Bud Light RiverFest- Battle of the Bands
Produced by The Paseo del Rio Association

RiverFest-Battle of the Bands will take place on Saturday, January 12th, 2013 from 11am-6pm at Arneson River Theatre. Bands will compete for the title of “The Official Band of the River Walk” and $1,000 cash. As The Official Band of the River Walk, you will be invited to perform at all of our events throughout the year.

The Battle of the Bands will be FREE to the public.

**Battle of the Bands Eligibility**

- Bands submissions must be received by the Paseo del Rio Association by 5 p.m. on Friday, November 30th. In addition to the attached form, submission of the following materials must accompany the application for full consideration:
  - Provide either a website link(s) (Example: YouTube) or a DVD of a previous performance(s) demonstrating the ability to play a minimum of 1 cover song and 3 original songs.
  - A copy of all lyrics to songs that are being performed in the submitted performance.
- All bands must have at least two and no more than five members
- All band members must be at least 21 years of age or older.
- Bands must be able to perform 1 cover song, as well as 3 original songs.
- If selected, the band must be available to compete on Saturday, January 12th between the hours of 11am and 6pm.
- The band that wins the Battle of the Bands must also be available to play at the event post party on Saturday, January 12th between 7pm and 10pm. They must have enough material to cover a 1 hour headliner spot.

**Battle of the Bands Guidelines**

- Bands will be required to demonstrate the ability to perform a minimum of 1 cover song and 3 original song at time of application submission to ensure that if selected to compete, they have enough material to perform at the live Battle of the bands Competition on Saturday, January 12th, 2013. Cover songs do not need to be similar to original version; alternative styles will be accepted.
- Explicit lyrics are strictly prohibited. Explicit lyrics is defined (by Recording Industry Association of America (RIAA)) as containing excessive use of profane language and/or sexual references. Determination of explicit lyrics will be at the discretion of the Paseo del Rio Association Staff and Board of Directors.
- A judging panel will review the submission materials and will select 4 bands to advance to the live round of the Battle of the Bands competition, where a separate judging panel will evaluate those bands. The four finalists will be announced at a Press Conference on Thursday, December 13th.
- Each band will receive a call within one week of submission to inform them if they have met the qualifications for participation. All bands who have met the qualifications will be invited to the Final Announcement on Thursday, December 13th.
- At the live Battle of the Bands competition, each band will have a maximum window period of 30 minutes to set up and 30 minutes to break down during the event. Performance time cannot exceed 1 hour. Times will be strictly enforced. If bands violate these time constraints, there will be a time penalty added to your competition score.
- A separate judging panel will evaluate each band on technical performance, professionalism, stage presence, and audience reaction.
- The First prize winner will earn the title of “The Official Band of the River Walk” and $1,000 cash. The winner will be announced at 6:30pm on Saturday, January 12th. The four participants MUST be present for the announcement. The winner will then perform at the event post party that evening, between 7pm and 10pm. They must have enough material to cover a 1 hour headliner spot.

The Paseo del Rio Association may make exceptions to the above guidelines, in consultation with the Board of Directors when necessary to allow the event to be successful.
If you have any questions, please contact Margaux Huckabay at mhuckabay@paseodelrio.com or call (210) 227-4262. Your inclusion in the preliminary round is not confirmed until we receive a signed copy of this agreement by all band members and the source of media to be used for preliminary round.
Submission Application

Band Name: _______________________________________________________

Band Contact: ______________________________________________________

Phone Number: _____________________________________________________

E-mail: _____________________________________________________________

Please check one that applies.

☐ The URL to our performance is ________________________________________.

☐ We have provided a DVD in our submission.

Please provide submission set list: *(Also please attach lyrics.)*

1. _________________________________________________________________

2. _________________________________________________________________

3. _________________________________________________________________

4. _________________________________________________________________

Band Information:

Band Music Genre: _________________________________________________

Band Member Information: *(All band members must be at least 21 years of age or older. Bands must consist of at least 2 and no more than 5 members to be eligible to compete.)*

1. Name: __________________________________________________________ Birthday (Month/Day/Year): ______________________

2. Name: __________________________________________________________ Birthday (Month/Day/Year): ______________________

3. Name: __________________________________________________________ Birthday (Month/Day/Year): ______________________

4. Name: __________________________________________________________ Birthday (Month/Day/Year): ______________________

5. Name: __________________________________________________________ Birthday (Month/Day/Year): ______________________

The individual signing this Application confirms that he/she is authorized in all respects to sign on behalf of the entire band. Further, by your signature hereto, you certify that you have read the above and foregoing information, that you understand the terms and conditions as stated therein, and that the information provided on the Application is true and correct to the best of your knowledge. You agree that to the extent any of the information submitted on the application is incorrect; Paseo del Río reserves the right to revoke the application at its own discretion. This Agreement contains the entire Agreement between the Applicant and Paseo del Río.

Signature __________________________________ Date ____________________