



## **2025 Rhododendron Festival Queens Court**

If you are interested in being chosen for the 2025 Rhododendron Festival Queens Court Program, you must meet the following criteria and submit the following items by mail with a **postmark date of no later than December 23, 2024** to:

Rhody Festival  
c/o Rhody Royalties Coordinator  
PO Box 766  
Port Townsend, WA 98368

All members of the Queens Court must currently be enrolled (or in a homeschool program) in the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade and he or she must reside in East Jefferson County.

Candidates **must submit a one-page essay (4-5 paragraphs) with the application page** that covers the following topics: Please write this as an essay not just answering them as questions

- What does the Rhododendron Festival mean to you?
- Why do you feel you can represent Jefferson County as a Queens Court member?
- Tell us about your hobbies and your family
- What are your ambitions for the future?

**NOTE:** This essay will be read by you during the Rhody Coronation in February.

All applicants for the Queens Court will be notified by phone whether they have been selected as a Queens Court member during the first of January, 2025. A parent/guardian and the Queens Court member **must attend** the parent meeting, which will be held on **January 5<sup>th</sup>**

The Queens Court **must attend** all Rhody Festival events May 14<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> Optional parades may include Sequim Parade May 10<sup>th</sup>, and Quilcene Parade Sept 20<sup>th</sup>. One additional parade on the travel schedule may be selected for the Queens Court to attend.

For questions or clarification, please contact Junior Royalties Coordinator Anita Schmucker (360)301-0311 (call or text) or Lori Morris royalty Coordinator at (360)531-0925 (call or text).

(Keep this page for reference)

(Separate & submit this page with the essay page)

**Rhododendron Festival Queens Court Application**

**\*Complete Application must be postmarked by December 23, 2024**

Applicant Information

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

School/Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of Residency in Jefferson County: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_

Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_