



2020 MARION
COUNTY FAIR

LITTLE CUTIES
BABY CONTEST

SATURDAY, JULY 18TH

CHECK

== **IN:** ==

11:45 AM

CONTEST:

12:30 PM

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<u>If child was born between:</u>	<u>The child is in this division:</u>
Dec. 29, 2019 – Apr. 20, 2019	14 – 19 months
Apr. 30, 2019 – Aug. 29, 2019	10 – 13 months
Aug. 30, 2019 – Dec. 29, 2019	6 – 9 months

14 – 18 Months	10 – 13 Months	6 – 9 Months
18 mo: Dec. 29, 2018	13 mo: May 29, 2019	9 mo: Sept. 29, 2019
17 mo: Jan. 29, 2019	12 mo: Jun. 29, 2019	8 mo: Oct. 29, 2019
16 mo: Feb. 29, 2019	11 mo: Jul. 29, 2019	7 mo: Nov. 20, 2019
15 mo: Mar. 29, 2019	10 mo: Aug. 29, 2019	6 mo: Dec. 20, 2019
14 mo: Apr. 29, 2019		



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Check-in Time: 11:45 a.m.

Contest: 12:30 p.m.

Entry Form

This contest is for babies who are 16-18 months old
(born between December 29, 2018 & December 29, 2018)

Entries must be received at the Fairgrounds
by 11 a.m. on July 18, 2020

Baby's Name: _____

Gender: Male _____ Female _____

Age: _____ months as of (6-29-2020)

Birth date: _____

Parent/Guardian name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

Contact Person (if different from above)

Mail this form with a COPY of the child's birth certificate and \$10
entry fee (payable to Marion County Fair)

Mail to: Marion County Fair Baby Contest, PO Box 39225,
Indianapolis, IN 46239

HOLD HARMLESS RELEASE:



It is agreed that the Marion County Fair assumes no liability for loss of property or by reason of any claim for personal injury, including death. The parent or guardian herein releases and discharges the Marion County Fair, its component members and their successors from liability by reason of injury to property, and/or persons, including death, which may occur within or upon the Marion County Fairgrounds in any manner connected with use thereof by this child who is named above as a contestant.

The contestant and the parent or guardian agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Marion County Fair and its agents, officers, and employees from all claims and suits including courts costs, attorney's fees, and other expenses caused jointly or solely by an act of omission of the contestant or parent or guardian.

Parent or Guardian Signature:

Date: _____

Marion County Fair
PO Box 39225, Indianapolis, IN 46239
Administration Office- 353-2444

OFFICE USE ONLY

Payment: Check # _____

Cash _____ Date Received _____

By _____

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Visit www.marioncountyfair.org for rules and
entry form.

RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS:

Contestants must live in Marion County or an
adjacent county.

For more information, call the Marion County
Fair Office at (317) 353-2444 between the
hours of 9 AM and 3 PM.

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INFORMATION & RULES

ENTRY DEADLINE: Received in the Fair office by 11 a.m. July 18, 2020

ENTRY FEE: \$10.00 (PAID TO Marion County Fair by deadline; non-refundable)

Rules and Entry Form available at www.marioncountyfair.org

CONTEST DATE: Saturday, July 18, 2020

CONTEST LOCATION: Marion County Fair – Park Stage

TIME: 11:45 AM – Check in begins

12:30 PM – Contest begins

(Babies may be divided into age groups but, are to remain in area at all times.)

CONTEST RULES:

1. Age Requirements: Contestants must be 6 – 18 months in age and have been born between December 25, 2018 and December 25, 2019.
2. Pre-Registration Required: Registration forms, birth certificates and \$10.00 registration fee must arrive at the Marion County Fair office no later than 11 a.m. July 18, 2020
3. Residency Requirements: Contestants must live in Marion County or adjacent counties.
4. One adult accompanying registered baby will be admitted free of charge at the gate on Contest Day. Please enter by main gate #1 for easiest access.
5. Due to limited Park Stage seating, adults may bring lawn chairs.

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CONTEST RULES CONT.:

6. Please arrive at the Fairgrounds early to accommodate sign-in and contestant numbering assignments.
5. One adult may accompany the baby to the times judging area.
8. Judging will be based on the baby's appearance and personality at the time of judging. Judges realize that a baby's behavior is quite unpredictable.
9. There is no required dress code for babies in the contest.
10. All decisions of the judges will be final.
11. Photography is allowed only outside the judging area.
12. Contestant numbers will be announced by the emcee. Please listen carefully for the numbers.
13. Babies may be divided into categories for judging depending upon the number of entries. Categories will be assigned as follows:
 - a. Prettiest baby girl: 6 – 9 Months
 - b. Prettiest baby girl: 10 – 13 Months
 - c. Prettiest baby girl: 14 – 18 Months
 - d. Most handsome baby boy: 6 – 9 Months
 - e. Most handsome baby boy: 10 – 13 Months
 - f. Most handsome baby boy: 14 – 18 Months
14. First, second, and third place winners will be awarded ribbons. First place winners in all categories will be eligible for the Grand Prize and another judging round. All babies will receive a participation ribbon.
15. The Marion County Fair will not be responsible for loss, theft, or damages.

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OFFICIAL BALLOT

Registration #: _____

CATEGORY	POSSIBLE POINTS	POINTS AWARDED
Appearance	15	
Charisma/ Personality	25	
Expression	10	

Special something? _____

Bonus Points

TOTAL: _____

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TASKS

- Day/Time: Determine Time
- Promotion: Create and distribute- (via Marion County Library, day care facilities, etc.)
 - Informational flyers
 - Entry form (Pre-registration is required)
 - Rules of Contest
 - Send info to webmaster for posting on website
- Entries: Verify each participant's age
 - Sort by age category
 - Sort girl/boy
- Stage: Decorate area
 - Set up three tables- one judge each
 - Parent/Guardian holds baby in front of judges for "interview" then moves on to next table(s) until all judges have seen baby
- Judging: Need 3 judges (paid \$25 each & fair passes)
 - A timer
 - A scorer
 - A master of ceremonies (paid \$50 & fair pass)
- Prizes: Solicit prizes for winners in each category
 - Trophy for top girl and top boy winners
- Program: Create baby contest program with list of entries
- Follow Up: Write thank-you notes to all judges and donors