St. Augustine Easter Week Festival

Application for 2027 Royal Family Trio

DEADLINE – December 1, 2026

Email the following to: OldestCityEaster@gmail.com

Letter or email must include:

1. Letter of Introduction 2. Application Form 3. Current Photo 4. Signed Contract

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____ **M.I.:** _____ **Age:**___

Street Address: _____ **Apartment/Unit #:** _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone: _____ **Email Address:** _____

Position (Please circle one)

KING CARLOS II QUEEN REGENT MARIANA PRINCESS MARGARITA THERESA

KING CARLOS II – Heritage native, 11 to 17 years of age. Must be able to ride a horse in Easter Parade.
QUEEN REGENT MARIANA – Heritage native, 34 to 45 years of age.
PRINCESS MARGARITA THERESA – Heritage native, 14 to 20 years of age.

FAMILY HERITAGE

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TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF

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Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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Events you must attend:

- **Easter Week:**
  - Transfer
  - Palm Sunday / Blessing of the Fleet
  - Knighting
  - Easter Promenade
  - Easter Parade
- **March:**
  - Menorcan Festival
- **May:**
  - Fernandina Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival
- **September:**
  - Founder's Day Reenactment
  - Blackbeard's Ball
- **October:**
  - Tybee Island Festival
- **November:**
  - Fundraiser Ball
  - Palatka Christmas Parade (Black Friday evening)
  - Nights of Lights Promenade (Nov/Dec)
- **December:**
  - St. Augustine Christmas Parade (first Saturday in December)
- **January/February**
  - Fundraiser Event

COMMITMENTS:

As part of the Royal Trio you are agreeing to a **two year commitment**. The first year as the Royal Trio and the second year as stand-by in case the next year's representative is unable to attend a particular event. There may be some out of town travel that you will be responsible for.

ATTIRE:

- The outfit you will wear during your reign is owned by the St. Augustine Easter Week Festival Committee ("the organization") and will be on loan to you for your two year commitment. It must be returned at the end of your second year.
- The organization will pay for the fittings and alterations necessary to make it wearable for you.
- The outfit needs to be dry cleaned at your expense at least twice (once at the end of your reign year and once before turning it in after the standby year). Additional dry cleaning may be necessary due to sweat or dirt encountered during events. These outfits are <u>not</u> machine washable.
- The outfit must be taken proper care of while in your possession (properly dry cleaned, hung, ironed/steamed). The outfit must be "show ready" for every event.

AS A VOLUNTEER I WILL:

- Treat everyone with respect, loyalty, patience, integrity, courtesy, dignity, and consideration
- Attend at least 80% of SAEWF meetings, typically on the 3rd Tuesday of each month (held on Zoom)
- Arrive 30 minutes dressed and ready to go before a function
- Be personable
- Ensure my costume is “show ready” (clean and wrinkle free)
- Wear closed toed shoes
- Always have a smile on! You are on stage at all times, so please act the part.
- Eat before coming to an event. If you need to snack on something, please do it away from others. Only water may be consumed while in costume unless otherwise approved by the board for a specific event.

AS A VOLUNTEER I WILL NOT:

- Smoke or use tobacco products while in costume
- Use, possess or be under the influence of alcohol at any time while volunteering
- Use, possess or be under the influence of illegal drugs at any time
- Use profanity

MINOR APPLICANTS:

- If the applicant is under 18 years of age, a parent or legal guardian must provide consent to apply.
- A parent or legal guardian must ensure the minor has transportation to and from all events.
- If the minor is not driving themselves, a parent or legal guardian must remain present at all official events, appearances, meetings, and activities related to the Royal Family.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent Signature (if applicant is a minor):_____