

For the past ten years I have attended the Kingdom of Callaway Fair. This past year topped them all as I was chosen to serve as Junior Miss Callaway County Fair Queen. Serving the county and the fair were very exciting and fun; an experience I will never forget.

In the past I was only at the fair during my 4-H events and for other events I helped run. Last year while I was Junior Miss Callaway County I was at the fair ground every day of the fair from around 10 o'clock in the morning to 2 o'clock the next morning. I enjoyed working along side the Fair Board helping them in different capacities, helping introduce events and helping pass out trophies. I enjoyed helping the fair board so much I was always there to try to help out in any way I could. The Fair Board Members were amazing; working with them made the fair a wonderful place. They devote a lot of time throughout the year to work on the fair. The fair wouldn't happen without their dedication.

During my time at the fair I had the pleasure of meeting a lot of new people, people from across the county and people from out of state. A funny thing happened Thursday afternoon when the rodeo crew came to the fair grounds. Mr. and Mrs. Wooten, the owners of the rodeo company, were confused where they were and how to get to their hotel. I drove my car to the hotel and they followed me so they could find their way. While I was gone someone told my father I took the rodeo guys to their hotel. My father called me freaking out thinking they were men but it wasn't, I was safe. Mr. and Mrs. Wooten were very nice and ran a very nice professional rodeo. I had the pleasure of seeing them again at the Missouri State Fair, I was glad to get to know them.

Last year the fair saw record numbers in attendance. I hope this year will be as successful for the fair and I hope to see all of the wonderful people I met last year in attendance again this year and hope to meet many more new and interesting people again this year.

I would like to thank you for choosing me to represent Callaway County as your 2007 Junior Miss Callaway Country Fair Queen.

Very truly yours,

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