



Candidacy & Title Rules

Candidate Title Bond Amounts:

- King, Queen, and Xeen of PFLAGSC - \$100.00
- Prince, Princess, and Princet- \$70.00
- Mr., Miss, Ms., and Mx PFLAG Spokane Prides - \$50.00
- Duke, Duchess & Duchet- \$40.00

Candidate Bonds are Non-Refundable

All Titles will be voted upon through an Application and Competition process

Candidacy:

- All Candidates must fill out and turn in an application if they wish to fulfill a fundraising opportunity for their community.
- All Candidates that pass the application process, will be given an opportunity in the competition.
- Bonds are due one month before each Pageant, at that time your fundraiser begins.
- All Candidates will be required to have a Candidate Fundraiser. The Candidate will be required to raise at least half of their Bond.
- Fundraisers can include and are not limited to Raffles, Sponsorships, Auction Baskets, and Raffle Baskets. Honestly, anything to raise money legally. Feel free to reach out to the Board of Directors with any questions!
- The Prince, Princess, and Princet do not have to do a fundraiser, just pay the bond.
- All Title holders must be at least 21 years of age, except the Duke, Duchess, or Duchet Titles, who may be 18+.
- All Title holders can be removed from their position, at any time, by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Board of Directors.
- All Title holders must abide by and follow PFLAGSC's Code of Conduct and Conflict of Interest policy.
- PFLAG understands that life does happen if something Occurs you must give the Board of Directors a (24) twenty-four-hour notice. It will be voted on by the board to excuse the absence or not. You may have to do additional events to make up for excused absences. If you are unexcused, you will be removed from your title.

Competition:

A. Judges Interview/ Q&A

B. Evening Wear

PFLAGSC – King, Queen, and Xeen – Show Your Glitz and Glam

PFLAGSC – Prides – Show Your Pride

PFLAGSC – Duke, Duchess, and Duchet – Show Your Love for the Community

C. Entertainment / Lip-sync Preference

a. Judges will vote 1-10 on a scorecard for each Section, and the Candidate with the overall highest accumulated points from all sections will be the winner.

1) The Board of Directors will choose the judges for each pageant.

2) The Candidate that raised the most from their tips, shall receive five (5) bonus points.

3) The Candidate that raised the Second most from their tips, shall receive three (3) bonus points.

4) The Candidate that raised the most money in the Fundraising portion will receive seven (7) bonus points.

· Titles shall Include: Mx, Mr., Ms., or Miss

· **PFLAG Spokane King, Prince, Mr. Pride, and Duke:**

§ These are Male presenting titles. These Titles shall receive a Crown and Medallion, for the Title holder to keep, after fulfilling their responsibilities.

· **Queen, Princess, Miss Pride, Ms. Pride, and Duchess:**

§ These are Female presenting titles. These Titles shall receive a Crown and Medallion, for the Title holder to keep, after fulfilling their responsibilities.

· **Xeen, Princet, MX Pride, and Duchet:**

§ These are gender-neutral presenting titles.

These Titles shall receive a Crown and Medallion, for the Title holder to keep, after fulfilling their responsibilities.

· For the Highest Titles, King & Queen, respectfully, there shall only be two (2) finalists that accept either position.

○ Except for Xeen or a mixture of the two, will be allowed.

-PFLAG Spokane Prides-

-Requirements-

1. Responsible for **Two (2)** Supporting, Educating, or Advocating events for Spokane's 18+ LGBTQ+ Community.
2. Responsible for **Two (2)** fundraisers within your year.
 - **\$800.00** Each split 50% to the General Fund and 50% to the Scholarship Fund.
3. If you want to get sponsorships for your step-down you may. Income will go towards a Program or anything else you would like.
 - Your Step down is in May.
 - You May jointly give out One Helen Bonser Award.
 - Find your Successor.
4. You will be introduced as His, Hers, Their, and Royal Highness at all events and functions.
5. Must attend all General Membership Meetings and Events listed Below.

Events You Must Attend:

- **May-** PFLAG Pride Pageant
 - **June-** Pride in Spokane, (Help with tabling and float)
Pride Cruise, CDA Lake (Have fun talking about PFLAG)
Pride in Perry (Help with Tabling)
 - **August-** Spokane Pride- Murder Mystery Party
 - **December-** PFLAG's Annual Holiday Show
 - **January-** PFLAG Duke, Duchess, and Duchet Pageant.
- **PFLAG Will Pay for Murder Mystery & Pride Cruise ****

Please Sign _____ Date _____



PFLAG Spokane Pride Application

Legal Name: _____

Performance Name: _____

Title Running For: _____

Address: _____

Contact Number: _____

Email: _____

Facebook: _____

If you would like please send in a Introduction Video (5 Min Max) (No Drag Needed). Introduced yourself tell us a little about you.

Please Answer at least (2) two Questions Below in your video

1. What do you wish to accomplish in the community?
2. How do you represent your community?
3. How Can you Represent PFLAG?
4. What ideas can you bring to raise money?

If you do not want to send in an introduction video please answer all 4 questions on a separate piece of paper.

Have you been convicted of a felony in the past 10 years? Yes__No__

If Yes please explain, _____

Code of Conduct

All title holders shall abide by the following guidelines and policies. As members of PFLAG Spokane, you were automatically considered a public figure and community leader. Your actions and words carry weight of responsibility, respect, dignity, and support for the LGBTQ+ community and other marginalized communities.

1. **Personal Behavior-** All title holders are expected to adhere to reasonable behavior that uphold our vision, values, and mission. Any opinions or actions should be supportive, not combative, threatening, or demanding in any way. All statements made in public forum, are subject to review by the Board of Directors in regards to the code of conduct. This includes social media, personal pages on Facebook or similar platforms.
2. **Compliance-** all title holders must agree to the code of conduct. If the board is contacted by any person or entity with evidence of a violation of the code of conduct, the board will call a meeting to discuss accusations with the person in question and then deliberate on an appropriate response to the situation. Based on the outcome of an investigation of an incident of noncompliance of the code of conduct may result in being asked to step down, temporary suspension, or permanent suspension.
3. **Respect For Others-** title holders will respect the dignity of the community. Statements that are considered homophobic, trans phobic, hetero phobic, sexist, or racist against any community, or its members may be considered a breach of the code of conduct and actions may be taken against the individual.

Please Sign Application if you agree to the terms.

Sign: _____ Date: _____

Print: _____