

Darcelle XV Productions

The La Femme Magnifique Pageants



2011 Contestant Information
International Pageants
“30 Years....30 Themes”

LaFemme Magnifique International — LaFemme Magnifique Plus International Pageants

Sunday, September 4, 2011

Oregon Convention Center — “The Portland Room”

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TO: LaFemme Magnifique International™ Contestants
FROM: Darcelle XV, Producer
SUBJECT: 2011 Contestant Guidelines

Congratulations!

We are indeed pleased and proud that you have decided to compete in the
2011 LA FEMME MAGNIFIQUE INTERNATIONAL™ Pageant!

Please take a few moments to review the following:

Pageant Producer:

Darcelle XV

Pageant Administrator:

Roxy LeRoy

**Pageant Director, Pageant
Coordinator, Choreographer:**

Monica Boulevard

**Pageant Secretary, Floor
Manager, Assistant Director:**

Brian Block

**Contestant Recruiter and
Regional Prelim. Coordinator:**

Marcy Craft

THIS IS A PAGEANT TO CROWN THE MOST GLAMOUROUS
FEMALE IMPERSONATOR IN THE WORLD !!

All that is required of you to compete in the **LAFEMME
MAGNIFIQUE INTERNATIONAL™** Pageant as a contestant
is that you agree to be in Portland, Oregon over the Labor Day
weekend to compete in the **2011 LAFEMME MAGNIFIQUE
INTERNATIONAL™** and **PLUS INTERNATIONAL™** Pageant.

The 2011 pageant will be held at THE OREGON CONVENTION
CENTER, in the "PORTLAND ROOM", in Portland, Oregon on
Sunday, September 4, 2011.

**IF YOU HAVE HAD BREAST IMPLANTS, BEEN TAKING HORMONE SHOTS, OR
HAVE HAD ANY GENDER ALTERING, YOU MAY NOT COMPETE! NO EXCEPTIONS!!**

There are Four (4) required categories on which you will be judged. The scoring will be from 10 to 1 (10 being the highest score).

1. EVENING GOWN COMPETITION (Formal Wear)

For this category, you will wear a **FLOOR LENGTH GOWN**. The gown may be of any color, style, and material. Judge's Criteria include: Presentation of the gown, Makeup, Hair, Style, Poise, and Stage Presence.



House music will be provided for this category.

2. THEME COMPETITION

The theme for 2011 is "**30 YEARS.....30 THEMES**". *In celebration of the 30th Anniversary, each contestant will choose their own Theme from a list of themes from years past. Contact Marcy Kraft at jayvegas@yahoo.com for a complete list of eligible themes.*

Let your imagination run wild. Look beyond the obvious and explore your wildest fantasies. The Sky is the limit. Have fun with the theme. House music will be provided.

3. TALENT COMPETITION

Your **TALENT** presentation is **LIMITED TO FIVE (5) MINUTES!!!! NO EXCEPTIONS!** Judges criteria are: Talent, Poise, and Presentation. You may include other performers in your presentation.

*****TALENT CD's MUST BE IN OUR HANDS TEN (10) DAYS PRIOR TO THE CONTEST*****

In the event of duplications, the contestant's CD with the EARLIEST post-mark will perform the number. The second will then be required to choose another selection. *Please Bring a BACK-UP copy of your CD.*



4. SHOWGIRL COMPETITION

This one is the "BIGGIE". The Glamorous and Glorious evening climaxes with the Las Vegas Showgirl/Headdress Look. It is to your advantage to construct your headdress well. BALANCE is important. The look is designed for Glamour, not comfort. Be aware that your competition in this category will be BIG, however, BIGGER IS NOT NECESSARILY BETTER. While parading in your headdress, you must be able to walk as if nothing is on your head. House music will be provided.

*** In addition to the four Categories, we would like you to bring an evening gown for an opening. This portion of the pageant is NOT judged and is merely a parade of contestants. However, **THIS IS THE FIRST TIME THE JUDGES WILL VIEW YOU.** The color scheme for this parade is **BLACK, WHITE, or BLACK and WHITE** ***.

***In the event of a tie -- If there is a tie for **LaFemme Plus International™** and/or **LaFemme Magnifique International™**, the following will apply: the judges will be polled and the judges will make the final decision determining the winner of **LaFemme Plus International™** and/or **LaFemme Magnifique International™** **THE JUDGES DECISION WILL BE FINAL!!!!**

Host Hotel

THE RED LION HOTEL – CONVENTION CENTER
1021 NE GRAND – PORTLAND, OR 97232



Red Lion Hotel Website
(Convention Center)

The RED LION HOTEL - CONVENTION CENTER is offering a SPECIAL rate for La Femme Magnifique International™ Pageant contestants and guests. The rate is \$89.00 (plus tax).

