



Kids Entry Form

Preliminary Contest Saturday, March 27, 2010 from 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Corner of 7th Avenue & 18th Street (Angel Oliva Street), Ybor City, across
from The Italian Club at the Italian Idol Tent.

Finalists Perform Sunday, March 28, 2010 at 11:45 am
On the Festa Italiana Main Stage, Centennial Park, Ybor City

Official Entry Form Space is Limited to First Forty Applicants

Name _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
Phone (Home /Cell) _____ Email _____
School _____ Age _____ Grade _____
Title of Song _____ Length of Song _____ (3.5 min. max)
Musical accompaniment: _____ Cassette _____ Compact Disc _____ A Cappella

Parental Consent:

Having read and understood the official guidelines of the Italian Idol competition, my son/daughter _____ will adhere to the rules and guidelines set forth by the Festa Italiana Italian Idol Committee. I therefore give consent for my child to participate in Italian Idol.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____
Signature of Contestant _____ Date _____

Registration is Free - Parking available in parking garage
Completed official entry forms for Italian Idol should be mailed or faxed to the following
and received **No Later than Wednesday, March 24, 2010**

Italian Idol Correspondence
1320 East 9th Avenue Tampa, Florida 33605
Fax (813) 241-9155
For more information call (813) 342-3630



8th Annual Italian Idol Contest *Kid's Guidelines*

Official Rules and Guidelines

1. **Preliminary Contest** – begins promptly at 12:00 pm

Saturday, March 27, 2010 from 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Location: Corner of 7th Avenue & 18th Street (Angel Oliva Street), Ybor City,
Across from The Italian Club at the Italian Idol Tent.

Check-in at this location between 11:00 am and 11:45am

Finalists Perform

Sunday, March 28, 2010 at 11:45 am on the main stage during Festa Italiana.

(Instructions for the final competition will be given at the preliminary competition.)

2. This is a single entrant vocal competition (no duets or groups) open to students in grades K-12 and there is **NO FEE**. Participants will compete in one of the following grade categories:

K-5 Elementary

6-8 Middle School

9-12 High School

Performers and song selection need **NOT be Italian**

3. Vocal selections must NOT exceed 3.5 minutes and **no background vocals are allowed**. There will be point deductions as follows: **2 point** deduction for background vocals, **2 point** deduction for exceeding time limitation. **Musical accompaniment may not include lead vocals**.

4. All participants must furnish a good quality compact disc or cassette recording of their musical accompaniment cued to the appropriate place (backups are recommended). Participants may sing "a cappella" if they choose. CD's / cassettes must be picked up after the competition.

5. Profanity and/or offensive lyrics or movements will NOT be allowed and are grounds for disqualification.

6. Participants **MUST** wear tasteful and age appropriate attire. Theatrical costumes and props will **NOT** be allowed.

7. During the preliminary competition all participants will perform their vocal selection in front of a panel of 3 designated judges. Two finalists will be announced and invited to return **Sunday at 11:45 am** for the final competition at the main stage during Festa Italiana, at which time they will perform the **SAME SONG** in front of the judges. (**Sunday enter gate at 18th St. & 8th Ave.**)

8. Any finalist who does not return for the final competition will be automatically disqualified.

9. The decision of the Italian Idol judges is **FINAL**.

10. A cash prizes will be awarded to one winner in each grade category.

11. All contestants consent to the use of their names, photographs, and voice recordings by the Italian Idol contest for promotional purposes by signing the Italian Idol form.