



SPOKANE LILAC FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION LILAC ROYALTY CANDIDATE/ROYAL COURT SELECTION CRITERIA

Each Spokane County High School is invited to present one senior girl for participation in the SLFA High School Lilac Royalty Scholarship Program. Selection of the high school student is decided upon individually at each school. Senior girls must meet the following criteria before becoming a school's Lilac Royalty Candidate.

Lilac Royalty Candidate/Court Requirements:

- Be a woman
- Be at least sixteen(16) years old and not have reached her twentieth (20th) birthday by January 1 of the upcoming year.
- In their senior year of high school, on track to graduate in the spring of the current academic year.
- Currently reside in Spokane County and agree to continue residing in Spokane County until Graduation from high school.
- Currently have at least a 3.0 cumulative unweighted GPA, and agree to maintain at least a 3.0 cumulative unweighted GPA until graduation from high school.
- Have good citizenship, community and school involvement, and school attendance.
- Have never been married, divorced, or had a marriage annulled, and agree not to marry while in the Royalty Program.
- Certify that she has never been convicted of a crime.
- Agree not to get any voluntary, non-medical body modifications, which would be visible while wearing assigned royalty apparel, while in the Royalty Program.
- Certify that she does not hold another current title and agree not to enter any other royalty contests or pageants while in the Royalty Program.
- Agree not to use, possess, or consume any alcohol or drugs, unless over-the-counter, prescribed, or in use with a religious ceremony, while in the Royalty Program.
- Agree not to use, possess, or consume tobacco products while in the Royalty Program, even if she becomes legally of age.
- Be able and willing to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the SLFA Royal Court. .
- Candidates must have access to or purchase a professional interview ensemble for selection process:
 - The interview ensemble is black pants, black shoes, white button-up blouse.
 - The inability of a candidate to purchase attire will not exclude them from participation. Needs of individuals will be confidentially addressed as identified.
 - SLFA will provide each High School Lilac Royalty Candidate with the purple school candidate sash that will be worn during training and the selection process.