In order to get this special rate, you must call 1-800-343-1822 and mention “La Femme Magnifique Pageant” OR book online at the Red Lion website by pasting the line below into your browser:

<http://redlion.rdl.com/HotelLocator/HotelSearchResults.aspx?searchby=PROPERTY&chain=RL&checkIn=9%2f2%2f2011&checkOut=9%2f6%2f2011&metaID=38&rooms=1&adults=1&children=0&showMap=False&specRateCode=LAFE0902&specRate=GROUP&groupBlock=>

and use the on line group booking code: LAFEMMEM

The Red Lion Hotel – Convention Center is located across the street from the Convention Center. (about 1 mile East of DARCELLE XV SHOWPLACE). You will also find several fast food outlets and restaurants including a Denny’s nearby.

Alternate Hotel

MARK SPENCER HOTEL

409 SW 11th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97205

(Located in the middle of the “glamour district” in beautiful downtown Portland).

From within the Portland metro area: 503-224-3293

Toll-free 1-800-548-3934

The Mark Spencer is located within a two block radius of Scandals, The Red Cap and Boxxes cocktail lounges. Also just a short half block walk to The Roxy, Empress 43 —The Lovely Suzanne’s Dining emporium, which is open 24 hours a day. The Mark Spencer provides everything from studios to suites and All rooms have kitchenettes.



Mark Spencer Website

Cab Companies

Radio Cab

503-227-1212

Broadway Cab

(503) 227-1234

Green Cab

(503) 234-1234

The average fare from the Lloyd Center to downtown Portland is approximately \$5.00 one way.

Public Transportation

The MAX Train is the best way to get to and from the Airport to the hotel.

You can take MAX from the Hotel to the Convention Center, or Darcelle XV Showplace and downtown Portland for all your shopping needs.

The Fare from the Airport to the Hotel is \$2.05 per adult.

You may purchase Tickets at the Airport and all MAX train stations.

From the Lloyd Center MAX station into Downtown is in “Fareless Square”, so no ticket is required if you are riding MAX, west into Downtown.

Please log on to www.trimet.org for further information, or e-mail Ginger if you have questions .

SCHEDULE FOR LABOR DAY WEEKEND

Friday, September 2, 2011

**Darcelle XV Showplace
208 NW Third Ave
Portland Oregon 97209
503-222-5338**

**Showtimes
Wednesday & Thursday
8:30 P.M.
Friday & Saturday
8:30 P.M. & 10:30 P.M.**

All LAFEMME MAGNIFIQUE INTERNATIONAL™ contestants are invited to perform in the Darcelle XV Cabaret Show. You may choose the Friday night show or the Saturday night show. There are two shows both nights, so you also may pick which show you would like to perform.

For performing information call Summer Seasons at 503-222-5338 or email through DarcelleXV@aol.com Attention: Summer Seasons Dinners are served at the DARCELLE XV SHOWPLACE from 6:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Reservations Required for Dinner! Show Menu available for the lite eater after 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 3, 2011 : Meet and Greet

**Hobo's Restaurant
120 NW Third Ave
(One Block South of
Darcelle XV Showplace)
Portland, Oregon 97209**

The contestants, their dressers and sponsors will meet with Darcelle XV, Producer, Roxy LeRoy, Pageant Administrator, Monica Boulevard, Pageant Director, Brian Block, Pageant Secretary, and your fellow Contestants.

This meet and greet will be held at Hobo's Restaurant, 120 NW 3rd Ave, in Downtown Portland.

The meet and greet will begin promptly at 2:00pm on Saturday, September 3, 2011.

THIS IS MANDATORY AND YOU MUST ATTEND IF YOU ARE A CONTESTANT !!!!

This will be an informative time for you, as many aspects of the pageant will be discussed by Monica Boulevard, Roxy and Darcelle. If you have not had the opportunity to discuss ticket purchases with Darcelle XV this will be your first opportunity to do so in person. Darcelle XV will also have a floor plan so you might be able to see where your entourage and supporters will be seated.

Ticket Prices

Individual Tickets \$35.00

Table of Ten - \$350.00

Sunday, September 4, 2011 : Pageant Rehearsal

**Oregon Convention Center
Portland Room
777 NE MLK Jr Blvd
Portland Oregon 97232**

**Rehersal - 11:00 A.M.
September 4th**

**Pageant - 6:00 PM
September 5th**

**(Contestants Must be at
the Convention Center at
5:00 P.M.)**

Rehearsal will be at THE OREGON CONVENTION CENTER in "THE PORTLAND ROOM". Rehearsal will Start at 11:00AM. It is **IMPERATIVE and MANDITORY** that you are at rehearsal and **ON TIME!** Tardiness Will result in loss of points.

Be prepared to get your number organized and familiarize yourself with the ballroom and the dressing area as well as stage entrances and exits during the pageant.

This will also be the rehearsal time for the black and white "first look" of the candidates.

You will also have time to discuss any special needs for your talent number with our Lighting and Sound Technicians. Time is allotted for a rehearsal of your talent number if needed. House Music for Formal Look, Theme And Showgirl Categories will be provided. Talent music must be at **DARCELLE XV SHOWPLACE 10 DAYS PRIOR TO THE PAGEANT!!!!**

Sunday, September 4, 2011 : The Pageant !

The **2011 LAFEMME MAGNIFIQUE INTERNATIONAL™** Pageant will commence at 6:00PM **SHARP !** All contestants are required to be there at 5:00PM. Tardiness will result in loss of points.

