



SUMMERSVILLE SHOWCASE VOCAL CONTEST

RULES & REGULATIONS

TIMELINE

- PRELIMINARY ROUND CHECK-IN: Friday, June 26, 4:30 - 5:30 pm
- FINALS ROUND CHECK-IN: Friday, July 17, 4:30-5:30 pm
- ANNOUNCEMENT OF WINNERS FOLLOWS

WHO MAY ENTER?

- Anyone may enter, male or female
- Contestants under the age of 18 must have a legal guardian's permission
- All contestants must be amateur entertainers and be unsigned

THE COMPETITION

The competition will take place in two rounds: preliminary and finals

PRELIMINARY ROUND

- Contestants should prepare ONE SONG for the Preliminary Round
- The time limit is five (5) minutes
- Contestants must provide accompaniment music on a flash drive
- Contestants will draw a number for order of performance

FINALS ROUND

- Contestants must prepare TWO SONGS but perform no longer than EIGHT MINUTES
- Contestants exceeding their performance time may be faded out
- Finalists must be present to receive awards

PERFORMANCE

- A contestant may only perform as a solo act
- No backup singers or dancers are allowed
- A sound system and microphone will be supplied
- Contestants may not utilize live props or animals
- Contestants should communicate with the audience and judges
- All clothing should be modest and suitable for family entertainment

MUSIC SELECTION

- Songs must be suitable for family entertainment
- Backup tracks should be void of lead vocals
- Contestants should bring backup copies of accompaniment music
- Contestants who do not show up at their scheduled time may be disqualified
- Songs must not contain vulgar or explicit lyrics
- Contestants guilty of distracting performers or confronting judges may be disqualified

PRIZES FOR WINNERS

- First-place winner will receive \$1000

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- The City of Summersville reserves the right to cancel or modify the event as necessary.
- Contestants consent to the use of their name, image, and recordings for promotional purposes.
- The City of Summersville reserves the right to disqualify any contestant supplying misleading information.