

"MISS WORLD" COMPETITION

List of Competitors

		<u>Age.</u>	<u>Profession</u>
✓ <u>GREAT BRITAIN</u>	Miss Brenda Mee	20	Fashion Model
<u>CEYLON</u> 2	Miss Manel Illangakoon	20	Nil.
<u>ISRAEL</u>	Miss Havatzelet Dror	19	Student
<u>GREECE</u>	Miss Alexandra Ladikou	20	Student
✓ <u>U.S.A.</u>	Miss Mary Griffin	23	Model
<u>HOLLAND</u>	Miss Yvonne Meyer	20	Model
<u>DENMARK</u>	Miss Ingrid Andersen	20	Mannequin
<u>FINLAND</u>	Miss Maija Riitta Tuomala	19	Mannequin
<u>GERMANY</u>	Miss Wilma Kanders	20	Mannequin
<u>NORWAY</u>	Miss Solveig Gulbrandsen	23	Model
<u>SWEDEN</u> 1	Miss Ingrid Johansson	18	Secretary
<u>SWITZERLAND</u>	Miss Odette Michel	19	Photo Model
✓ <u>EGYPT</u>	Miss Marina Papaelia	20	Model
✓ <u>FRANCE</u>	Miss Denise Perrier	18	Student
<u>MONTE CARLO</u>	Miss Elizabeth Chovisky	18	Classical Dancer

"MISS WORLD" FINALS

"Lyceum" Strand, - 19th October 1953.

Judging to commence at 8 p.m.

Dance to follow until 1 a.m.

OVERALL PRODUCTION & ORGANISATION

Eric D. Morley.

LYCEUM MANAGER

George Andersen.

STAGE MANAGEMENT

Jess Yates.

COMMENTATOR

Eamonn Andrews.

BAND

"Blue Rockets".

Trumpet fanfares by The Bugles and Drums of H.M. Royal
Marines (Portsmouth).

By permission of Major General Royal Marines, Portsmouth.

Directed by Bugle Major C. H. Weight, R.M.

JUDGES

Charles Eade (Chairman)

Margaret Lockwood

David Niven

Godfrey Winn

Viscountess Tarbat

Jacques Prieur (Comite International
Pour l'Election de
Miss Europe)

One other judge to be announced later.

Running order of the show.

The opening of the show will see the girls all on the stage together in evening dress. They will be introduced individually.

At the conclusion of this introduction they will leave for the dressing rooms to change into swim-suits. They will then be introduced first individually and then collectively. They will line the stage for several minutes whilst the judges make their deliberation. They will then retire to the dressing room and change back into evening dress, returning to the stage, and it is in evening dress that "Miss World" will be crowned.

Therefore, if you wish to take any photographs of the girls in swim-suits, the time to do so is between the two appearances in evening dress.

Ladies and gentlemen, we ask you most sincerely to remember that the public have paid for admission and, therefore, it is not fair to them if photographers keep jumping all over the place, so obstructing their view. We have arranged matters so that the press are seated at the side and photographers can halt the girls at certain sections of the rostrum in order to take photographs, but please be kind enough when doing this to keep your head down and not obstruct the view.

In conclusion, at the finale there will be an interval between the end of the show and the beginning of the dance, so there will be plenty of time to take the necessary pictures then.

We do request you to take your pictures from the floor, and not to jump on the stage so that all photographers have an equal chance. Also, after the show, do not take competitors to various parts of the hall for photographs but take all pictures on the stage. This request is made in the interests of all members of the press.

It would be appreciated if the press would kindly keep off the stage during and after the presentation as the newsreels will be filming. The whole presentation will be re-enacted afterwards for the taking of photographs.

We shall do our best to help the ladies and gentlemen of the press and we do trust that, in return, they will co-operate with us in order to present a smoothly run show, which the public will be able to see comfortably.

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Measurements of Competitors.

MISS GREAT BRITAIN Height 5'6" Hips 35" Neck 11½"
 Weight 8st.10lb. Thigh 20" Wrist 6"
 Bust 35" Calf 13" Upper Arm 10½"
 Waist 22" Ankle 8" Lower Arm 8½"
 Dress Size 12. Shoe Size 5. Stocking Size 9½".

MISS CEYLON Height 5'5" Hips 35" Neck 12"
 Weight 7st.11lb. Thigh 17" Wrist 5¼"
 Bust 35" Calf 11" Upper Arm 9½"
 Waist 22½" Ankle 7½" Lower Arm 7¾"
 Shoe Size 4.

