## 2024 All American Kids Contest

Sterling Chamber of Commerce is excited to continue the tradition of the All American Kids Contest (formerly the 4th of July Baby Contest), with the help of Sterling's Lil' Cub Childcare Center.

Below are a few pieces of information that we would like to make you aware of, regarding the competition. Should you have any questions please check back with us at the Chamber booth between 9 and noon!

## **Contest Information**

**Dress** Your child MUST be in patriotic attire. No swimsuits please. Please keep all apparel within reason, and do not dress the child in fancy dresses or costumes, etc. Parents should refrain from excessive makeup and opt for more natural looks.

If your child is not dressed in accordance with the rules, they may walk across the stage but will not be judged.

Stage Your child must be able to walk across the stage on their own, with no assistance of any kind, unless impaired. One person can be at the start and one at the finish but they must walk the stage alone, or they will not be judged. If your child is in the Walking to 23 months level and you feel safer following behind them as they walk, please do so.

\*\*Please be aware of the judges and try not to block their vision.

Fee New this year is a nominal registration fee. Each child should submit with their registration a suggested donation of \$10.00. Funds raised offset expenses of the event and support the Sterling Chamber of Commerce.

Families who are interested, are encouraged to post collection cans around the Rice County communities in efforts to gain additional donations covering the cost of their child's registration and beyond. Cans will be available for checkout from Sterling Chamber of Commerce starting on June 3rd and must be turned in by July 4th with registration.

A trophy will be awarded for the child who raises the most funds.

**Awards** 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place will be awarded for each category (not gender specific). Categories are as follows:

- Walking to 23 months
- 2 years to 3 years
- 4 years to 5 years
- 6 years to 7 years
- 8 years to 9 years

In addition to age range awards, there will be an overall award for a Mr. All American & Ms. All American and Most Funds Raised award. Totaling 15 medals and 3 trophies to be awarded.

## All American Kids Contest Registration

Child's Name:			
Parents/Grandparents Name:			
Phonetic Pronunciation of Names Abov	e:		
Child's Age:	Child's Presenting Sex:	Male	Female
Child's Favorite Activity:			
Family Address:			
Family Telephone:			
Family Email:			
Total Raised:	Entry fee paid:	Yes	No
Payments can be made by cash, check,	or online through our PayPa	al or Ver	ımo.

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