



# Texas GATORFEST

P. O. Box R - Anahuac, Texas 77514

Dear Parents and Applicants,

Welcome to the Texas GATORFEST 2016 Mr. And Miss Gator Tot Pageant! We are very excited about this year's pageant and appreciate your participation. Our goal is to provide a venue in which the encouragement and development your child's natural abilities and talents, can be presented in a positive and enriching atmosphere. We hope that this will be a fun and meaningful experience for your child and you. The winners of all of the pageants, including the Mr. And Miss Gator Tot pageant, serve as ambassadors for Texas GATORFEST, the Anahuac Area Chamber of Commerce, the Anahuac area and Chambers County.

Attached is a Rules and Information Sheet and an Application for Entry and Personal Data / Bio Sheet. The information you provide on this sheet will be given to the judges to review before the pageant in order to familiarize themselves with the contestants, and also, some or all of this information may be read or presented at the pageant. Consider this information an outline of what you plan to reveal about yourself as a contestant during the pageant. Please read completely the Rules and Information Sheet. Complete the Application for Entry and Personal Data / Bio Sheet and return it along with your entry fee.

Thank you again for your participation! We look forward to working with you during the pageant and festival. If you have any questions, feel free to call at one of the numbers listed below, or, you may contact the festival office at 409/267-4190.

Sincerely,

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**Texas GATORFEST 2016**  
Friday, September 16 thru Sunday, September 18, 2016  
Fort Anahuac Park - Anahuac, Texas

## **MR. & MISS GATOR TOT INFORMATION & RULES**

- Deadline For Entries:** August 12, 2016 before 5:00 p.m.  
(In the event an entry arrives after the deadline, the applicant will be notified and the entry fee returned. No entry fee will be refunded for cancellations or no shows.)
- Date of Contest:** Saturday, September 10, 2016
- Location of Contest:** Anahuac ISD Auditorium
- Contest Time:** 9:00 a.m. - Contestants required to be dressed and check in between 8:15 and 8:30 a.m.
- Check In:** All contestants should arrive to check in, fully dressed, no later than 8:30 a.m. contestants will line up at 8:45 a.m. Contestants showing up at 8:45 or later will be considered a no-show. Application fees will not be refunded - no exceptions. Only one parent/guardian allowed back stage with contestant.
- Entry Fee:** \$40.00 due upon receipt of application, made payable to Texas GATORFEST
- Photo:** Please contact Kellye with Beloved Creations at 713/806-9315 to schedule your appointment. Deadline for photos is Wednesday, August 17, 2016.
- Elegibility:** Applicant is a Chambers County resident, or at least one of applicant's parents (mother or father) is a Chambers County resident ages 9 months to 24 months, as of September 1, 2016. Limited to the first 15 boy applicants and the first 15 girl applicants.
- Dress:** Pageant wear.
- Contestant Rules:**
1. Contestants will be dressed for judging and in line before 8:45 a.m. **ONLY ONE (1)** parent or representative will be allowed backstage in the contestant line up area and on stage with the contestant.
  2. The decision of the judges will be final.
  3. Sponsor fees are not refundable.
  4. Good sportsmanship is required at all times. Contestants, their parents and or representatives agree to work with GATORFEST volunteers and staff in a positive manner. Any contestant, their parent(s) or representative exhibiting an unprofessional, unsportsmanlike or unethical code of conduct will result in contestant being asked to leave the pageant and forfeit their entry fee.
  5. The winner of the Texas Gatorfest Mr. & Miss Gator Tot Contest may not compete for another title in any other pageant during their reign.
  6. The contest winner(s) agree by their submission of entry that if they will be available for festival appearances on all the days of the festival: Friday, September 16 through Sunday, September 18, 2016 at times to be specified at a later date by festival and pageant officials.
  7. By submitting this application, each contestant, their parent(s) or representative agrees to abide by the rules of Texas GATORFEST and the Mr. and Miss Gator Tot Pageant. Applicant also by submission of their application assumes all risk of property or bodily injury (including death), which might occur during their participation. Applicant also agrees to hold the Anahuac Area Chamber of Commerce d.b.a. Texas GATORFEST 2016 harmless from any claim of any nature arising from their participation and or performance.



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## MR. & MISS GATOR TOT APPLICATION FOR ENTRY AND PERSONAL DATA / BIO

(Entry Deadline: Friday, August 12, 2016 before 5:00 p.m.)

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Nickname (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ T-Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant wishes to be a contestant in:  Mr. Gator Tot  
 Miss Gator Tot

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_, Texas Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent (s)'s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Daytime - \_\_\_\_\_ Night - \_\_\_\_\_

### Additional Personal Data / Bio:

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

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

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

Pets: Type of Animal: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Animal: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Food: \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Movie or Cartoon: \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Song: \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Toy: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

By submission of this entry, I do hereby give my consent as parent of the above listed minor to participate in the Mr. and Miss Gator Tot Pageant. I also do hereby allow the Anahuac Area Chamber of Commerce, dba; Texas GATORFEST to use any photograph or information submitted with this application, or any photograph taken before, during or after the contest for publicity or as they deem necessary. My signature below signifies that I have read the Texas GATORFEST Mr. and Miss Gator Tot Pageant Rules and agree to abide by them.

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