout Henry County Pork Producers,
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