



## **MS. POWERHOUSE LEATHER 2020 CONTEST APPLICATION**

On behalf of the Powerhouse Family, we welcome you as a contestant to the first ever Ms. Powerhouse Leather Contest. Powerhouse holds a long history in our community and is excited to grow our family impact in the community.

Please review the application materials carefully and provide **ALL** the information requested. Remember to sign where indicated. The deadline for applications is on or before **November 8, 2019** by MIDNIGHT.

### **CONTESTANT REQUIREMENTS:**

- Resident of San Francisco, Marin, Contra Costa, Alameda or San Mateo counties willing and able to represent the San Francisco Bay Area.
- 21 years of age or over.
- 1) compete in the Ms San Francisco Leather 2020 contest and produce two fundraisers in partnership with Powerhouse during their title year, **OR** 2) produce three fundraisers during their title year in partnership with Powerhouse

### **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Complete, save and sign the application which includes the **2020 Ms. Powerhouse Leather Statement of Intent**, the **2020 Ms. Powerhouse Leather Contestant Data Sheet**
2. Attach a photocopy of legal identification used as PROOF OF AGE. Email all forms and proof of age to: [scott@plco.net](mailto:scott@plco.net)
3. Submit a recent, clear facial photograph (minimum 3”X5”) for the contest program. Email or submit an electronic copy in .jpg, .png or .tiff format at 300 dpi resolution to: [scott@plco.net](mailto:scott@plco.net)

4. The completed application packet with all forms, contestant bio of 150 or fewer words, and photo must be submitted electronically or in person on or before the deadline, **November 8, 2019 midnight**.
  5. Upon receipt of your application, the contest Producer will contact you with acknowledgement of receipt within 2 days.
- If you have any questions about the application, please contact the Producer, [spencer.young.1986@gmail.com](mailto:spencer.young.1986@gmail.com)



## **MS. POWERHOUSE LEATHER 2020 CONTEST**

The Ms. Powerhouse Leather 2020 Contest will occur on Friday, November 15th at 7:00 P.M. Contestants will be at the bar for a cocktail/social hour starting at 6pm.

The contest is open to interested self-identified leather women over the age of 21 who feel that they could best represent the Powerhouse as its titleholder. Candidates should be able to represent the San Francisco Leather and/or KINK Community, and should be knowledgeable of it. A history of community involvement is helpful, but not required. The winner will not be expected to compete in the Ms. San Francisco Leather Contest, but be present to represent the Powerhouse family. **The Ms. Powerhouse Leather Contest is limited to residents of San Francisco, Marin, Contra Costa, Alameda and San Mateo Counties.**

The format for the Ms. Powerhouse Leather contest will be:

- ***Interview in Street/Casual Wear (70 points):*** Contestants will be interviewed by the judging panel prior to the evening portions of the contest. Contestants will be judged on their ability to think on their feet, their knowledge of leather lifestyle-related issues and history, and how they respond to the questions asked of them. The appropriate dress for this section is “street legal” leather/fetish/kink wear.
- ***Speech and Formal Wear (40 points):*** Contestants will each be given 90 seconds to speak on a topic of their choice related to the Leather/Fetish/Kink community. Contestants will be judged on the delivery of their speech as well as on their formal wear (what you would wear to a formal leather/fetish/kink event or banquet).
- ***On Stage Pop Question and Cruise/Bar Wear (20 points):***

Each contestant will be asked two questions to answer on stage. Questions will be submitted by the Contest staff. The appropriate dress for this section is your sexy best.

- ***Leather Presence (20 points)***: Judges will observe each contestant throughout the Meet and Greet, during the interviews and at the contest and judge each contestant on their conduct, manner and leather expression during the contest events.
- 1) There **will** be a prejudging beginning at 6:30-7 P.M.
  - 2) There **MAY** be a time period when each contestant will be asked to sell raffle tickets to the crowd (a common duty among titleholders!). Proceeds from this activity will benefit the travel fund for the winning title holder.
  - 3) Above all, have fun with it, and enjoy yourself!!

The contest application form and Statement of intent follow this page. The following pages must be mailed, emailed or turned into Powerhouse Bar personnel with the contestant bio and photo by **Thursday, January 11, 2018 at Midnight**.

If you have any questions you can call the Powerhouse at 415-552-8689 or email the producer at: [spencer.young.1986@gmail.com](mailto:spencer.young.1986@gmail.com)



## MS. POWERHOUSE LEATHER 2020 CONTEST

### Statement of Intent

This page **MUST** accompany the Ms. Powerhouse Leather 2020 contestant application form and **MUST** be signed, dated and witnessed as indicated below.

I, the undersigned, fully understand that my participation as a contestant in the Ms. Powerhouse Leather 2020 Contest carries no entitlements and that any and all photographs, videotapes, websites, literature, or other materials resulting from this event shall remain the sole property of "The Powerhouse" at 1347 Folsom, San Francisco, California, 94103.

Furthermore, I waive my right to take legal action against the Powerhouse owners, agents, employees, or patrons, be it in a civil or criminal matter, with regard to this contest.

I understand that the winner of this contest shall be expected to represent The Powerhouse Bar at leather events throughout the year and to raise money for the charity of their choice. I further agree by entering this contest that, if I win the title, I will be available and cooperative to the extent that I will enter the Ms. San Francisco Leather contest AND that I will hold no fewer than two (2) fundraisers at The Powerhouse over next year, **OR** complete three fundraisers in partnership with Powerhouse over the course of my title year, and that I will represent The Powerhouse in good faith at all leather events I attend.

I further agree that should I win this contest, I will, to the reasonable extent of my ability to do so, not withstanding job obligations, illness or unpredictable circumstances, participate actively in the promotion of The Powerhouse and the charity of my choice.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name:

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Witness Signature:

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## **MS. POWERHOUSE LEATHER 2020 CONTEST**

### **Contestant Data Sheet**

The following information is requested to assist judges in getting to know you as a contestant. It is also likely to be used by the emcee onstage during the contest. If you wish any of this information kept confidential, please indicate with the letter “C” in brackets at the beginning of each line. If you need more space, please write additional comments on the back of the page, numbered appropriately. Please print neatly or type.

When completed, please return to any Powerhouse staff member, email or mail to:

1347 Folsom Street San Francisco, CA 94103.

This application is available in Word format and can be emailed to you.

Email submissions: [spencer.young.1986@gmail.com](mailto:spencer.young.1986@gmail.com)

**Applications must be received by MIDNIGHT Friday, November 8, 2020**

1. **Name you wish to be called during contest:**

2. **Full legal name:**

3. **Street address:**

**City:**

**State:**

**Zip:**

4. **Occupation:**

5. **Email:**

6. **Previous and current titles held:**

**7. Community Service/Involvement:**

**8. Personal Relationship Status:**

**9. Height: Weight: Hair color: Eye color:**

**10. How long have you been “into” kink?**

**11. Favorite Hanky Colors and which side:**

**12. Leather/Motorcycle/Uniform/Fetish club memberships or affiliations:**

**13. Hobbies:**

**14. Please explain briefly why you want to be Ms. Powerhouse, and what you hope to do with the title:**



**15. Describe any strengths or weaknesses that might make you a better choice for this title:**

**Name:**

**Signature:**

**Address:**

**Phone:**

**Email:**

**Date:**

Additional Comments:  
(Use back if needed)