

Competition Rules

1. Two contestants will be selected from the following two categories (one vocalist and one instrumentalist from each):
 - High School (Grades 9-12)
 - College/University (Must Be ENROLLED at time of submission)
2. Due to logistical constraints, only the following will be included in the competition:
 - Vocalist
 - Piano
 - Guitar
 - Trumpet
 - Trombone
 - Saxes (Alto & Tenor)/Flute
3. Winners of the competition will be REQUIRED to participate in a rehearsal with SG7 and Bill Watrous on Tuesday, April 24th, 2012 (8pm-11pm) at MDM Studios in Glendale, Ca. AND a live performance at Steamer's Jazz Café in Fullerton, Ca. on April 25th, 2012. Here is the competition schedule:

February 1 st , 2012:	Competition opens
March 15 th , 2012:	Application/submission deadline
April 1 st , 2012:	Winners announced!
April 24 th , 2012:	Rehearsal with SG7 and Bill Watrous
April 25 th , 2012:	Live performance and award of scholarship at Steamer's Jazz Café in Fullerton
4. Contestants must reside within 100miles of Pasadena, Ca. and all expenses (transportation, lodging etc.) will be the responsibility of the contestant.
5. The winning contestants may be required to conduct several radio/television promotional interviews either at the rehearsal (April 24th) or at Steamer's (April 25th).



Competition Instructions:

1. Instrumentalists: Download the "Rio_Solo_Track.mp3" file and record a solo using this track. Email the recording to caljas_contest@sgsjazz.com along with your completed application.

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Instrumental/Rio_Solo_Track.mp3

Sheet Music:

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Instrumental/Guitar.pdf

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Instrumental/Piano.pdf

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Instrumental/TenorSax.pdf

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Instrumental/AltoSax.pdf

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Instrumental/Trombone.pdf

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Instrumental/Trumpet.pdf

NOTE: The solo changes start at letter "C" of the sheet music.

2. Vocalists: Download the "LostMyHeart.mp3" and "Zigaboogaloo.mp3" files and record your voice singing with these tracks. Email both of the recordings to caljas_contest@sgsjazz.com along with your completed application.

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Vocal/LostMyHeart.mp3

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Vocal/Zigaboogaloo.mp3

Here are the vocal sheet music links:

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Vocal/LostMyHeart_Vocal.pdf

www.sgsjazz.com/contest/Vocal/Zigaboogaloo_Vocal.pdf



Direct all questions to SG7 at calJas_competition@sgsjazz.com

Competition Application:

Date of Application: _____

Contestant Name: _____

Instrument: _____

Competition Category: ___ High School

___ College/University

Email Address of Contestant: _____

Telephone Number of Contestant: _____

Age of Contestant: _____

If contestant is under 18 years:

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent Guardian Telephone Number: _____

I understand that if selected I will be expected to perform with SG7 at a public performance on April 25th and I will be required to participate in a rehearsal on April 24th at MDM Studios in Glendale, Ca from 8-11pm. Further, I understand that I (or my legal parent/guardian) will be responsible for all expenses related to this event.

Contestant Signature & Date

Parent/Guardian Signature & Date

(If contestant is under age 18)



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