

2025 Queen of the Snows Candidate Application Online Form Preparation and Instructions

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE NOVEMBER 1, 2024, 6:00PM CT

All applications must be completed and submitted via the online form located at https://forms.gle/SSsw3eFKMDLexz1h8
NO HANDWRITTEN APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

You may return to the form to edit your answers at any point up until the application due date when responses and the application will be locked. This document is meant to assist you in preparing your responses.

Once your application is submitted it will be reviewed by the Candidate Committee Chair. If there are concerns or issues, you will be contacted via the email address you provide and can make changes up until the application deadline. Once the application deadline has passed, all submitted applications will be converted into individual documents and provided to the Selection Committee Liaison for distribution to the Selection Committee. The Candidate Committee Chair and Selection Committee Liaison will not edit or change any of your responses. A link to all responses will be provided to the Selection Committee members upon request.

The information you provide will be used for selection and publicity purposes. Please provide all requested information in the space provided on the online form. You may not attach additional pages or upload additional documents.

Contact **QoSCandidate@spfhf.org** if you have questions or issues with the application.

Section 1 of 5 Candidate and Sponsor Information

In this section you will provide us with contact information for you, your emergency contact, and your sponsor. Please ensure accuracy so we can prepare media information, name tags, etc. Verify your sponsor's preferred name, including suffix details such as LLC, or Inc. You will also want to verify if they prefer to be recognized using "Inc." (sounds like ink in a pen) vs. "Incorporated." Expect to provide the following information. If you are still seeking a sponsor, do not hold your application – enter "Currently seeking sponsor" and TBD in the sponsor fields.

Candidate Name (First & Last)

Candidate Mailing Address

Candidate Phone Number

Candidate Email Address

Emergency Contact Name, relationship, phone number

Candidate's Employer

Candidate's Employer's Address

Candidate's Occupation

Sponsor Name

Sponsor Contact Name

Sponsor Email Address



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Section 2 of 5 Candidate Questions

For each of the questions within this section there is a 750-character maximum. The form will not allow you to move to the next section if you are over the character limit. Both Microsoft Word and Google Docs provide a character count function. You may type your responses in a separate document and cut and paste into the application.

Tell us about your education: What areas have you studied and what degrees have you obtained?

Tell us about your career journey and work experience.

Tell us about your goals and ambitions.

What are your hobbies and interests?

Tell us about your involvement as a volunteer or with your community.

What makes you extraordinary?

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For each of the questions within this section there is a 750-character maximum. The form will not allow you to move to the next section if you are over the character limit.

How did you find out about the Queen of the Snows program? What made you want to apply?

What would you bring to the role of a Royal Lady (Queen of the Snows or Wind Princess)?

Tell us about a time you demonstrated leadership.

What do you hope to learn or achieve during the Queen of the Snow Candidate Process?



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Section 4 of 5 Biography Information

Please read the notes / description for each item to ensure they are completed correctly.

What city/town do you live in now? (this is a short answer textbox)

What do you consider your "hometown?" (this is a short answer textbox)

Full Biography

- 800 character maximum
- Please write a short biographical statement (in third person) that will be used in programs and
 introductions. Please write carefully and think about making it unique to you and your experiences.
 Things you may want to consider including are: work, education, achievements, family, interests or a
 fun fact.

Condensed Biography

- 250 character maximum
- Please write a condensed biographical statement (in third person) to be used, as needed, for media or other publicity when space is limited.

Section 5 of 5 Acknowledgements & Documents

In this section you will upload your professional resume. And answer a few short questions indicating that everything you provided is accurate and that you understand what the Candidate Program entails.

Resume Options (one or the other is required)

- Upload a document or a pdf of your resume
- Provide a link to a shared document (google or otherwise). Ensure that appropriate access permissions

I understand that the Queen of the Snows Candidate Welcome meeting is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, November 16, 2024. This is a required event for candidates. I will receive confirmation and additional information via email once my application has been accepted.

I understand that Legend Character Development, where incoming candidates and characters learn about the Legend and how to fulfill their roles, is a required event for candidates. The first of these meetings is scheduled for 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm CT on Wednesday, November 20, 2024 at Landmark Center. I will receive confirmation and additional information via email once my application has been accepted.

I affirm that the information included in this application is true and correct.

I have read, understand, and accept the policies, guidelines, and responsibilities defined in the 2025 Queen of the Snows Candidate Handbook. I agree to abide by all policies during my candidacy.

I will bring or mail my Sponsor payment to the St. Paul Festival & Heritage Foundation office before the application due date, or I will contact the Candidate Committee Chair for further options.

My name entered below acts as my signature on this application. When I submit this application, a timestamp will be applied which will serve as the official application submission time.