

2026 Daffodil Festival
Queen Application
DEADLINE: January 30, 2026



Open to females in Gloucester County ages 15-18 years old.

QUEEN SCHOLARSHIP – When the Daffodil Festival Queen fulfills all her responsibilities, she will be eligible to receive a \$1,000 scholarship to the education institution of her choice.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS & GENERAL INFORMATION:

Print Unveiling – Saturday, March 14, 2026, Gloucester Fine Arts Museum 6894 Main Street
• Time: 2:00pm-4:00pm

Interviews- Sunday, March 15, 2026, Warner Hall 4750 Warner Hall Road
• Time: 2:00pm 4:00pm – Interviews will be held for all contestants, Pictures & Refreshments
• Attire: Dressy or Sunday Best

2026 Daffodil Festival – Saturday, March 28, 2026, 9:00am-5:00pm & Sunday, March 29, 2026 12:00pm-5:00pm
• Includes: All contestants will ride in the Parade that begins at 10:00 am at the Main Street Shopping Center. Crowning of the 2026 Queen will be announced at Opening Ceremonies at 11:30 am on the Main Stage in the Food Court.
• Attire: Dressy or Sunday Best. New Queen will participate in Queen Activities after the Opening Ceremonies.

QUEEN RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Attend the 2026 Daffodil Festival – Saturday & Sunday
- Present Queen's Choice Award at the 2026 Daffodil Festival
- Present Awards at Gloucester Daffodil Show
- Participate in the 2027 Print Unveiling
- Participate in the 2027 Daffodil Festival Queen Interviews
- Participate in local parades
- Participate in other events that the Daffodil Queen may be invited to attend

If you have any questions, please call Ms. Mary Boerner, Queen Committee Chairperson, at (804) 832-8410 or email questions to mboerner@gloucesterva.info.

GOOD LUCK AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING YOU!

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Full Name: _____

Parents' Names: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

Email Address: _____

School or Place of Work: _____ Grade: _____

I have access to a convertible for parades (from family or friends) ☐ YES ☐ NO

Please list activities in which you have been involved during the last four years (if you need more space please attach another page):

SCHOOL: _____

CHURCH: _____

COMMUNITY: _____

OTHER: _____

**ESSAY: Please attach a 300-word essay answering the following question:
If chosen, what do you feel you can give back to your community?**

I have read the responsibilities and feel I can fulfill the duties of Daffodil Festival Queen:

Applicant's Signature

Date

APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY January 30, 2026 (postmarks do not qualify)

INCLUDE:

☐ Application

☐ Recent Photo

☐ \$25 entry fee (checks payable to Gloucester County)

☐ Reference letter from non-relative

MAIL

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