



## *Strawberry Idol*

The West Virginia Strawberry Festival will be holding its annual Strawberry Idol Contest. This special singing competition will showcase the area's most gifted performers.

This exciting 3-night event will begin on Thursday at 8:30 pm with the Gospel Show. Friday night is Variety at 8:30 pm. Saturday will be the starting at 5:30 pm for the finals. Show will be on Main St. at the Courthouse Plaza.

Special guest judges will be giving feedback to the contestants. Plaques will be awarded.

Thursday & Friday night will have 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> plaques.

Saturday will be the Finals with 1<sup>st</sup> - 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> plaques and cash prizes.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (h) \_\_\_\_\_ (c) \_\_\_\_\_ (email) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Category:      Gospel - Thursday Night                      Variety - Friday Night                      (Adult 14 & over)

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult

\_\_\_\_\_ Youth

\_\_\_\_\_ Youth

## Strawberry Idol Rules

1. All contestants must have form into festival office by day of event. Registration fee is \$15.00 per category and must be paid with registration form. Make checks payable to WV Strawberry Festival. (WVSF)
2. Contestants may enter both categories.
3. Individual acts only. No Groups or Duos.
4. All contestants must check in with the registration table 1 hour before starting time. A random drawing will be held to determine the order of performances.
5. Each contestant will be allowed to sing **one song not to exceed 5 minutes**. If time is exceeded, 5 points will be deducted from the total score. **Scoring is based on singing ability, song presentation, and stage presence!**
6. All contestants must use CD accompaniment. Contestants must provide their own music. Please make sure your CD is labeled with your **name and number of track**.  
Turn this in at registration.
7. CD must be true Accompaniment music. Anyone (lip-syncing) will be disqualified.
8. All decisions by the judges are **FINAL**.

**Please sign contract; Showing you understand and agree to abide by the rules.**

Contestant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Child Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

### Return Registration Form To:

West Virginia Strawberry Festival  
Strawberry Idol Director  
P. O. Box 117  
Buckhannon, WV 26201  
Deborah Wilson 304-472-9036