

\$250 Awarded to Winner in Each Age Division!

HEART OF ILLINOIS FAIR RISING STAR SINGING CONTEST

This is NOT A KARAOKE CONTEST

Sunday, July 10, 2011

YOUTH DIVISION: 1:30 p.m. • ADULT DIVISION: 4:00 p.m.

Exposition Gardens

1601 West Northmoor Road • Peoria, Illinois

Contest Will Be Held In The Entertainment Tent

A Panel Of Judges will decide the winner

- Age Divisions: Youth (8-12 & 13-17) • Adult (18 & Up)
- All participants **MUST** be accompanied by a Back-Up Track or perform a cappella. You may accompany yourself with an instrument.
- **MAXIMUM LENGTH OF PERFORMANCE – ONE SONG** not to exceed 4 minutes. Point Penalty for going over 4 minutes.
- **TOP 5 POINT RECIPIENTS** will move on to the **FINAL ROUND**. You will be asked to perform a **DIFFERENT SONG . . . again**, not to exceed 4 minutes.

Participants will receive (1) Entry Ticket to the Fair

Family & Friends must **EACH** purchase a general admission ticket to the Fair

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DEADLINE TO ENTER IS JULY 1ST

Name _____ Age _____ Telephone # _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

PLEASE CHECK THE CATEGORY THAT BEST DESCRIBES YOUR TALENT:

Singing (Solo) - Musical Style: Country__ Rock__ Blues__ Rap__ Gospel__ Elvis__ Pop__ Broadway__

Singing (Duo or Group) - Musical Style: Country__ Rock__ Blues__ Folk__ Rap__ Broadway__

Swing__ Barbershop__ Gospel__ Other__

Contestants accept full liability and expressly release the Directors, Officers, Staff, Volunteers, Sub-Contractors from liability for any loss or injury to themselves or their property while competing in the "Rising Star Singing Contest" at the Heart of Illinois Fair in Peoria, Ill., on July 10, 2011.

DECISION OF THE JUDGES IS FINAL

Signature _____ Date _____

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