See you in Portland, Oregon over Labor Day weekend for the **LAFEMME MAGNIFIQUE INTERNATIONAL™** Pageant !!

For Your Last Minute Needs

Our THANKS to the businesses listed below who support **LAFEMME MAGNIFIQUE INTERNATIONAL™** Pageant by displaying our posters

New Rhinestone Jewelery

Darcelle XV Showplace
208 NW Third Ave
Portland Oregon 97209
503-222-5338

Some items on display at
Darcelle XV Showplace

A larger display will be
for sale at the La Femme
Magnifique International
Pageant and Rehersal

Dance Skins, Leotards and Dance Belts

**The Leotard
Portland Oregon
503-284-9244**

Very helpful owners and staff
who take pride as the main
suppliers of dance tights &
apparel for the Portland per-
formance communities

Forget Your Prescriptions?

Apex Pharmancy
1215 NW 23rd Ave
Portland. OR 97210
503-525-9094

Portland's only gay
owned and operated
Full Service prescription
pharmacy

Store Hours:
M-F 9 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.
Sat. 10 A.M. - 2 P.M.
Closed Sunday

Your Best Bet For A Good Time

LaFemme Magnifique wish to thank the following businesses for their continued support.

EMBERS/
AVENUE
110 NW Broadway
Portland, OR 97209
503-222-5038

Full Service
Liquor and Food

Hours:
11 A.M. - 2:30 A.M.

Female
Impersonation
Shows Tuesday thru
Thursday
10 P.M.

Friday & Saturday
9:30 P.M.

Join the Hawaii Girls
at Embers Avenue
on Saturday, August
30 at 9 P.M. for the
Hawaii Show

Hosted by the One
and ONLY Buttercup

Fox & Hounds
217 NW Second
Portland, OR 97209
503-243-5530

Full Service
Liquor and Food
Including The
Chef's Lunch
and Dinner Daily
Specials

Hours:
9:30 A.M. - 2 A.M.
Saturday & Sunday
8:30 A.M. - 2 A.M.

A friendly informal
atmosphere where one
can be themselves

More often than not
you can find BINGO
or some other event
devoted to the chari-
ties of Portland

Whether it be Leather,
Country, Drag,
Business Suit or just
hanging out ALL IS
WELCOME

Hobo's Restaurant
120 NW Third Ave
Portland, OR 97209
503-224-6285

Full Service
Liquor and Food

Hours:
4 P.M. - 2 A.M.
Daily

Live Entertainment
by the Hobo's
Featured Piano
Players and Jazz
Combos

Hobo's specialize in
casual dining at its
finest. You know
you stepped into
class when you walk
through the door

After Dinner, step
into the Game Room.
You will find Video
Games, Video Poker
Machines and Pool
Tables and plenty of
seats if you want to
be just a vouyerist.

The Silverado
318 SW Third Ave
Portland, OR 97204
503-224-4493

Full Service
Liquor and Food

Hours:
9:30 A.M. - 2:30
A.M.

The Silverado Male
Dance Revue
Tues - Sun
10 P.M.

C.C. Slaughters
218 NW Davis St
Portland, OR 97209

Open 7 days a week
[Click here to go to
their website](#)

The Commodore
Lounge & Grill
1601 SW Morrison
Portland, OR
97205
503-224-7606

Full Service
Liquor and Food

Hours:
7 A.M. - 2:30 A.M.

A Delightful quiet
atmosphere where you
can actually converse
without having to com-
pete with the music.

One of the few place
with a jukebox so you
can pick your own
party music.

Complete with Pool
Room for Billards
shooter and Video
Poker if you are feeling
lucky.

The Commodore
comes complete with
some of the the friend-
liest mixologists in
Portland. They truly
make you feel wanted
and welcome.

Lucinda Holliday with "MadeForAQueen.Com" will be in town for all your jewelery needs all weekend longeven at the Pageant!

The "LaFemme After Party" will be held and hosted by Portland's Premiere Gay Nightclub, C.C. Slaughters, in "The Lounge" starting at 8:30 P.M. You must have your LaFemme ticket to enter this extravaganza. Complementary champagne served while supplies last.

The Victory Party will be held at Darcelle's and Roxy's House 89 Northeast Thompson — Portland, Oregon — 503-287-5716 and as always starts at Noon until ????????

La Femme Magnifique International
And
La Femme Plus International
Contestant Registration

**** Please have this registration COMPLETED and RETURNED on or before August 1, 2011****

****If Writing, Please Write VERY Clearly****

Name:

Stage Name:

Position Competing For (International or Plus International):

Street Address:

Telephone Number (s):

E-Mail Address:

**** Please return this form COMPLETELY filled out to:**

E-mail - Marcy Kraft at jaynvegas@yahoo.com or

Send by mail to:

Darcelle XV Showplace
Attn: Marcy Kraft / Monica Boulevard
208 NW 3rd Avenue
Portland, OR 97209
(503) 222.5338

THANK YOU AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN SEPTEMBER!!