

Six compete for Miss Clatsop title

Nine teens face off for outstanding youth

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Six young women are vying for the titles of Miss Clatsop County and Miss North Coast.

The women, two of them from Warrenton, will compete Feb. 29 at the 2020 Miss Clatsop County Scholarship Program at Seaside Convention Center.

In addition to the Miss Clatsop County and Miss North Coast titles, nine teenagers will compete for Clatsop County Outstanding Teen and North Coast Outstanding Teen.

The scholarship program is the official preliminary competition for the Miss Oregon pageant and is part of the Miss America organization, the world's leading scholarship provider for women.

The women who will compete for Miss Clatsop County will show off a variety of talents from dance to singing to drama. Each will get an opportunity to speak and answer questions about issues that are important to them.

MISS CONTESTANTS

Madison Kadera, 19, of Warrenton, a student at Clatsop Community College. Her platform is positive role models for young athletes and she'll do a monologue for her talent portion.

Riley Mitchell, 18, of Warrenton, a student at Astoria High School. She'll speak out for women in business and her talent is singing.

Haylie Moon, 24, of Seaside, a University of Portland graduate. Her platform is "Speak up, Reach out," and her talent is lyrical dance.

Nicole Ramsdell, 18, of Astoria, a student at Astoria High School. She'll talk about STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) involvement and her talent is guitar and vocal.

Caitlin Hillman, 18, of Seaside, a student at Seaside High School. Her platform is impacting adverse childhood experiences and her talent is lyrical dance.

Riley Mae Gardner, 19, of St. Helens, a student at Portland Community College. Her issue is the youth homelessness crisis and she'll present a monologue for the talent portion.

TEEN CONTESTANTS

Savana Pedraza, 13, of Hammond. She is a student at Warrenton Grade School who's interested in water safety and will perform a lyrical dance.

Aliciyah Miguel - Cloninger, 13, of Astoria. She is a student at Astoria High School who will advocate for overcoming anxiety through dance. She'll perform a lyrical dance.

Emmy Huber, 15, of Astoria. She attends Astoria High and is interested in STEM education. Her talent is theatrical vocals.

Josie Morinville, 15, of Knappa, a student at Astoria High School. Her platform

Miss Clatsop County Pageant

- Saturday, Feb. 29
- Seaside Civic & Convention Center, 415 First Ave.
- Admission is \$15 online through Brown Paper Tickets or \$20 at the door.
- Info: 503-717-3501

is achieving dreams despite disability. She'll perform a jazz dance.

Gracie Weaver, 15, of Seaside, a student at Seaside High School. Her topic is asthma awareness and her talent is vocals.

Brooke Blankenorn, 17, of Seaside, a student at Seaside High. She'll talk about drug and alcohol prevention and sing for her talent performance.

Annabelle Long, 17, of Seaside. A student at Seaside High, she's a promoter of Internet safety and her talent is singing.

Milly McCalmon, 13, of Clatskanie, a student of Clatskanie Middle School. Her platform is Tourette's Syndrome awareness and her talent will be a tumbling/dance routine.

Sidney Sullivan, 13, of St. Helens, a student at St. Helens Middle School. She'll talk about promoting physical fitness in schools. Her talent is jazz dance.

A benefit dinner will be held the night before the pageant. Tickets for that are \$50 and include a \$25 reserved ticket to the show Saturday night.



Madison Kadera



Riley Mitchell



Haylie Moon



Caitlin Hillman



Nicole Ramsdell



Riley Gardner



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