

Partnership for a Drug-Free New Jersey

Your Song! Your Voice!® Shout Down Drugs NJ®

Contestant Checklist

Please adhere to all school, local and state guidelines and precautions during in-person group interactions when participating in this contest.

I. REGISTRATION

For those under the age of 18, there is a section for Parent/Legal Guardian to fill in.

___ 1) Complete Online Registration at ShoutDownDrugs.com/register

Groups: All group members must register. Only Group Leader needs to upload music files, photo, lyrics.

II. UPLOAD MUSIC, LYRICS, PHOTO, VIDEO:

If you are having trouble uploading your music, please contact the program coordinator who will make sure your music is received by us. (Diane@DrugFreeNJ.org or 973-275-7985)

___ 2) Recorded Song (includes music and all vocals). **Must be an MP3 file.**

___ 3) Recorded instrumental/soundtrack-no vocals except background vocals, if any. **Must be an MP3 file.**

___ 4) Typed lyrics, with song title - cut and pasted into online registration form.

___ 5) Your photo. Groups-one group photo. Must be your photo; NO IMAGES. *Be as creative as you like, but no copyrighted images allowed. PDFNJ reserves the right to reject any images.*

___ 6) Performance Video (if you choose to submit one). **Must be an MP4 file.** No copyrighted images allowed. *Contestant understands that if a Video is not submitted, their recorded song will be played instead of a video, if they are chosen as a finalist.*

___ 7) My/our song is no more than 3 minutes in length, in accordance with the Contest Rules. **Songs longer than 3 minutes will be rejected.**

___ 8) I/We have read the Copyright License, Assignment & Talent Release Agreement, the Contest Rules and the Rules of Conduct.

* IF YOUR SONG IS COPYRIGHT-PROTECTED: Please carefully read Paragraph 5 of the Copyright License, Assignment & Talent Release before submitting your entry.

Questions?

Please contact Diane@DrugFreeNJ.org or call (M)973.275.7985