



# Unleash Your Fantasy

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Closet Ball 2023  
Application

March 25, 2023



Any male or female impersonator performing less than 18 months and who has never won a title is eligible to compete. Contestants and sponsors must attend the dress rehearsal at The Max on Saturday, March 25, 2023 promptly at 12:00pm. You will need to provide your category cards at rehearsal.

Application due by **March 17, 2023 at midnight**

### JUDGING

Contestants will be judged in the following categories:

Gender Specific Walk-On (*Contestant's Legal Gender*)

Poise, Attire, and Overall Appearance (25 points)

Talent and Total Look (*Impersonation Gender*)

Presentation and Entertainment (25 points)

Hair, Makeup and Costume (25 points)

Gender Presentation (*Impersonation Gender in Evening/Formal Attire*)

Poise, Overall Appearance (25 points)

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. All contestants must have a sponsor who is a known performer.
2. All contestants and their sponsors must be of legal drinking age in **Nebraska**. They must also possess a valid ID.
3. Contestants must be a new entertainer within the past 18 months and have never won a title.
4. Only performers and sponsors will be allowed in the dressing room. Backup dancers will be allowed in two numbers prior to talent.
5. Only the contestant's sponsor may assist the contestant in dressing and/or make-up, etc.
6. Neither ICON nor The MAX will be responsible for loss or damage to personal property or personal injury.
7. No bare breasts, bare buttocks, fire, or animals allowed.
8. All contestants and sponsors are required to attend dress rehearsal at The MAX at 12Noon the day of the contest.
9. Music is due Wednesday, March 22, 2023 by midnight. Talent and crowning numbers should be submitted to the Max by this time.

10. Contestants must check in with the designated ICON personnel by 6:00pm the night of the contest.
11. Winner of Closet Ball will be required to abide by ICON's By-Laws, SOPs and Code of conduct.
12. Winner will be required to host a Victory Show and perform at the Closet Bal event the following year.

Any contestant or sponsor who wishes to question another contestant's eligibility must do so prior to the end of the Contestant's General Meeting the day of Closet Ball rehearsal. Questions should be addressed to the ICON Event Coordinator overseeing the rehearsal. Failure to raise questions at that time nullifies any questions brought forth later by the contestants or their sponsors.

Applications must be received by Friday, **March 17, 2023** at midnight accompanied by the \$25.00 entry fee. Applications may be submitted in person to Chandler Chubbs. For any questions please contact Chandler Chubbs at: [VPresident@imperialcourtofnebraska.org](mailto:VPresident@imperialcourtofnebraska.org).



Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Stage Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understand the rules and regulations regarding the Closet Ball contest and agree to abide by all these rules. I understand that failure to abide by these rules will disqualify me from entering or participating in the contest.

Contestant Signature:

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Sponsor Signature:

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ICON reserves the right to disqualify or deny any contestant the right to perform in Closet Ball for any violation of these rules.

Any contestant found using illegal drugs or stealing property of person(s) will be automatically disqualified.