

Bailey Howell Crowned Miss Juneteenth USA 2025. Continuing the Legacy of Freedom and Empowerment



Fort Worth, Texas Oct 21, 2025 ([IssueWire.com](https://www.IssueWire.com)) - Unity Unlimited, Inc., the brand managers and producers of Opal's Walk for Freedom, proudly announces that Bailey Howell, the reigning Miss Juneteenth DFW 2025 and Miss Juneteenth Texas USA, has gone on to make history by winning the national title of Miss Juneteenth USA 2025.

"I am deeply grateful beyond measure to have been chosen as a voice for the Black community and entrusted with the honor of standing at the forefront for young Black women. I want every young lady to know that her worth is never defined by her appearance or her traits, but by the depth of her heart and her determination to pursue whatever she sets her mind to", exclaimed Bailey.

Bailey first captured the title of Miss Juneteenth DFW in June 2025, launching the annual Juneteenth celebrations powered by Unity Unlimited, Inc. Her grace, intellect, and commitment to community service embodied the true spirit of Juneteenth — freedom, education, and progress.

Following her regional win in July, Bailey represented the State of Texas at the national pageant, where she stood out for her advocacy for youth empowerment and cultural education. Her victory as Miss Juneteenth USA marks a significant milestone in her journey and highlights the growing impact of the Juneteenth movement across the country.

"Bailey's accomplishment is not just a win for Texas — it's a win for every young woman who dares to stand proud in her heritage and purpose," said Dione Sims, *Executive Director of Unity Unlimited, Inc.* "She represents the next generation continuing the march toward unity and freedom for all."

Unity Unlimited, Inc. remains committed to creating opportunities that educate, empower, and celebrate the legacy of Juneteenth through events like the Empowering You Resource Fair and programs such as Your Voice Unleashed Vocational and Fine Arts enrichment workshop.

Bailey Howell's national victory underscores the importance of preserving cultural heritage while inspiring youth to lead with purpose and pride. As Miss Juneteenth USA, Bailey will serve as a national ambassador for Juneteenth awareness, traveling across the U.S. to speak on education, equality, and community service — continuing the mission championed by Dr. Opal Lee.

For media interviews, sponsorship opportunities, or to learn more about Unity Unlimited's initiatives, please contact missjuneteenthdfw@unityunlimited.org or visit unityunlimited.org.

About Unity Unlimited, Inc.

Unity Unlimited, Inc. is a non-profit organization based in Fort Worth, Texas, dedicated to empowering communities through education, history, and civic engagement. Endorsed by Dr. Opal Lee, the Grandmother of Juneteenth, and founded by Dione Sims, Unity Unlimited is the official producer of 2026 Multistate Opal's Walk for Freedom, celebrating the country's 250th Anniversary. This national movement helped establish Juneteenth as a federal holiday in the United States.

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