

The City of Carlsbad's Parks & Recreation Department Presents:



Calling all Teen Bands!

Are you up for the challenge of competing in the City of Carlsbad's seventh annual Battle of the Bands? Sweet! If chosen, your band will be playing at the Calavera Hills Community Center located at 2997m Glasgow Dr in Carlsbad. The event takes place on January 30th, 2010, between 4 and 9:00 p.m. Two stages will be fully amped for your band to make its twenty-minute debut and battle it out for prizes, bragging rights, and the honor of being crowned the "City of Carlsbad Battle of the Bands 2010 Champion".

Don't miss the opportunity to show off your talent to judges who are all professionals in the music industry. In order to enter your band, you must submit a "Call for Entries" application along with a demo CD or link to your bands music (myspace or webpage). CD's can be mailed or dropped off to the Harding Community Center at 3096 Harding St, Carlsbad, Ca 92008, no later than January 11, 2010. Nine bands will be selected to compete and will be notified by January 13th.

If your band is selected, all members of your band along with a parent (if under 18) must attend a mandatory meeting on, Wednesday, January 20 at 5:30 p.m. at Calavera Hills Community Center.

Okay, here are the details...

- **All members must be between the ages of 13-19 years.**
- **Bands may have no more than one band member in common.**
- **A band consists of 3 or more members.**
- **Each set is 20 minutes or less.**
- **All lyrics must be turned in at prior to the mandatory meeting on Jan 20.**
- **Songs can be original or cover (at least one original is strongly suggested).**
- **Entry fee must be paid on or before January 20 in order to compete. (\$50 per band or \$40 if group consists of 50% or more Carlsbad residents)**
- **All group members must abide to the "Code of Conduct" (see below).**
- **"Call for Entries" application and plus band CD or web link must be received by January 11.***

*Application and CD or web link can be e-mailed or mailed in to Rachael Shay at 3096 Harding St, Carlsbad, Ca 92009.

Questions for the crew?

Contact Rachael Shay at 760.602.7519 or rachael.shay@carlsbadca.gov

Mail or drop off materials at: 3096 Harding Street, Carlsbad CA 92008



ENTRY FORM

SEE BELOW FOR DEADLINES

Name:
Address:
City/Zip:
Phone:
Email:
Age:

All participants must be between the ages of 13 and 19.

I WANT TO ENTER (CHOOSE ONE ONLY):

BATTLE OF THE BANDS

Battle of the Bands:

Limited to 9 bands*

(Top 9 bands are selected by Battle of the Bands committee)

Band Name: _____

of people in band: _____

Music Type: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone number: _____

Mail your CD or email your demo mp3 files or web address to rshay@carlsbadca.gov by **Monday, January 4, 2010**. The top 9 bands will be notified by January 8, 2010. Registration fee is due by **Wednesday, January 20, 2010**, if your band has been selected. Registration fee: \$40 for residents (at least 50% of group members) or \$50 for non-residents. Proof of residency will be checked at a mandatory meeting held on **Wednesday, Jan. 20, 2010 at 5:30 pm**.

* A band must consist of 3 or more band members.

FESTIVAL OF FILM SHORTS

Entry is free. Films must be 5 minutes in length or less (can be larger with approval.) Entry is free and you can enter up to two film shorts. All short films will be subject to approval.

Application and film pieces must be received by Jan. 22, 2010.

ART EXHIBIT

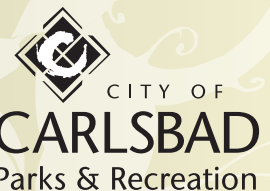
Entry is free. All art must be pre-screened and approved.

Application with photo of proposed art piece must be received by Jan. 22, 2010.

Art piece should be delivered to Calavera Community Center by 3:00 pm on Jan. 29, 2010.

For info and rules: 760-602-7519
www.carlsbadca.gov/parksandrec

Send completed form to:
3096 Harding St, Carlsbad, CA 92008
by deadline date established per activity listed above.





**CITY OF CARLSBAD PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT
“Battle of the Bands”**

CODE OF CONDUCT

The City of Carlsbad Recreation Department encourages a safe and healthy atmosphere by supporting an environment free from:

**DRUGS OR ALCOHOL
VIOLENCE, INTIMIDATION, OR HARASSMENT
GAMBLING OR SOLICITATION
PROFANITY, OR ABUSIVE LANGUAGE
VANDALISM OR PROPERTY DAMAGE**

- I will not perform or attempt maneuvers or tricks that may offend or cause injury to myself or anyone else.
- I will not encourage the audience to fight, slam, “mosh” or cause disruptive behavior by either suggesting it to the crowd or simulating it on stage.
- I agree to comply with the event schedule established by the Carlsbad Recreation staff regarding stage placement and order of performance.
- I will respect and accept all decisions and outcomes of the competition.
- I understand that my behavior and actions affect the entire band that I am associated with.

If a participant is in any violation of the above rules and guidelines, staff will notify the parents (and authorities if necessary) in addition to disqualifying the entire band from the competition.