

Ebensburg PotatoFest Miss Tater /Mr. Tot

CONTEST REGISTRATION FORM

EVENT DATE: September 26, 2009 @ 12:00 PM in Penn Eben Park



(Please Print Clearly)

Child's Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Age (on 9/26/09) _____

Parent's Name(s) _____

Street Address _____ City _____

Phone # _____ Email address (Optional) _____

_____ Group # 1 (Girls Age 1-3yrs) _____ Group # 2 (Boys Age 1-3yrs)

Children in groups #1 and #2 will be judged on personality and overall appearance. Potato theme costumes/ outfits are HIGHLY encouraged.

_____ Group #3 (Girls Age 4-7yrs) _____ Group #4 (Boys Age 4-7yrs)

Since we know these little spuds are full of personality...**NEW THIS YEAR...**TATER TALENT. Children in groups #3 and #4 will be asked to show a type of talent. It can be anything from singing to reading a poem he or she wrote about potatoes. Be creative. (The talent is not to exceed 3 minutes, including set-up and take down. If there is a prop or instrument involved in the talent, the child must be able to carry it on stage by him or herself.)

*** BIO: Please attach a separate sheet of paper with a bio of your child. In 30-50 words, please write what you would like read to the crowd. You may want to include: name, age, parents, hometown, activities or any other facts; if in groups #3 or #4 please list talent.

I give my child, _____, permission to participate in the Miss Tater/Mr. Tot contest and release photorights to EABC.

HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT- Participants and their sponsors release and hold harmless the facility that is being used, sponsors, owners, managers, merchants association, agents servants and employees of PotatoFest, the Borough of Ebensburg, the County of Cambria and Ebensburg Area Business Commission from all responsibility, personal liability, loss or damage, theft, fire, loss of life, personal injury and/or damage to property that may arise or occur to participant and their sponsors, his employees, agents, servants, associates, goods, property or public and from any conditions whatsoever that may arise while the premises are in use, during show hours or when closed after show hours. The PotatoFest committee reserves the right to accept or reject any applications. We reserve the right to remove participants and their sponsors if agreements or rules are not complied with and whose conduct is not acceptable. Misrepresentation on part of the participant or their sponsors in any form will result in cancellation of participation agreement and total loss of fee. Entry constitutes an agreement that participant and his representative take no legal action against any of the above. This agreement entered into, in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Parent/guardian signature

_____ \$5.00 check enclosed with registration. Due to time restrictions, we will only be accepting a limited amount of participants. They will be entered on a first come, first entered basis. Please turn in your application early to insure placement and proper event organization. Thank you.

Checks Payable to: EABC

Mail to: EABC, 300 West High Street, Ebensburg, PA 15931

Information Contact: Melissa Garrity at (814)243-4325

Ebensburg PotatoFest is sponsored by the Ebensburg Area Business Commission and Main Street Partnership.

www.potatofest.com

MISS TATER/MR.TOT CONTEST INFORMATION (Please read carefully)

Event Date: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2009

Judging Begins at 12:00 PM



Location

This year's contest will be held in the new Penn Eben Park. It is located at the corner of West High Street and Julian Street (across from the Ebensburg Borough Building and Ebensburg Bedding).

Registration

Due to time restrictions, we will only be accepting a limited amount of participants. They will be entered on a first-come, first-entered basis. Please turn in your application early to guarantee placement and proper event organization.

Obtain registration form on-line at www.potatofest.com or after 8/15/09 you can pick up a form at: 300 West High Street, Ebensburg or AmeriServ Financial, Ebensburg

Mail completed form along with \$5 check to: Ebensburg PotatoFest, 300 West High Street, Ebensburg, PA 15931

Rules

Children must be within the age categories and the correct group as of September 26, 2009.

Only one parent may accompany child on stage.

Spectators will be allowed to view judging but MUST remain in spectator area.

Bottles or small toys are allowed during judging however strollers and other personal belongings should remain with someone in the spectator area.

Children need to stay within an arm's length of their parent at all times.

Judging

On Saturday, September 26, 2009 bring your child to the registration area at Penn Eben Park between 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM. Judging begins at 12:00 PM sharp in the gazebo in Penn Eben Park.

Judges are impartial and do their best. Judging children is not easy because they are all adorable.

Awards Presentation

Each child will receive an entry prize.

After a brief judging period, the emcee will call by number three contestants from Group 1. Please come to the stage quickly if your number is called. There are awards for 3rd, 2nd, and 1st place. 1st place winners will receive a \$50 savings bond from AmeriServ Financial. Groups 2, 3 and 4 will follow with the same procedures.

Only 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners from each group will need to stay for pictures after the contest.

*****Please remember to dress your child comfortably. This event will take place outdoors.*****