

# **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

1. **When is the Contest?** Sunday, February 19, 2012
2. **Where is the Contest?**  
Plumbers Hall in the Stephen M. Bailey Auditorium  
1340 W. Washington Blvd., Chicago, Illinois 60607
3. **Can my family attend?**  
Yes, family may come, but there is limited space so we ask that you limit your guests to immediate family members.
4. **What are the requirements?**
  - a. any girl of Irish ancestry
  - b. must be between the ages of 17-27 years old.
  - c. Send a snapshot with name, age, address, phone number and a brief biography and explanation on why you want to be Queen.
5. **Where do I send my information?**  
Mail to: "Queen Contest", 1400 W. Washington Blvd., Chicago, Illinois 60607  
Email to: [lisa@plumbingcouncil.com](mailto:lisa@plumbingcouncil.com) or send fax to 312.421.6982
6. **What is the deadline for entering?** Friday, February 10, 2012.
7. **What is the dress code?**  
Semi-formal dress is preferable, but please no cocktail dresses, formals or slacks.
8. **What time is the contest?**  
For the girls chosen to be in the contest, registration begins at 10:00 a.m. must be prompt. The contest will begin at 12 Noon.
9. **How many judges?** There are approximately 25-30 judges.
10. **What is the format for the contest?**  
There are:    2 rounds with all of the contestants  
                  1 round with only 50 finalists  
                  1 round with only 20 finalists  
                  1 round with only 5 finalists from which the Queen is chosen and the remaining four will be the Queen's Court.
11. **Are there any instructions prior to contest?**  
Yes, we have a staff of people who will guide you through the process prior to the contest.
12. **If I am chosen queen, what is expected of me?**  
You are required to be available to attend various functions as the acting Queen for the two weeks prior to the St. Patrick's Day.
13. **If I am chosen to be part of the queen's court, what is expected of me?**  
You are required to be available to attend various functions as the acting Queen's Court for the two weeks prior to the St. Patrick's Day.