

2016 Barbour County Fair Queen Contestant Full Bios



Brianna Williams is the 17 year old daughter of James and Connie Williams of Belington. She is 5'6" tall and has brown eyes and brown hair. She is a Senior at Philip Barbour High School where she is an honor roll student, student council representative, and a member of the cross country, track and basketball teams. She was a part of the 2013 cross country State Championship team.

Brianna describes herself as outgoing, hardworking and responsible. She lists her hobbies as hanging out with friends and family, running and shopping. She attends Talbot United Methodist Church and is a member of the Barbour County Softball League.

Brianna plans to attend Fairmont State University to become a Physical Therapist and after receiving her degree, she wants to practice in the local area. Brianna lists her favorite things about Barbour County as: All of the history our county contains, as well as this county is small enough that you know people by their names and everyone seems to be like family.

The reason Brianna lists as why she should be Miss Barbour County are: "I would be able to be a positive role model. I am outgoing, responsible and hardworking. I have the desire to meet more people to tell them about our county and what the Barbour County Fair has to offer."

Briana's sponsors are Ryan's Recker Services, Kaiser's Coffey and Candy, and the Belington Clinic.



Savannah Marie Webster is 5'7" tall and has brown eyes and brown hair. She is a senior at Philip Barbour where she is a 3 year letterman in varsity softball and received honorable mention for the all-conference softball team. The daughter of Shirley Webster and the late Richard Webster of Philippi, she lists her hobbies as softball, basketball, hunting, fishing and archery.

Three words to describe Savannah are determined, athletic and kind hearted. She is a member of the Teens for Christ Church, has volunteered for the holiday soup kitchen, with Energy Express and at the local nursing homes. She also is an assistant coach for the Barbour County girl's softball league.

Upon graduation, Savannah plans to obtain a scholarship for softball to a local college, and to major in sports medicine or physical therapy. Her favorite thing about Barbour County is that it is a small community with people who are kind and caring and she likes the down home feeling of living here. She also enjoys the beauty of the mountains and the rivers.

Savannah feels she should be the next Miss Barbour County because she would give all that she has to represent Barbour County. "I would like to make a difference in our county and I would be a positive representative of our fair and of Barbour County."

The sponsors for Savannah are: Reeds Wild Game Processing, All Seasons Realty, Barbour Chiropractic Center, the Barbour Democrat, Dingess Lumber, The Floral Mix, Gold N Guns Pawn Shop, Talbott Funeral Home, Holbert Farms, Bulls Eye Sports, Ryan's Repair, Crystal Moss at Classic Cuts, Barbour County Bank, B &D Hamburgers, Diane's Restaurant, Hot Dog Hut, Dave's Heating & Plumbing, Perfectly Pampered Salon, Victory Excavating, Kiser's Coffee & Candy, and Shelton's Barber Shop.



Allison Villers is the daughter of Jonathan and Koreen Villers of Philippi. This 20 year old is a junior at Alderson Broaddus University where she is on the dean's list. She is a member of the co-ed cheerleading squad, vice president of the mission team and Lambda Sigma Phi, and took 6th place at the Cheersport Nationals.

Standing 5'4 with brown eyes and red hair, Allison describes herself as outgoing, passionate and genuine. She is a member of the Philippi Baptist Church, a volunteer for Energy Express, a volunteer at Heart and Hand and participated in a mission trip to Nicaragua. Her hobbies are cheerleading, running, outdoor activities and spending time with family.

Upon graduation Allison plans to pursue a career in elementary education. Her favorite thing about Barbour County is the people. "The people here are a big family. They cheer everyone on as we pursue our dreams and celebrate when we achieve them." Allison believes she should be the next Miss Barbour County because "I truly love being from Barbour County and as this year's theme says "Hometown Heroes", that is what I aspire to be. To be an example to all who will be watching me and to make proud all those who have come before me."

Allison's sponsors are Libby Moats, Gerald Fogg, Mullens and Mullens Law, Henderson's Pizzeria, Ashley Mittlemeir, Perfectly Pampered Salon, HJD Innovations, Joy Evix in memory of Bud Evix and the Villers family.



Leah Seaman is a Senior at Philip Barbour High School where she is Student Council Vice President, National Honor Society President, FBLA Historian, a member of the girls basketball team, winner of the Young Writers Award for 9th and 10th grade, third place winner of public speaking at the state FBLA conference, attended the Governor's school for the Arts and the Governor's Honor Academy.

The 17 year old daughter of Ruston and Donna Seaman of Philippi, Leah is 5'10" and has green eyes and blond hair. She lists her hobbies as drawing, painting, traveling, reading, exercising, telling jokes and hanging with friends.

The three words to describe Leah are spirited, cheerful and adventurous. She is a member of the Blue and Gray Community choir and the People's Chapel praise team. Upon graduation Leah plans to attend Shepherd University and be in the honor's program pursuing a degree in art and communication. She also plans to study abroad at some point.

Leah's favorite thing about Barbour County is: "this is a beautiful community and in addition, the people who live here can always be relied upon to pull together and support each other through hard times, AND because it is home to the best ice cream place in West Virginia!"

Leah lists this as the reason she should be the next Miss Barbour County: "I am truly thankful for this community and the impact it has had on my life. Being able to represent it would give me the chance to help others think positively about Barbour County and allow me to express my gratitude for all that it has done for me."

Leah's sponsors are: Advanced Auto, New Vision Renewable Energy, Country Blooms, Peoples Chapel, Cvechko Insurance Service, Perfectly Pampered Salon, Sports-N-Spokes, Hank's

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Sydney Rae Wright is the 17 year old daughter of Barbara Bowers Wright of Philippi and Andy Wright of Charleston. She is 5'6" tall and has blue eyes and blonde hair. A senior at Philip Barbour, Sydney is a three year member of "the Pride of Barbour County" the Philip Barbour band, a three year member of the tennis team, 2016 Big 10 runner up in singles tennis, three year honor roll student, 2016 Maid of Honor at Philip Barbour Winterfest, and 2016 Junior Princess at the PBHS Prom.

Sydney lists the three words to describe herself as confident, optimistic and outgoing. Her hobbies are running, swimming, photography, shopping, hanging out with friends, listening to music and baking. She has been a life guard at the Philippi City Pool for 2 years and is a volunteer at the Barbour County Good Samaritan Center.

Upon graduation, Sydney plans to attend college and pursue a career in the medical field. Her favorite thing about Barbour County is "being brought up here has given me a lot of good memories. I have always felt safe and loved and I have a sense of pride that this is a community that pulls together in hard times. This has ultimately made a difference in my character."

Sydney feels she should be the next Miss Barbour County because “I would represent Barbour County with not only pride but with good character. I would be committed to working hard to give back to this wonderful community I call home. With my outgoing personality, I would strive to be a role model to the citizens and would feel privileged to hold the title of your fair Queen.”

Sponsors for Sydney are: Sunrise Construction Company, Wilson Auto and License Service, Cvechko Insurance, Tiffani Green at Studio White Oak, Walnut Hill Farm, Tina Johnson, Dr Cecil and Kelly Holbert, Carolyn Waddell and Tommy, Kristy, Mikhela and Brock Freeman.