

Lexington Village Theatre & Pub

2018 Karaoke Contest Rules

SCHEDULE OF ROUNDS, each event begins promptly at 8pm

Jan 6	Round 1 – Ten chosen to advance
Jan 13	Round 2 – Ten chosen to advance
Jan 20	Semi Finals – Twenty semi-finalists compete, ten chosen to advance to Finals
Jan 27	Finals – Ten finalists compete for Grand Prize

RULES

1. **Contestants must be present at each round to compete, advance and win. Do NOT register if you are unable to attend each Round.**
2. All karaoke contest participants will be randomly drawn the night of the contest.
3. You must be >18 years old to enter the contest and have valid proof of identification.
4. Contestants may perform as solo or as a duet. Group (>2) performances are not allowed.
5. Each contestant will sign a 2018 Registration Form with Waiver, completed prior to taking the stage. *Duets must have both individuals sign the same Registration Form and Waiver.*
6. You are ineligible if you have a music-recording contract.
7. Employees and immediate family members of Lexington Village Theatre & Pub, Sweetwater Gourmet Deli & Bar are not eligible to participate.
8. Each contestant/duet will sing one song.
9. Musical instruments will only be allowed if they are being used as props. There can be no sound from them.
10. Each contestant is responsible for confirming his/her song selection with the DJ prior to 7pm on each night of competition.
11. Top four contestants (Duets are considered one individual and are required to share prize) will be chosen at the Karaoke finals on Jan 27th. Prizes are:
 - a. Grand Prize: \$500
 - b. Second Place: \$300
 - c. Third Place: \$200
 - d. Fourth Place: \$100
12. LVTP reserves the right to disqualify and/or exclude, in our sole and absolute discretion any individual from any of the competitions for any reason or no reason at all, including, without limitation, a violation of any portion of these rules, or tampering with the entry of audition process.
13. These rules are enforceable based on LVTP's interpretation.
14. LVTP has final say in any and all decisions regarding these contests.
15. LVTP reserves the right to change these rules or procedures at any time and without notice.
16. General Contest Rules apply.

COMPETITION GUIDELINES

1. Each contestant will be judged on a point system according to the following categories:
 - a. Vocal Performance – 50% Value of Total Score
 - b. Song Interpretation – 25% Value of Total Score
 - c. Stage Presence – 25% Value of Total Score
2. Each contestant will be allowed to sing one song to be judged. No "second takes" except in the case of a mechanical malfunction (see #3)
3. In the situation that there is a malfunction of equipment, the contestant is allowed to start over per his/her request. This request must be made PRIOR to leaving the stage. Examples: Feedback, loss of mic or digital malfunction.
4. Any contestant guilty of distracting, insulting or confronting another contestant or an audience member will be disqualified.

I have read the above rules and agree to abide by the rules set forth by LVTP. I do understand that if I violate any of the above it will be at the discretion of LVTP to terminate my participation in the contest.

PRINT NAME: _____ SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____