

Women In Music
Song Writing Contest 2009 Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State _____ zip _____

Phone _____ alternative phone _____

e-mail _____

Are you over 18? yes no

Song name (s) 1st Song: _____ (\$25)

2nd Song _____ (\$20)

3rd Song _____ (\$20)



I certify that I am the writer or co-author of the song(s) or lyrics submitted. I also certify that I have read, understood and accept the rules and regulations for the WIMMN songwriting competition. If entrant is under 18 years old, the signature of a parent or guardian is required.

x _____
Signature of applicant or parent date

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Mail CD and copy of lyrics to WIMMN, PO Box 7152, St Paul, MN 55107

Deadline is Sept. 5th, 2009.

Prizes: 1st place winner will receive 5 hours of free recording time at Hide-a-way Studios in Mpls, MN and a recognition certificate from WIMMN

2nd place winner will receive a \$50 gift certificate for Music Go Round and a recognition certificate from WIMMN. 3rd place winner will receive a free writing session with Jill Holly, a professional songwriter who has written jingles, scores and songs for head companies in LA, Nashville and Mpls as well as selling over 50,000 CDs.

Rules: One of the writers must be female. Please include a copy of your lyrics and put your name and contact information on everything. If your CD has many tracks, please indicate which track you want us to listen to., CD's must be audio only (no MP3's or wave files. DVD's are OK). You may copy this entry form for more entries. Please make checks payable to WIMMN and mail to PO Box 7152, St Paul, MN 55107. 1st place winners may be eligible to perform at the Award Ceremony at McNally Smith music college in September, 2009. If they can not make it, the 2nd place winner will have the opportunity to perform. Our judges will be looking at all qualities of songwriting including chord progressions, melody, lyrics, universal theme, section changes and prosody. Songwriters do not have to be from Minnesota or a WIMMN member to enter. All money received goes directly to WIMMN, a non profit organization to support, educate and encourage women in the music industry. All entries will be listened to by our staff. If you want your CD returned, please include a stamped envelop so we can send it back to you. You do not need to include a bio, photo or one sheet. We are only listening to the songwriting, we are not critiquing your musicianship or your vision as an artist. Winners will be announced at the award ceremony in Sept, 2009 at the McNally Smith Music College Auditorium in St Paul, MN. The ceremony will include a songwriter's discussion demo panel and forum with some of the judges and other songwriters.

