

WKU News

42 WKU students candidates for 2024 Homecoming queen

📍 WKU Student Activities

📅 Friday, November 1st, 2024

Forty-two students are candidates for 2024 Homecoming queen at WKU.

The 2024 queen will be crowned Saturday, Nov. 16, during halftime of WKU Football vs. Louisiana Tech at Houchens Industries-L.T. Smith Stadium. Kickoff is set for 11 a.m.

This year's [Homecoming theme](#) is "Roaring Red."

Queen candidates will participate in activities during Homecoming

Week including a fall social on Sunday (Nov. 10), an interview on Tuesday (Nov. 12), a banquet on Wednesday (Nov. 13), a volunteer experience and the Homecoming parade/Big Red's Roar on Friday (Nov. 15). WKU students will cast their votes for queen in online balloting on Monday (Nov. 11).

Homecoming queen candidates are:

- **Caitlyn Blandford** of Owensboro, Kentucky, daughter of Craig and Christy Blandford. Blandford is an Architectural Science and Interior Design major and is sponsored by Alpha Delta Pi and Kappa Sigma.
- **Jozee Bond** of O'Fallon, Illinois, daughter of Todd Bond and the late Haley Bond. Bond is a Human Resources Management major and is sponsored by Alpha Gamma Delta and Phi Gamma Delta.
- **Josey Cheatham** of Borden, Indiana, daughter of Toby and Sherry Cheatham. Cheatham is a Biology major with a minor in Chemistry and is sponsored by Alpha Omicron Pi, Delta Tau Delta and Sigma Nu.
- **Rachel Chrisman** of Lexington, Kentucky, daughter of David and Jamie Chrisman. Chrisman is a Health Sciences and Organizational Leadership major with a minor in Healthcare Administration and is sponsored by Circle of Sisterhood.



- **Kaitlyn Eversole** of Franklin, Kentucky, daughter of Brandy and John Eversole. Eversole is an Interdisciplinary Studies major with a concentration in Education and is sponsored by Student Accessibility Ambassadors.
- **Addison Falkner** of Louisville, Kentucky, daughter of Jeffrey and Rheanne Falkner. Falkner is a Political Science and Psychology major and is sponsored by WKU Spirit Masters.
- **Annie Finch** of Louisville, Kentucky, daughter of Donald and Lisa Finch. Finch is an Elementary Education major and is sponsored by Student Government Association.
- **Andrea Florence** of Elizabethtown, Kentucky, daughter of Stephanie and Richard Spear and John and Amanda McNeely. Florence is a Computer Science major and is sponsored by Student Accessibility Resource Center.
- **Shayna Garrett** of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, daughter of Jay and Stacie Garrett. Garrett is a Communication Sciences and Disorders major and is sponsored by College of Health and Human Services.
- **Kaleigh Goodwin** of Spring Hill, Tennessee, daughter of Brandy and Phillip Eddlemon. Goodwin is a Political Science and Professional Legal Studies major and is sponsored by Pre-Law Student Association.
- **Caitlin Hinds** of Lexington, Kentucky, daughter of Sara and Tom Merideth and Shawn Hinds. Hinds is a Psychology and Criminology major with a minor in Sociology and is sponsored by Department of Society, Culture, Crime, and Justice Studies Ambassadors.
- **Mollie Hoagland** of Corydon, Indiana. Hoagland is a Legal Studies, Political Science and Professional Legal Studies major with a minor in Criminology and is sponsored by Potter College of Arts & Letters Dean's Council of Students.
- **Sarah Holt** of Springfield, Tennessee, daughter of John and Liz Holt. Holt is a Civil Engineering major and is sponsored by Society of Women Engineers.
- **Riley Hurm** of Louisville, Kentucky, daughter of James and Lynette Hurm. Hurm is a Communication Sciences and Disorders major and is sponsored by HonorsToppers.
- **Ashlyn Johnson** of Evansville, Indiana, daughter of Dirk and Heather Johnson. Johnson is a Marketing major with a minor in Business Data Analytics & Creativity and is sponsored by Women in Business.
- **Rory Kiser** of Bardstown, Kentucky, daughter of Nathan and Natalie Kiser. Kiser is a Public Relations and Advertising major with a minor in Strategic Communication and is sponsored by Student Alumni Ambassadors.
- **Keeley McKnight** of Danville, Kentucky, daughter of Margaret Myers and Clifton McKnight. McKnight is a Civil Engineering major and is sponsored by American Society of Civil Engineers.
- **Emily Miller** of Shepherdsville, Kentucky, daughter of Dawn Miller. Miller is a Psychology and Health Science major with a minor in Clinical and Communication Behavioral Health and is sponsored by Alpha Xi Delta and Sigma Chi.
- **Mikalyn Miller** of Clarksville, Tennessee, daughter of Rick and Lea Miller. Miller is a Forensic Psychology major with a minor in Criminology and is sponsored by Delta Zeta, Lambda Chi Alpha and Alpha Gamma Rho.
- **Brooke Mitchell** of Louisville, Kentucky, daughter of Laura and Wayne Mitchell. Mitchell is a Nursing major and is sponsored by Phi Sigma Pi.
- **Lydia Nathan** of Bowling Green, Kentucky, daughter of Andy and Buffy Nathan. Nathan is a Broadcasting major with a minor in Athletic Coaching and is sponsored by Broadcasting Education Association (Alpha Epsilon Rho).

