

Application for the ETBA Queen and Ambassador Program

Name

Birthday

Parents Names

Siblings and their ages

Physical and Mailing Address

Email Address for Yourself and Parents

Home Telephone Number

Cell Phone Numbers for Yourself if applicable

Cell Phone Numbers for your Parents

Do You Have a Current Driver's License?

Do You have use of a car?

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Can you have a driver to presentations when required?

School Information:

Name of School / Homeschooled?

What Subjects do you prefer?

What is your grade point average?

What is Your Grade Level Currently?

What type of career would you like to pursue?

What is your dream or ambition in life?

Community Involvement:

Do you volunteer for any organizations? Any Church groups? Please list them.

Describe your community involvement.

Do you have access to a computer?

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Will you commit to writing an article for our monthly newsletter?

Home Life:

What responsibilities do you have at home?

Do you currently cook?

Do you enjoy cooking?

Will you be willing to bring a recipe made with honey to an occasional meeting?

How did you become interested in beekeeping?

Have you taken a beekeeping course?

Who was your instructor?

How long have you been keeping bees?

How many hives do you have?

Do you work them yourself?

What are your experiences speaking in front of a group?

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How would you respond to positive and/or useful comments that are given by a more experienced beekeeper?

How would you respond to inappropriate comments from peers or the public?

How do you think you can influence others you come in contact with about the wonders and importance of the honey bee?

Why do you want to participate in the Queen/Ambassador Program?

All presentations and appearances are to be approved and scheduled by the Queen/Ambassador Committee (referred to as The Committee). Anyone who wishes to have you speak or interact with his or her group should be directed to email or telephone the Committee Chairperson.

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Even when you are not wearing your prescribed uniform you are representing ETBA. Because of the publicity you receive, your picture and the information enclosed on the brochure, and your commitment to represent ETBA you are expected to always behave and speak in a professional manner.

You will be given and asked to fill out an expense sheet so ETBA can reimburse you for your expenses. ETBA requires receipts of expenditures. The current car expense is reimbursed at \$.51/mile. These should be submitted to the Committee Chairperson for approval before giving to the club Treasurer for reimbursement.

Dress and Personal Protocol:

We ask that you dress appropriately and conservatively at all times when representing The East Texas Beekeeper's Association. Avoid things that will detract from your presentation.

We ask you to present yourself as a wholesome professional young man/lady by following the request below:

- Young ladies wear dresses and skirts knee length or below, wear pants or skirts that are not skin tight, low cut blouses are not acceptable.
- Young men wear Khaki pants and a Collared Polo Shirt
- Have no visible tattoos or body piercings other than the earlobe.
- Young men wear your fingernails naturally, clipped and clean
- Young ladies wear your nails and toes naturally and not as a fashion statement, nude polish is acceptable.
- Wear comfortable and conservative closed toe shoes that are easy to move in.

Requirements of a Honey Queen/Princess/Ambassador:

- **Write an Article for the Monthly Newsletter and have it to the Chairperson one day prior to the Editor's due date.**
- **Attending Monthly Club meetings and arrive early to help with setup.**
- **Bring a dish made with honey.**
- **Give a verbal report about your Presentations, and/or care and conditions of your hives, or report on any bee articles you have read.**

*** Do you, to the best of your ability, agree to follow the above dress code and requirements set forth by the Royal Court Program Committee for the East Texas Beekeepers Association?**

_____ **Date**

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Information regarding your application:

Members of the Royal Court Committee will interview you. You will be asked to share your basic knowledge about the honey bee.

Applications should be received no later than November 3rd, 2016.

**Mail to: Barbara Farguson, Chairperson
8422 FM 1615
Athens, TX 75752**

OR

Email to: etbaroyalcourt@gmail.com

Your interview has been set up for November _____ at

Location _____