



Application Deadline is Monday, March 17, 2025

Welcome to the 2025 Miss Maple Syrup Sweetheart Contest! This contest is open to all Kindergarten girls who live in the Wakarusa Elementary School district including private and homeschool students. Be sure to send your application and required materials in as soon as possible. Each contestant will attend the Queen Coronation on Friday, April 25th at 6:00pm. At this event, each girl will be recognized and receive her Sweetheart sash and floral bouquet. The Maple Syrup Sweetheart winner will also receive a crown and \$25 cash award.

Voting will take place at area businesses. Votes will be cast as money votes. All votes must be made in cash and placed in the voting jars before the voting time ends. See below for specific dates and ending time of the sweetheart voting. All money collected is used to fund the Maple Syrup Queen and Sweetheart contests. The girl who collects the most money will be crowned the Maple Syrup Sweetheart. Money jars with the girls' pictures will be displayed at: Grandma's Pantry, Richmond's Feed, Larimer Furniture, and Interra Credit Union (Wakarusa). Each location will have every girl's picture on a voting jar. Open to the first 15 applications.

All applications need to include a picture of your child. Digital pictures (preferred) or a hard copy can be mailed or emailed in with the application. Hard copy pictures will not be returned.

Important dates to remember:

- Application deadline: Monday, March 17th
- Money jars timeline: Monday, April 7th – 23rd
- Rehearsal: Wednesday, April 23rd
- Queen Coronation: Friday, April 25th at 6:00 pm, arrival time 5:00 pm.

Please mail or email application and required materials to:

Wakarusa Maple Syrup Festival
PO Box 291
Wakarusa, IN 46573

For contest questions or clarifications, please contact Katie Stapp, Contest Coordinator, 574-354-1797

Or drop off completed applications to:

Wakarusa Chamber
100 West Waterford Street
Wakarusa, IN 46573



Wakarusa Maple Syrup Sweetheart Application

(This information will be used for the newspaper write-ups and announced during the coronation)

Child's Full Name: _____

Parents' Full Name: (if divorced, list names separately) _____

Siblings & Ages: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Text Yes or No (Circle one)

Email that is checked regularly: _____

Birth date & age: _____

Kindergarten Teacher: _____

Favorites (Color, Food, Game, etc.): _____

Activities, Hobbies, Interests (church, school, sports, etc.) Use back if necessary:

