

2017 MISSOURI STATE FAIR IDOL

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Contest Rules & Regulations

Preliminary Rounds

August 10-13

Semifinal Rounds

August 17-19

Final Round

August 20

ENTRY FORM

Entries must be received by July 21, 2017

Entrants must be at least fifteen (15) years of age at time of contest entry. Entrants must participate in one of the qualifying contests sponsored by an Idol Contest media partner, or mail an entry form and audition video (Youtube links, VHS or DVD formats) to the Missouri State Fair. You may also email your entry form and audition video/link to msfidol@gmail.com. Length of audition material is not to exceed 4 minutes; audition video should consist of an authentic vocal performance singing a cappella, with an accompaniment CD, with one live stringed instrument accompanist, or with the performer playing a stringed instrument. No live background vocal assist is allowed (background vocals and music from the accompaniment music are allowed); no explicit content/lyrics are allowed; a completed entry form must accompany the video. Contestants will be notified by July 28, 2017, and will be provided with further information regarding performance date and time. Four (4) preliminary rounds will be held, one each day Aug 10 to 13. Three (3) semifinal rounds will be held, one each day, Aug 17 to 19 and the final round will be held Aug 20. Finalists must be present and available to perform at the contest on available dates and are required to send in a copy (on a CD free from scratches or damage) or email MP3 to the Fair prior to each performance. Contestants should be prepared to sing up to two (2) songs in the preliminary rounds, up to two (2) in the semifinal rounds and up to three (3) in the final round. Regular Fair admission fee will be required on each performance date to enter the fairgrounds. Contest rules and format are subject to change.

NAME _____
First Last

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____ (month/day/year) _____ MALE _____ FEMALE

PHONE NUMBERS _____
Home Cell

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Please check this box after you have read the information below. **Box MUST be checked for entry to be considered. ***

*** MISSOURI STATE FAIR RIDER**

The Artist(s) shall be responsible for any and all injury or damage as a result of the Artist(s)'s negligence involving any equipment or service provided under the terms and conditions of the contract. In addition to the liability imposed upon the Artist(s) or account of personal injury, bodily injury (including death), or property damage suffered as a result of the Artist(s)'s negligence, the Artist(s) assumes the obligations to save the State of Missouri, including the Department of Agriculture and the Missouri State Fair, its employees, and assigns, from every expense, liability or payment arising out of such negligent act. The Artist(s) also agrees to hold the State of Missouri including the Department of Agriculture and the Missouri State Fair, its employees, and assigns, harmless for any negligent act or omission committed by any subArtist(s) under the terms of the contract.

However, the Artist(s) shall not be responsible for any injury or damage occurring as a result of any negligent act or omission committed by the State of Missouri, its employees, and assigns.

The Artist(s) understands and agrees that the State of Missouri, including the Department of Agriculture and the Missouri State Fair, its employees, and assigns, cannot save and hold harmless and/or indemnify the Artist(s) or employees against any liability incurred or arising as a result of any activity of the Artist(s) or any activity of the Artist(s)'s employees related to the Artist(s)'s performance under the contract.

The Artist(s) understands that it may be necessary for the Missouri State Fair to postpone or cancel a performance rendered impossible or infeasible by any acts or regulations of any public authority, court or bureau; by riots or other manifestations of civil strife; by strikes or other forms of labor difficulties; by epidemics; by interruptions in or delay of transportation services; by war conditions; by emergencies; by acts of God; or by any other similar or dissimilar causes beyond the control of the Missouri State Fair. It is agreed that there shall be no claim for damages by either party to this Contract for any non-performance due to any of the reasons set forth above, that each party shall bear its own costs attributable to the canceled engagement, and the Artist(s)'s and Missouri State Fair's obligations as to the performance affected by the above-stated reasons shall be deemed waived.

Signature _____

Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature if Under Age 18 _____

This competition has no affiliation or relationship with the television show "American Idol," which is a registered

Send completed entry form and audition video by July 21, 2017, to:

Missouri State Fair Idol Contest 2503 W. 16th St. Sedalia, MO 65301 or msfidol@gmail.com

