

## THE AWARDS BANQUET

## AN EVENING TO REMEMBER

Each year on the final evening of Fantasia Fair, we have our formal Awards Banquet. This is our last dinner together before Fair's end, and we make it a special occasion. It's your night to be pampered, waited on, and to be able to relax and enjoy the company of your sisters in a leisurely, festive way before the final night on the town.

At the Awards Banquet participants who have assisted in the Fair's unfoldment will be acknowledged and honored before her sisters. Also, each year we present four awards to participants chosen by the participants in a secret ballot. These are for Ms Aderella, Ms Congeniality, Ms Best Dressed, and Ms Femininity. The Steering Committee offers two additional awards; Ms Most Helpful and Ms Fantasia Fair (awarded to the person who best exemplifies the objectives and ideals of the Fair), and the Outreach Institute presents an Outreach award to the person who has been most helpful to the Paraculture throughout the year.

As a participant you are encouraged to vote for the participants of your choice. Below you will find a ballot. Please vote for your choice in each of the four catagories, and return it to your House Mother by noon on Thursday.

Please note that the object of the voting is to select someone who can typify and represent the spirit of each award for us all. Here are the criteria to guide you in selecting nominees for each of these awards:

MS CINDERELLA -- (This award goes to a first-year participant only.) Which first-year participant really "came out" and let her femme personality show during the Fair period? In other words, as the week went on, which seemed to blossom out?

MS CONGENIALITY -- Which of the participants, in your mind, was the most open and outgoing, easy to talk to, make friends with, and seemed to bring a certain "sparkle" to a group?

MS FEMININITY -- Look for the total femme image. Which participant, in comportment and deportment, exemplified the successful femme image best? In other words, which participant most successfully stayed as "sister" throughout the week?

MS BEST DRESSED -- This is not a beauty contest award. Rather, it is to go to a participant who showed good taste in style and manner of dress -- not the flashiest or most expensive clothes, but dressing in a tasteful, consistent, authentic way.

(In your information packet is a Participant's Profile. Please use it to help you get to know your sisters.)

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BALLOT

Please vote for the participant of your choice in each of the four catagories, and return this ballot to your Housemother no later than by noon on Thursday!

MS CINDERELLA

MS FEMININITY

MS BEST DRESSED