

Teen Pageant Tea Purpose

The purpose of the Teen Pageant Tea is for the judges to become acquainted with each other and with the contestants. This time is also used by the judges as part of the judging of the contestants on personality and poise.

1. The Teen Pageant Tea should be at _____p.m., but no later than _____p.m.
2. Dress for the Teen Queen contestants is street length dress (gloves optional). Teen King contestants will wear a suit and dress shoes.
3. The contestants will be, introduced by first name and number only.
4. The order of the program should be as follows:
 - a. Seat the invited guests and judges
 - b. Tea Chairperson will welcome everyone
 - c. Emcee introduces the reigning Teen Queen and reigning Teen King (use the Teen King as the Teen Queen's escort)
 - d. Emcee introduces the Teen King contestants in numerical order using their first name only. They will now be used as escorts for the Teen Queen candidates
 - e. Emcee introduces the Teen Queen contestants in numerical order using their first name only. The Teen King contestants escort the Teen Queen contestants to their seats
 - f. Seat the Teen King contestants
 - g. Emcee will introduce invited guests and judges
 - h. Light refreshments will be served
 - i. The State officers and other guests may leave after the formal tea
5. Have the Michigander photographer take pictures of all the contestants as they enter as well as other appropriate pictures. This is for Michigander use and other publicity purposes as needed.