



DRAFT CALENDAR 2026

Date	Event	Venue
Monday 26 th January 17h00	Entries Close	Website
Week of 26 th January 2026	Cape Town Casting*	Venue TBC
	Durban Casting*	Venue TBC
Friday 30 th January*	National Casting*	Venue TBC, JHB
Saturday 31 st January – Sunday 1 st February*	National Semi-finalist Workshop*	Venue TBC, JHB
Saturday 21 st March	Human Rights Day	National
Saturday 28 th March**	Women's Breakfast**	Emperors Palace, Kempton Park, Gauteng
Sunday 29 th March**	Semi-finalist Workshop**	
Friday 3 rd – Monday 6 th April	Easter Weekend	National
Monday 27 th April	Freedom Day	
Friday 1 st May	Workers Day	
Friday 29 th May**	Annual Golf Day**	Glendower Golf Club, Kempton Park
Tuesday 16 th June	Youth Day	National
WED 1 ST – FRI 3 RD JULY*	SEMI-FINALS WEEK*	TBC, GAUTENG
FRIDAY 3 RD JULY*	SEMI-FINAL SHOWCASE*	THEATRE OF MARCELLUS, EMPERORS PALACE
SAT 4 TH – SUN 5 TH JULY*	FINALISTS' WORKSHOP & OFFICIAL SHOOT*	TBC, GAUTENG
Sun 9 th August – Mon 10 th August	Women's Day	National
Thursday 24 th September	Heritage Day	
SEPTEMBER*	FINALISTS' LIFESTYLE CHALLENGE*	TBC
	PAGEANT WEEK*	TBC, GAUTENG
TUES 10 TH – SAT 14 TH NOVEMBER*	12 TH PRELIMINARY COMPETITION*	THEATRE OF MARCELLUS, EMPERORS PALACE
	13 TH CROWNING*	
November 2026	Entries open for 2027	Website
Friday 11 th December	Office closes until 2027	N/A

KEY:

GREEN: NATIONAL PUBLIC HOLIDAY

RED*: COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE

BLUE** COMPULSORY INVOLVEMENT

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETINGS

FRI 27TH MARCH

FRI 19TH JUNE

FRI 18TH SEPTEMBER

FRI 11TH DECEMBER