- **Htee Shee Paw** of Bowling Green, Kentucky, daughter of Kyaw Nyoung and Paw Yen. Paw is a Professional Legal Studies and Corporate and Organizational Communication major and is sponsored by TRIO Student Support Services.
- **Madison Payne** of Barbourville, Kentucky, daughter of Scott and Angie Payne. Payne is a Biochemistry major and is sponsored by Chemistry Club and the Chemistry Department.
- **Rachel Payne** of Maysville, Kentucky, daughter of Brian and Jennifer Payne. Payne is an Architectural Science major and is sponsored by Student Athlete Advisory Committee.
- **Lilly Pottlitzer** of Louisville, Kentucky, daughter of Maria and Todd Pottlitzer. Pottlitzer is a Child and Family Services major and is sponsored by Dance Big Red.
- **Addison Pruitt** of Mt. Washington, Kentucky, daughter of Andrew and Amy Pruitt. Pruitt is a Finance, Accounting and Business Data Analytics major and is sponsored by Gordon Ford College of Business Ambassadors.
- **Rosie Ribble** of Nashville, Tennessee, daughter of Matthew and Tessa Ribble. Ribble is a Corporate & Organizational Communications and Public Relations major and is sponsored by Phi Mu and Kappa Alpha Order.
- **Skyler Richardson** of Edwardsville, Illinois, daughter of Erin and Derek Richardson. Richardson is a Marketing major with a concentration in social media and is sponsored by Sigma Kappa, Alpha Tau Omega and Farmhouse Fraternity.
- **Taylor Richardson** of Lebanon, Kentucky, daughter of Glen and Amy Richardson. Richardson is a Mechanical Engineering major and is sponsored by Order of Omega.
- **Kaylee Russell** of Brownsville, Kentucky, daughter of Chad Russell and Brandy Meredith. Russell is an English for Secondary Teachers major and is sponsored by College of Education and Behavioral Sciences Ambassadors.
- **Anabeth Schneider** of Lexington, Kentucky, daughter of Ryan Schneider. Schneider is a Psychology major with a minor in Clinical and Community Behavioral Health and is sponsored by Best Buddies.
- **Lily Scott** of Nashville, Tennessee, daughter of David and Karen Scott. Scott is a Marketing major and is sponsored by Rho Lambda.
- **Tylia Standard** of Columbus, Ohio, daughter of Chimere Standard. Standard is an Interior Design major and is sponsored by WKU National Pan-Hellenic Council.
- **Shelby Summers** of Winchester, Kentucky, daughter of Bobby and Wendy Summers. Summers is an Elementary Education major and is sponsored by Western Kentucky University Educators Rising Collegiate.
- **Caitlin Taylor** of Tell City, Indiana, daughter of Chris Taylor and Tonya Coomer. Taylor is a Sports Management major and is sponsored by Chi Omega and Sigma Phi Epsilon.
- **MaKaylee Thompson** of Pig, Kentucky, daughter of Mike and Sherrell Thompson. Thompson is a Parks, Recreation, and Non-Profit Administration major and is sponsored by Recreation Majors Club.
- **Sarah Vincent** of Bardstown, Kentucky, daughter of Jacob and Lee Ann Vincent. Vincent is a Public Health and Healthcare Administration major and is sponsored by Kappa Delta and Pi Kappa Alpha.
- **Kristina Volker** of Elizabethtown, Kentucky, daughter of Kenneth and Kyoung Volker. Volker is a Health Science major and is sponsored by Baptist Campus Ministry.
- **Emilee Williams** of Bowling Green, Kentucky, daughter of Linda and Doug Williams. Williams is a Hospitality Management major with a minor in Meeting and Convention Planning and is sponsored by Omega Phi Alpha and Sigma Alpha Epsilon.
- **Kaylie Wise** of Georgetown, Kentucky, daughter of Christy and Billy Wise. Wise is a Finance major and is sponsored by Delta Sigma Pi.

- **Anne-Marie Wright** of Owensboro, Kentucky, daughter of Brian and Tina Wright. Wright is a Psychology major with a minor in Organizational Leadership and is sponsored by the Panhellenic and Interfraternity Councils.
- **Monica Yates** of Russellville, Kentucky, daughter of Linda and Allen Yates. Yates is a Criminology and Communication Studies major and is sponsored by the Office of Admissions.

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Logsdon, Jeremy

From: Summers, Shelby
Sent: Wednesday, November 6, 2024 11:03 AM
To: Logsdon, Jeremy; Hussung, Jessie
Subject: Homecoming Banquet

Good afternoon,

For homecoming I have 3 tickets for the banquet. My mother is coming and I have 2 empty spots! It is on Wednesday, November 13th at 6pm. Would you guys like to come to the banquet?