



James Burton International Guitar Festival Guitar Talent Contest (Guitar Showdown)

Audition Application

Audition Date: Saturday, August 16th, 2014

Location: Magnolia School of Excellence

Registration begins at 10:00 am

2290 Clyde Fant Parkway, Shreveport LA 71104

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Performer Name _____ Parent(s) Name(s) _____

Parent Phone _____ Address _____

Age _____ Parent Email _____

Elementary (5 – 10yrs. old) _____ Middle (11-15yrs. old) _____ High School (16-18yrs. old) _____

Eligibility Requirements:

1. Applications should be received no later than **July 31, 2014**. Mail to:

Eddie Schiro

3883 Greenway Place Shreveport La 71105

2. Past winners are not eligible to participate.
3. Applicants will have 3 minute set-up and a maximum of 3 minutes to perform.
4. A microphone and amp will be provided.
5. No accompaniment or prerecorded tracs allowed...no loop machine.
6. Finalists will be selected from auditions and will perform at the James Burton Guitar Festival August 23, 2014.
7. Judges' decisions are final.
8. Out of state auditions can be uploaded to YouTube. When an application is received, the performer will be notified and the audition will be considered on August 16th during regular auditions.
9. Finalists' names will be posted on the Festival website at jamesburtonfest.com by 5 pm on Sunday, August 17.
10. A maximum of 5 finalists from each category will be selected to compete at the James Burton Guitar Festival.
11. All finalists will receive a gift certificate for a set of strings and tuner.
12. Runners-up in each category will receive a free recording session at the Burton Studios.
13. Winners in each category will receive a Fender Guitar and a free recording session at the Burton Studios.

By signing this application, you agree to indemnify and hold harmless the James Burton Foundation, James Burton International Guitar Festival, Magnolia School of Excellence, and all of its agents from and against all claims, demands, suits, judgments, and agree to all terms expressed in this application.

Performer		Parent		Date
Date				Date

James Burton International Guitar Festival

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