



Ms. Senior America 2014, Patsy Godly,
with fellow Virginia Queens



Janis Thomas
Ms. Virginia Senior America 2015

PAGEANT JUDGING PROCEDURES

Pageant Judges independently appraise contestant application material prior to the competition. Pageant day activities are:

Interview (5 minutes): Importantly, judges meet each contestant off-stage for a personal interview. The contestant will be able to demonstrate their charm, personality aspects, conversational ability, and expand on their community involvement.

Philosophy of Life (35 seconds): While physical attractiveness is recognized, the pageant's focus is on internal beauty. Each contestant presents a statement that best conveys her philosophy of life.

Talent (2:45 minutes): Integral to the Pageant is the talent presentation. Contestants may choose to perform music, art, dance, storytelling, homemaking, special interests hobbies and/or other talents. Performance of talent may be of that newly learned or those undiminished by age.

Evening Gown: The pageant believes clothes do not "make" the woman, but rather, the woman "makes" the clothes. The judges will seek to identify the contestant whose poise and grace best depict her fashion sense and style.

MS. VIRGINIA SENIOR AMERICA PAGEANT



"The Age of Elegance"

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THE MS. VIRGINIA SENIOR AMERICAN PAGEANT PROGRAM

Mission— Search for and publicly honor accomplished Virginia women age sixty or “better” with focus on accomplishment, talent, maturity and inner beauty through an annual state competition leading to the national pageant each Fall.

Purpose— The Program seeks to draw attention to the achievements of senior women. Our program provides women the opportunity to share their life experiences and talents, create new friendships and continue purpose driven lives. Our participants represent a cross section of our society.

Support— The Ms. Virginia Senior America Pageant Program is an all-volunteer entity. Funding is provided by sponsors including individuals, local government agencies, businesses and social service organizations. Boosters assist through donation and volunteer activities in support of the program.

National Pageant Mission— The Ms. Senior America Pageant is the world's first and foremost pageant to honor “age of elegance” women. The mission is to discover the gracious lady who will best exemplify the dignity, maturity and inner beauty of senior Americans. With a philosophy that seniors are America's foundation and most valuable treasure, the pageant believes our seniors' knowledge, experience, and resources insure a better society for future generations.

OUR PORTFOLIO

Senior Women— Let us enable you to share your enthusiasm, talent, knowledge, and life experience of family and community involvement. Join the national movement to dispel aging myths. Become a Ms. Virginia Senior America contestant.

Organizations— Choose to be a part of an exciting and life-affirming cause and help us honor “Age of Elegance” women. Become a sponsor.

Individuals— Boost our program through donation and volunteering. Join us in this purposeful life adventure.

Hosting a Performance— The Cameo Jewels is the performance troupe of the Cameo Club, a pageant program support group of former contestants. The Cameo Jewels offer variety showcase performances featuring lyrical and folk dance, Broadway tunes, country ballads, classical arias, comedy, poetry, musical tributes and more. Allow us to perform at your event.

Motivational Speaking— Include a motivational speaker from our program in your forum. Hear how senior women of today are remodeling societal expectations of aging and creating new beginnings for themselves.

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I AM INTERESTED IN:

- Becoming a Contestant
- Becoming a Sponsor/Booster
- Hosting the Cameo Jewels
- Hosting a Motivational Speaker

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