MISS ISRAEL Height 5'6½" (170cm) Hips 38" (97cm)
 Weight 9st.4lb. Thigh 21" (54cm)
 (59kgs) Calf 14½" (37cm)
 Bust 35½" (91cm) Ankle 9" (23cm)
 Waist 25" (64cm) Neck 13½" (35cm)
 Wrist 7" (18cm) Upper Arm 11½" (30cm)
 Lower Arm 9½" (25cm)

MISS GREECE Height 5'6½" (170cm) Hips 34½" (88cm)
 Weight 9st.9½lb. Thigh 21" (54cm)
 (61.5kgm) Calf 13" (33cm)
 Bust 35" (90cm) Ankle 8" (21.5cm)
 Waist 23½" (65cm) Neck 12½" (32cm)
 Wrist 6" (16cm) Upper Arm 9" (26cm)
 Lower Arm 8½" (22cm)

MISS U.S.A. Height 5'8" Hips 36" Neck 12½"
 Weight 9st.8lb. Thigh 15½" Wrist 6"
 Bust 36" Calf 13½" Upper Arm 10"
 Waist 24" Ankle 8½" Lower Arm 8"

MISS HOLLAND Height 5'8½" (175cm) Hips 37" (96cm)
 Weight 9st.6lb. Thigh 20" (52cm)
 (60kgm) Calf 13" (34cm)
 Bust 37" (95cm) Ankle 8½" (22cm)
 Waist 23½" (60cm) Neck 13" (34cm)
 Wrist 6½" (17cm) Upper Arm 10" (28cm)
 Lower Arm 10" (28cm)

MISS DENMARK Height 5'6" (168cm) Hips 36½" (94cm)
 Weight 8st.11lb. Thigh 20½" (53cm)
 Bust 36" (92cm) Calf 11½" (30cm)
 Waist 25½" (65cm) Ankle 7½" (20cm)
 Lower Arm 6" (15cm) Neck 11½" (30cm)
 Wrist 5½" (14cm) Upper Arm 8½" (22cm)

MISS FINLAND Height 5'5½" (167cm) Hips 35½" (90.5cm)
 Weight 8st. (51kgm) Thigh 19½" (49.5cm)
 Bust 35" (89cm) Calf 12½" (32.5cm)
 Waist 21" (53cm) Ankle 7½" (20cm)
 Lower Arm 9" (23cm) Neck
 Wrist 6" (15.5cm) Upper Arm 9½" (25cm)

MISS GERMANY Height 5'5½" (167cm) Hips 36" (92cm)
 Weight 9st.3lb. Thigh 20½" (52cm)
 Bust 36" (92cm) Calf 12½" (32cm)
 Waist 22½" (58cm) Ankle 7½" (20cm)
 Wrist 6" (15.5cm) Neck 12½" (32cm)
 Lower Arm 8" (21cm) Upper Arm 9" (23cm)

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Competitors' Measurements (continued)

MISS SWEDEN

Height	5'4" (163cm)	Hips	35" (89cm)
Weight	8st.4lb. (53kgm)	Thigh	19½" (50cm)
Bust	35" (89cm)	Calf	13" (34cm)
Waist	20½" (52cm)	Ankle	8½" (22cm)
Wrist	6" (15cm)	Neck	12" (31cm)
Lower Arm	8" (21cm)	Upper Arm	9½" (25cm)

MISS SWITZERLAND

Height	5'4" (163cm)	Hips	33" (85cm)
Weight	7st.4½lb. (46.5km)	Thigh	19" (48cm)
Bust	33" (86cm)	Calf	12" (31cm)
Waist	22" (57cm)	Ankle	7½" (19cm)
Wrist	5" (14cm)	Neck	12½" (32cm)
Lower Arm	8" (21cm)	Upper Arm	9½" (24cm)

MISS NORWAY

Height	5'5" (165cm)	Hips	35"
Weight	8st. (51kgm)	Thigh	19"
Bust	37"	Calf	13"
Waist	27"	Ankle	8"
Wrist	6"	Neck	12"
Lower Arm	8½"	Upper Arm	9½"

MISS FRANCE

Height	5'6"	Hips	35"
Weight	8st.7lb(54kg)	Thigh	17"
Bust	33"	Calf	12½"
Waist	22"	Ankle	8"
Wrist	6"	Upper Arm	9½"
Lower Arm	8½"		

MISS MONTECARLO

Height	5'4½" (164cm)	Hips	36"
Weight	8st.5lb(53kg)	Thigh	18"
Bust	35½"	Calf	13½"
Waist	23"	Ankle	8½"
Wrist	6"	Upper Arm	10"
Lower Arm	8½"		