

<u> 2022 - 2023</u>

Miss Quechan Code of Conduct

- 1. As an ambassador of the Quechan Tribe, you represent yourself, your family and members of the Quechan Indian Tribe. Miss Quechan is expected to uphold the title with respect, honor and dignity.
- 2. You must refrain from the use of alcohol, drugs, smoking, physical confrontation, profane language and/or outburst of any kind. Socializing with male (boyfriends) (i.e. intimate display of affection, etc.) in public is prohibited. Provocative and demeaning images of yourself and/or others captured in still photographs, videos, cellular phones, internet inclusive of social media sites which include but not limited to Facebook, Instagram, TikTok, Snapchat, Twitter, etc. will not be tolerated.
- 3. Contestants, where applicable, affirm that they have no dependents (children) nor have had any children.
- 4. You must not marry or cohabitate during the term of your reign.
- 5. Miss Quechan will not vie for any other title and/or reign while holding the Miss Quechan title.
- 6. Contestants must have a good attitude about themselves before, during and after the pageant. You will be required to respect, cooperate, and participate with fellow contestants, the Royalty Board, Judges, and support staff, the general public, and anyone you come in contact with at all times.
- 7. Miss Quechan cannot be incarcerated or convicted of a crime. This shall result in immediate relinquishment of her title.
- 8. Contestants must reside on or near the Quechan Reservation area, educational purpose will warrant eligibility.
- 9. Miss Quechan and Chaperones are expected and required to attend and be on time, for all scheduled activities. Miss Quechan must be prepared to participate fully upon arrival.
- 10. Miss Quechan will travel by written invitation, or as designated by the Board, Miss Quechan must be accompanied by a Chaperon (committee member).
- 11. Miss Quechan and Board Members are responsible for your own personal belongings at ALL times. The Board is not responsible for Miss Quechan personal belonging, loss, stolen, damage or any injury that might occur.
- 12. Miss Quechan will not become pregnant during your reign, If pregnancy does occur, you will relinquish your title immediately, including all benefits, and honors delivered from the pageant and reign
- 13. Miss Quechan's attendance must place an importance in completing her education and will not jeopardize her schooling. Therefore, Miss Quechan scholastic performance may be monitored by reviewing attendance records and/or grade reports. Expulsion, suspensions, or excessive unexcused absences may serve as grounds for removal.

- 14. Miss Quechan and attendants shall serve one year. Should circumstances arise that requires an extension of her reign, she shall sign a contract of agreement for the anticipated duration, upon approval of extension from the Quechan Tribal Council.
- 15. Immediate notification to the Royalty Board member will be expected if potential nonappearance is anticipated. This will allow the First, Second or Third Attendant to assume responsibility of appearance.
- 16. You will not sign individual businesses, organization, or corporations affiliate advertisements, publicity or any other propose. Nor will you permit your photograph to be used in any commercial way without written permission of the Committee.
- 17. Transportation and per diem for Miss Quechan will be approved by the Miss Quechan and Committee Members and Tribal Council President or Vice President.
- 18. The Quechan Royalty Board will assist in planning and coordination of approved appearances.
- 19. Regulation, the crown and sash will be worn at all events.
- 20. You must be willing and able to communicate with the public.
- 21. You must comply with all program requirements, rules, and regulations.
- 22. You must participate in all program activities.

The Quechan Indian Tribe reserves the right to amend this Code of Conduct as deemed necessary.

I, ______, AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE ABOVE CODE OF CONDUCT AS A CONTESTANT, ATTENDANT, OR MISS QUECHAN OF THE QUECHAN INDIAN TRIBE. I UNDERSTAND THAT I MAY BE DISQUALIFIED AS THE AMBASSADRESS OF THE QUECHAN IN TRIBE SHOULD I COMMIT ANY OF THE CONDITIONS OUTLINED ABOVE.

CANDIDATE FOR MISS QUECHAN INDIAN TRIBE

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