



## MISSION STATEMENT

Our Mission is to provide community leadership, promote cultural awareness, and support educational scholarships relevant to the local community.

### PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CAREFULLY:

Contestants must be between the ages of 16 and 20 and live in Riverside County. Contestants will be helping the Corona Cinco De Mayo Scholarship Committee raise money for the scholarship fund. Scholarships will be awarded in May to graduating seniors of the Corona-Norco Unified School District.

Contestants will raise the funds by obtaining sponsorships of \$50.00 or more from businesses or individuals, selling raffle tickets, or by holding fundraisers. Sponsors will be announced during the fiesta at the City Park Band Shell. Raffle tickets will be provided to the contestants by the Committee to sell at \$1.00 each. Fundraisers must be approved by the Queen Contest Chairperson. Previous fundraising events have included car washes, yard sales, food sales and bake sales.

An orientation meeting will be held on **SUNDAY MARCH 4, 2018 FROM 12:30PM - 2:30PM** at the **JOE DOMINGUEZ AMERICAN LEGION POST 742, 1557 YORBA ST, CORONA, CA.**

The Queen and her court will be announced at the Coronation Dance which will be held on **Saturday April 28, 2018**, at the Joe Dominguez American Legion Post 742. **On Saturday, May 5, 2018**, all eligible contestants will participate in the parade, which begins at 10:00 a.m.

**All eligible contestants** will receive a Certificate of Participation. The young lady who raises the most money for the scholarship fund will be crowned Cinco De Mayo Queen of the Parade and Fiesta. The Queen, 1<sup>st</sup>, and 2<sup>nd</sup> runner-ups will receive a trophy, sash and a bouquet of flowers. The Queen will receive a \$300 cash prize. Throughout the year, the Queen will be representing the Corona Cinco De Mayo Committee at community events.

## QUEEN CONTEST RULES

1. Contestants must be a resident of Riverside County and between the ages of 16 and 20.
2. The Queen Contest will begin on **SUNDAY, MARCH 4, 2018**. Contest information and fundraising material will be distributed on March 12, 2018 at the orientation meeting. If you cannot attend the orientation meeting, but you want to participate, please contact Gina Medina, Queen Contest Chairman at 951-256-6684. Materials will not be provided prior to the orientation meeting.
3. Contestants are liable for the tickets they sell and money collected. The Corona Cinco de Mayo Scholarship Committee has the right to submit a small claims against you and/or your parent/guardian (if you are 17 or under), for any money or materials not turned in.
4. In order to be eligible to participate in the parade and fiesta, each contestant must raise a minimum of **\$300.00 by Thursday, March 15, 2018**.
5. Unethical behavior is a reason for disqualification. All fundraising materials and money must be turned into the committee at the time of disqualification.
6. All money from the sale of the raffle tickets, sponsorships, donations, fundraisers, etc. are the property of the Corona Cinco de Mayo Scholarship Committee.
7. If a contestant is disqualified or withdraws, money cannot be transferred to another contestant's account.
8. Only pre-approved events and methods may be used to raise funds.
9. All checks and money orders should be made payable to the **CORONA CINCO DE MAYO COMMITTEE**.
10. The amount of the check will not be credited to your account until the check has cleared the bank; therefore, submit checks to the Committee Chairman as soon as possible.
11. The contest will end on **FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 2018 AT 6:00 pm**. All tickets and money must be turned in at this time. Any monies turned in after this date will not be credited to your account.

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We/I, the undersigned, have read and understand the contest rules listed above. We/I authorize the Corona Cinco De Mayo Scholarship Committee to use my name, photographs, and information for publicity purpose. We/I, the undersigned, understand that we are responsible for and will repay the Committee for any lost or stolen tickets or money. We/I release the Committee and its members from any responsibility or claim due to personal injuries suffered during the contest. The undersigned agrees to assume all liability and to release and hold harmless the Committee and the City of Corona from and against any loss, damage or injury, which may sustained by any person as a result of participation in this event, and release the Committee and the City of Corona, its elected officials, agents, employees and volunteers from any and all claims for such loss, damage or injury sustained by the undersigned, as an individual or representing the named group.

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**Contestant Signature**

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**Date**

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**Parent/Guardian Signature (if contestant is 17 or under)**

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**Date**

**CORONA CINCO DE MAYO**

**2018 QUEEN CONTEST APPLICATION**

You will be able to apply this event, whether you are crowned Queen or not, to your college applications because your participation is considered community involvement and volunteerism.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School currently attending & grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Currently employed by \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer work (i.e. hospital, church, youth group or any other organizations)

Name of organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

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