



# News Release

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### **Baby parade king and queen selected at Florida Strawberry Festival**

PLANT CITY, Fla. (March 9, 2019) – The king and queen of the Florida Strawberry Festival’s annual baby parade were crowned today on the festival grounds.

In this year’s baby contest, sponsored by South Florida Baptist Hospital and held in front of the GT Grandstands, contestants ranging in age from 1 year old to 4 years old competed in several categories: most beautiful, most handsome, best personality, best costume and best float.

In the 1-year-old most beautiful category, Sofia Marie Wright won first place; Ava Grace Robinson won second place; Celeste Aguilor won third place.

In the 1-year-old most handsome category, Kace Bernard Boles won first place; Maverick Lorenzo Lawrence III won second place; Kolton Gage Wilkerson won third place.

In the 1-year-old best personality category, Baylin Cole Davis won first place; Caiden Douglas Ferry won second place; Reagan Elizabeth Causey won third place.

In the 1-year-old best costume category, Cheyenne Grace Boston won first place; Liana Eden Pfoff won second place.

In the 1-year-old best float category, Emily Scarlett Goin won first place; Dawson Brandon Edwards won second place.

In the 2-year-old most beautiful category, Aubrey Maitlyn Sweeney won first place; Olivia Grace Valerius won second place; Paisley Sue Silva won third place.

In the 2-year-old most handsome category, Mateo Gutierrez won first place; Paxton Grey Nessmith won second place; Brysen Eliot Inman won third place.

In the two 2-year-old best personality category, Karsyn Brielle Royse won first place.

In the 2-year-old best costume category, Kennedy Payton Deagan won first place.

In the 2-year-old float category, Maicie Renae Armstrong won first place; Callie Jo Mann won second place.

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In the 3-year-old most beautiful category, Kinsley Rae Newberry won first place; Sophie Massey Morales won second place; Sailor Lynn Showalter won third place.

In the 3-year-old most handsome category, Jared Michael Paul Jr. won first place; Hudson Daniel Garrett won second place; Landon Charles Proctor won third place.

In the 3-year-old best personality category, Raegan Sawyer Cale won first place; Kimber Marie Wright won second place.

In the 3-year-old best costume category, Sawyer Steven O'Brien won first place; Heaven Louise Martinez won second place.

In the 3-year-old best float category, Harper Jean Cauley won first place.

In the 4-year-old most beautiful category, Ainslee Elizabeth Creel won first place; Jaelina Anderson won second place; Jena Lynn Stevens won third place.

In the 4-year-old most handsome category, Tucker Russel Brown won first place; Cash Axel Jones won second place; Sebastian Smith won third place.

In the 4-year-old best personality category, Lillian Grace Jones won first place; Rylan Elyse Jameson won second place; Kiley Anna McPeak won third place.

In the 4-year-old best costume category, Hailey Raelynn Clark won first place; Allie Faye McDowell won second place; Winston Allen Deagan won third place.

In the 4-year-old best float category, Kadence Nicole Drawdy won first place.

The first place winners in each of the four year old categories make up the baby parade court: queen Ainslee Elizabeth Creel, king Tucker Russel Brown and court members Lillian Grace Jones, Hailey Raelynn Clark and Kadence Nicole Drawdy.

### **About the Florida Strawberry Festival**

The Florida Strawberry Festival is an 11-day community event celebrating the strawberry harvest of Eastern Hillsborough County. Each year, over 500,000 visitors enjoy the festival's headline entertainment, youth livestock shows, exhibits of commerce and, of course, its strawberry shortcake. The 2019 Florida Strawberry Festival where "It's A Hit!" will take place February 28 - March 10 in Plant City, Fla. For more information, visit [www.flstrawberryfestival.com](http://www.flstrawberryfestival.com), Facebook, Instagram and Twitter (#berryfest19).

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