

Pin-up Hairstyle - Retro Style

The competition is inspired by the fashion of the 1940s–1950s. The styling should reflect the trends of that era.

Pin-up (from English, meaning "to pin or hang up") refers to a trend originating in the 1940s and 1950s. Pin-up girls were beautiful, smiling women dressed in flared dresses or revealing outfits/lingerie. They often appeared on posters that men pinned to their walls (hence the name).

Pin-up style outfits have become historical icons and continue to inspire many stylists.

Regulations

1. The competition involves creating a hairstyle of the "Pin-up Retro Style" type.
Hairstyling time: maximum of 40 minutes on stage. **Note:** Makeup and retro outfit styling must be completed before entering the competition area.
2. All participants must be at least 18 years old.
3. The winner will be the contestant who earns the most points from the jury.
4. Participants will style their own models (models must be at least 16 years old).
Participants are responsible for arranging their own models according to the rules.
5. The model's hair should be partially pinned up with a retro-style scarf.
6. Models should wear outfits matching the competition theme. At the start of the competition, makeup must be completed. Contestants will only style the hair. **Note:** Makeup can be done by a third party before the competition.
7. Models must enter the competition area with dry, straight hair combed back.
8. Participants who fail to adhere to time limits, prepare parts of the hairstyle beforehand, or create a hairstyle inconsistent with the theme will be disqualified.
9. Allowed equipment: combs, round brushes, flat brushes, hairdryers, spray bottles, hair ties, hairpins, bun fillers.
10. Allowed cosmetics: mousse, hairspray, shine products, pomade, paste, wax, talc, styling powder, gel, brilliantine.
11. Allowed tools: straighteners, thermal rollers, crimpers, curling irons, crimping irons, hairdryers.
12. Prohibited cosmetics: coloring powders, coloring gels, spray colors, coloring mousses.
13. Hairstyling time: 40 minutes, with 5 minutes for the final presentation of the model.
The final setup time is not included in the hairstyling duration. **Note:** Completing the hairstyle during the final setup time is not permitted. Contestants must remain in the competition area until the end of the allocated time unless granted permission by the judges.
14. Hairstyles should be prepared entirely during the competition. Hair must not be pre-arranged (e.g., curled or set with rollers) before entering the competition area.
15. Competition hairstyles can be created using any hairstyling technique, including the use of hair extensions and fillers.
16. Contestants must bring their own equipment and materials.
17. Models must have outfits matching the competition theme.

18. Contestants must leave their stations after the allocated time. Contestants who finish early should raise their hand and prepare the model for judging (5 minutes, not included in the hairstyling time) before leaving the station.
19. The jury consists of three main judges and two assistant judges. Scoring is transparent, and the jury evaluates directly at the model's station. Points are awarded on a 0–10 scale in the following categories: hairstyle execution time, makeup, and styling consistency with the theme ("Pin-up Retro Style"). **Note:** Judges will not consult each other regarding their scoring decisions.
20. The jury may assign penalty points for non-compliance with the rules, use of prohibited items, starting work before the competition begins, or continuing after the 40-minute limit. Hairstyles prepared inappropriately before the competition will also result in penalties. In case of a tie, the winner will be determined by the time taken to complete the hairstyle and styling. The jury may issue a red card, disqualifying a participant from further competition. A red card is given for starting work before the official start or receiving help from third parties during the hairstyling process.