

**V105.5 FM
VICKSBURG**

13TH ANNUAL

CHRISTMAS CAROLING CONTEST

Entry Form

Entry is FREE but this form must be submitted by Friday, November 17th by 5:00 PM

This year, we are eliminating the faxed entry and instead asking contestants to E-MAIL the completed form to station@vicksburgv105.com or MAIL the form to WVBG Radio, P.O. BOX 46, Vicksburg, MS 39181 or drop off at any River Hills Bank Location

COMPETE TO WIN PART OF \$10,000 IN PRIZE MONEY

The 13th Annual V-105.5 Christmas Caroling Contest will be held at the
Vicksburg Convention Center

For preliminary performance nights, choose one of these three nights: **Monday night - December 4th**, **Tuesday night - December 5th** or **Thursday night - December 7th**.

Finalists will be announced at the end of the preliminary performances on
Thursday, December 7th.

Final performances this year will be **Friday night - December 8th**
All performances, including finals, begin at 6:30 pm at the Convention Center.
Contestants are asked to be at the Convention Center no later than 6:15 pm.

This year we will award at least \$10,000 in Prize Money to the finalists. The Contest will be professionally judged and performances will be recorded for playback on V-105.5 FM

Entry Deadline is 5:00 PM Friday, November 17th. If you are using a recorded accompaniment track with your performance, **we must also have it by 5:00 PM on Friday, November 17th.**

An acoustic piano will be available for use but any other musical instrument must be furnished by performer.

If we have not contacted you by Tuesday, November 21st, call Mark Jones at 601-883-0848 or email mark@vicksburgv105.com to confirm that we have your Entry Form.

Soloists limited to a performance time of 4 minutes maximum and Groups, Bands, and Choirs limited to 5 minutes maximum in their preliminary performances. On finals night, finalist should do only one song.

In order to keep the caroling contest musically diverse, please do not perform either 'O Holy Night' or 'Mary, Did You Know'. In order to achieve fairness to all schools, for junior high, high school or college choirs, please enter no more than 2 choirs. Bring your best 2 choirs. One can enter in the individual categories or small groups as an individual if they are a part of a trio or larger group but not as an individual or as one half of a duet.

Early entry will guarantee your selection of night and placement.

***** PLEASE SUBMIT THIS PAGE ONLY *****

Please complete the Following:

NAME _____

PHONE: HOME _____ CELL _____ WORK _____
Phone numbers are not used for any other purpose except this contest.

CHECK ONE Individual Competitor Group Competitor

Number of People in your Group _____

What Kind of Group? (School, Church, unaffiliated): _____

If Choir or Group, describe your Choir by predominant age, school grade level and indicate the number of Members. If you are a Soloists, indicate whether you are an Adult or give exact age 18 or under.

If you know your Song Selection please list it here _____
In order to keep the caroling contest musically diverse, **please do not perform either 'O Holy Night' or 'Mary, Did You Know'.**

Will you/your group be using a recorded accompaniment tract? YES (deadline Nov. 17th) NO

Please choose one Preliminary Night to perform:

Monday- December 4th Tuesday- December 5th Thursday- December 7th

The Contest is open to all Churches, Schools, Singer/Instrumentalists, Bands, Independent Groups, or anyone who likes to sing or play. Performances can be secular or religious but must have something to do with Christmas.

Selections will be judged on:

- A. How well the Selection is Performed
- B. Difficulty of the Selection performed
- C. Originality

Questions call Mark Jones @ 601-883-0848



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