



Lawrence County Ohio Fair Battle of the Bands Official Rules

Official Rules

1. Read all rules thoroughly and fill out forms completely and legibly.
2. All entries should be country music or southern rock.
3. Entry forms will be posted on and can be downloaded at lawrencecountyohiofair.com. Completed entry forms must be received by June 30, 2011.
4. Five (5) finalist bands will be chosen to compete. A list of all bands submitting an application will be listed in the Ironton Tribune approximately July 1, 2011. The public will then vote on the band of their choice. The top five vote winners will be asked to perform at the Lawrence County Ohio Fair Battle of the Bands on Wednesday, July 13, 2011 at approximately 7:30.
5. Two (2) alternate bands will also be picked in case one of the five bands would be unable to perform.
6. Each of the five (5) bands will perform for 20 minutes.
7. At the Battle of the Bands, an applause meter will be used to judge the crowd favorite as winning band.
8. The winner of the Battle of the Bands will win \$1,000 and will perform as opening act for Jerrod Niemann and LoCash Cowboys on Thursday, July 14, 2011.
9. Second place band will receive \$500.

Contest Rules

1. If chosen as one of the five finalists, your band will perform at the Lawrence County Ohio Fair Proctorville, OH on Wednesday, July 13, 2011.
2. Each band will be allowed 30 minutes total for set-up, performance and tear down. (for example, 5 minutes set-up, 20 minutes performance, 5 minutes tear down). Set-up and tear down time will overlap with the bands preceding and following your own for less down time. Actual performance time will be 20 minutes in length maximum. Battle of the Band officials will stop the performance if you go over time.
3. Any band member who appears to be under the influence of alcohol, drugs or any other controlled substance, will result in band **disqualification**. In addition, the person in question will be asked to leave the premises for the remainder of the competition.
4. **Absolutely NO** obscene or offensive lyrics will be allowed. Also, indecent or obscene body gestures will **NOT be permitted**. Any action or lyrics determined to be indecent or obscene by the officials, will result in disqualification.

Technical Information

Lawrence County Ohio Fair Board will provide a stage, lights, and sound for the event.



2011 2nd Annual Lawrence County Ohio Fair Battle of the Bands Application

Name of the Band _____ Date _____

Contact Name (print) _____

Phone # _____ E-Mail _____

Type of Music Band Plays _____

***** Parent must sign if band member is under 18 years old *****

List of Band Members (please print legibly)

Name _____ Phone _____ Age _____

Signature _____

Name _____ Phone _____ Age _____

Signature _____

Name _____ Phone _____ Age _____

Signature _____

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Name _____ Phone _____ Age _____

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Signature _____

By signing, all members agree to follow official rules.

Applications must be received by June 30, 2011.

Mail to: Lawrence County Ohio Fair - Battle of the Bands
56 Private Drive 6798, Kitts Hill, OH 45645.