

Press Release

For Immediate Release

Miss Lacey Hines, daughter of David and Joyce Hines has been chosen as a State Finalist in the Miss Maryland American Preteen Pageant to be held July 31, 2005 at the beautiful Marriott Hotel in Hunt Valley, Maryland. The pageant is held for girls ages 10 through 12. The winner of the pageant will receive a cash award, the official crown and banner, bouquet of roses, transportation to compete in the National Pageant at Walt Disney World, Orlando, plus a day in Disney for two. She will also have an exciting year as she represents her state making appearances, riding in parades, working with several charitable organizations, as well as the opportunity to meet the Governor, and many modeling & television opportunities. Other pageants are held for the state to include all girls ages 3 to 22.

Thousands of dollars in cash awards, scholarships, trophies, and prizes will be awarded during the state pageant weekend. According to pageant officials, since 1983 the Miss American



Coed Pageant System has awarded more than ten million dollars in scholarships and awards to deserving young ladies. There is no makeup allowed for ages 3 to 12.

Families interested in receiving information about the pageants may call or write American Coed Pageants "Headquarters", 5312 Browning Road, Suite B-01, Pennsauken, New Jersey 08109, phone (856) 576-0148, web: www.misscoedpageants.com. The pageants are for "Tomorrow's Leaders". They are open to girls ages 3 to 22, with goals and dreams based on inner beauty, as well as, poise, appearance, and an "All American Spirit for family, fun, and friends" Emphasis is placed on the importance of gaining self-confidence, learning new skills, learning good attitudes about competition, and setting and achieving goals.

Miss Lacey Hines activities include playing for the 12 & Under MD Hurricanes AAU basketball team, cheerleading for the Arbutus Golden Eagles, playing softball for the Arbutus Girls Athletic Association, and spending time with her family and friends. She also enjoys volunteering in her school and community. Miss Lacey Hines sponsors include Planet Auto, Maryland Hurricanes, Promotional Xpressions, family and friends.