



Thursday, June 25, 2026 • 6:00 pm  
SRR Middle School CAC

# 2026

## Official Application Form

The Miss Sauk Rapids Organization invites young women who are incoming 2026 high school juniors or seniors up to age 19 as of the pageant date, who live in the Sauk Rapids or Rice communities or within ISD 47, to apply as a candidate.

### Essay Question:

**“If selected as royalty, how would you use this role to positively impact your school or community?”**

**Application Forms, 1-page Essay, Headshot, and Sponsor Fee must be submitted by:**

**Thursday, June 11**

Mail to:

**Sauk Rapids CAO  
PO Box 643  
Sauk Rapids, MN 56379**

### QUESTIONS?

Please send us an email:  
**SaukRapidsRoyalty@gmail.com**

### SPONSOR FEE: \$300

In addition to submitting your Application Forms, Essay and Headshot, each candidate **MUST** secure a sponsor of her choice who will provide **\$300** for her candidacy.

All business sponsors are acceptable and are not limited to the city of Sauk Rapids. Sponsors also may be family members or any organization providing financial support. You also can have more than one sponsor sharing the fee.

**Checks can be made out to SRCAO.**

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

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Fall 2026 (Check one): Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_

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

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ T-shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

*(Please write legibly using a pen!)*

### I understand my candidacy...

- will be scored in the areas of: Interview (50 pts), Evening Gown/Poise/ Personality Projection (20 pts), Impromptu On Stage Question (10 pts) and Essay (30 pts).
- will involve travel within the area for which I will provide my own transportation to and from locations unless other accommodations are provided. I release SRCAO and its Leadership Team from all liability as a result of my candidacy.
- will involve my name, photos and live video to be published in promotional materials and on the Sauk Rapids River Days website as it relates to the Miss Sauk Rapids Pageant and Rapids River Days.
- is to represent myself as a positive role model which will continue if I am crowned. I understand I also will have to abide by the contract of the SRCAO Program.

Please list any medical conditions, allergies, or special accommodations the organization should know about:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Print your name)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Your Signature)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Date)*

*If under 18, your Parent/Guardian also must sign below, giving consent to participate in all activities, travels and coronation performances, allowing name, photographs and video to be used in publications and on the Rapids River Days website for related advertisements and promotions.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Parent/Guardian Signature)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Date)*



# Miss Sauk Rapids Program Rules & Regulations

*(Please read all content and sign last page.)*

Welcome to the Miss Sauk Rapids Program (aka Sauk Rapids Community Ambassador Organization or SRCAO). We are pleased to have you take part in our Candidate Program. As a candidate and/or title holder you must abide by the following Rules and Regulations.

## ***Rules & Regulations:***

- Candidate must live in the Sauk Rapids or Rice communities or within the Independent School District #47 and must positively represent the community of Sauk Rapids for the duration of her participation and/or reign. (Special circumstances may apply).
- If Candidate is less than 18 years of age, she must have a parent or legal guardian approval to participate.
- Candidate must never have been married. If presently engaged, the wedding cannot take place before the Program or her Reign has been completed. Candidate's relationship status must not distract from candidate sessions and activities.
- Candidate must not have been pregnant prior to or be pregnant during the Miss Sauk Rapids program, activities, pageant, and/or any time during her reigning year; ALL titles, scholarships, sponsorships and awards will be forfeited.
- Candidate must not engage in any illegal or inappropriate use or consumption of alcohol, tobacco, drugs or controlled substances. Any use will result in disqualification from the pageant/reign and ALL titles, scholarships, sponsorships and awards will be forfeited. When representing the Miss Sauk Rapids Organization, use of tobacco will not be permitted.
- Candidate will conduct herself in an appropriate manner at all times, especially while representing the Miss Sauk Rapids Organization, pageant, her sponsor(s) or the Sauk Rapids community. Candidate must refrain from using vulgar language and displaying inappropriate behavior. Disqualification may result from poor representation.
- Candidate must make every effort to attend all scheduled functions of the Miss Sauk Rapids Organization. Consider this a commitment and make arrangements ahead of time with work, sports activities, etc. Candidate will need to discuss any planned absence with the Miss Sauk Rapids Leadership Team. Disqualification may result from frequent tardiness, forgetfulness, poor attitude and/or early departures.
- Candidate must furnish her own wardrobe which includes a gown, professional interview attire, black cocktail dress for her on-stage introduction, and black leggings for the opening dance number.
- Candidate will be scored for overall presentation of herself to the Miss Sauk Rapids Organization selection panel and its mission. Candidate understands and agrees that the Organization shall determine the manner and method in conducting the Pageant in its sole discretion. Candidate further understands and agrees that the Organization shall also determine the time, method, and manner of judging the Pageant and selecting the Miss Sauk Rapids titleholders. The decision of the judges is final and cannot be contested.
- Candidate selection categories are: Interview, Evening Gown/Poise/Personality Projection, Essay, and Impromptu on-stage question.

***Rules & Regulations (continued):***

- Title holder must be available to make numerous post-pageant appearances during her reign including the tasks of fundraising, float building and decorating, organizing community service projects, and assisting with festival and pageant planning, as needed and requested. The Miss Sauk Rapids Organization also requests the family members of the title holder to participate during her reigning year in activities such as parades, fundraisers and community events.
- Candidate must be conscientious of social media and the image she portrays. This pertains to inappropriate language and images such as partying and intimate relations. The Miss Sauk Rapids Organization prohibits its candidates and title holders from speaking on behalf of the organization unless approved by the Director.

***Disqualification:***

Violation of any rule will be grounds for disqualification from the Miss Sauk Rapids Organization in all aspects. If any officer of the law finds a candidate in violation of an alcohol or controlled substance law, the candidate will be disqualified from the Miss Sauk Rapids Organization in all aspects. Any pregnancy will result in disqualification from the Miss Sauk Rapids Organization in all aspects. The Miss Sauk Rapids Leadership Team will make all final decisions.

***I UNDERSTAND THIS IS A BINDING AGREEMENT. I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE MISS SAUK RAPIDS ORGANIZATION RULES & REGULATIONS AND WILL ABIDE BY THEM.***

Candidate Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Organization Director: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

