

To all CWFA members:

Once again it is time for our annual conference. The Conference this year will be held on July 28 and 29, 2017, and is being hosted by the Versailles Fire Department, in conjunction with the CWFA Past Presidents, in Versailles, Ohio.

This year along with the regular CWFA competitions, we will be having camping, vendors, food, and the Queen's Contest. There is no Saturday parade, hose evolution, drafting and truck judging this year. The Queen's Contestants will be coming from the school to the Heritage Park in a short Queens Parade.

We hope everyone is ready to come participate and have fun. Please try to enter teams in the Friday and Saturday CWFA competitions to represent your department.

As in the past all beverages need to be in a mug or plastic sports bottle type container that is a non-see through so the type of beverage inside cannot be determined. NO COZIES!!! This includes all beverages, and includes the Conference, as well as the Campground. The only exclusion to this rule will be the cups the food vendors use. We will need the help of everyone to police this rule so this remains a fun friendly weekend for all. Remember your kids are watching. We are asking everyone help keep the weekend fun and safe.

Just a reminder, since the CWFA now awards a \$500.00 CWFA Queens Contest scholarship, some of the Queen's rules have changed. The age qualification has changed; your contestant must be an incoming senior or graduating senior. Once you have won the scholarship you cannot compete again in the CWFA Queens Contest.

Camping will be provided at the Versailles K of C Hall on State Route 47 on East side of Versailles behind softball fields. Enter and Exit the Campground thru the main parking lot of the K of C Hall and follow drive to east of property.

We have spaces available for rent to vendors, or anything that would enhance the conference.

More information on this and other information can be found by going to our website: CWFAohio.com.

Remember, activities start Friday at 5:00 pm with opening ceremonies. Strong Arm, Hose Line and Bucket Brigade will also be conducted Friday evening after the Queens Contest.

VERSAILLES FIRE DEPARTMENT MEMBERS HAVE DONE AN EXCELLENT JOB IN PREPLANNING AND WORKING HARD, HOPING TO MAKE THIS ONE OF THE BEST CWFA CONFERENCES IN YEARS!!!

AGAIN, PLEASE PLAN TO COME, COMPETE, AND HAVE FUN!!!

You can also e-mail questions to CWFAOHIO@CWFAOHIO.COM

2017 CWFA Conference Committee