

## Chicago Sings! FAQ

### **Q: What is the Chicago Sings Karaoke Competition?**

A: This fall, Chicago Sings Karaoke Competition will celebrate Chicago's karaoke culture through a city-wide singing competition open to amateur singers from different parts of our city on three weekends. After two rounds of a judged competition the top performer will be crowned and receive \$5,000.

### **Q: How can I win the Chicago Sings Karaoke Competition?**

A: A winner will be selected by participating in both rounds of the competition by a panel of judges.

### **Q: How can I join as a competitor?**

A: Fill out our webform registration on-line at <http://madmimi.com/signups/db59a106a0374389b6a07286e66b6986/join>. Each venue is limited to thirty (30) on-line registrations.

### **Q: Can I just walk in?**

A: Yes, but keep in mind our karaoke hosts will be working with in a first-come-first-serve method of accepting walk-in contestants.

### **Q: What time should I get there?**

A: Contestants are asked to check in at 7:30pm. Each participating venue begins their night at 8pm.

### **Q: But am I eligible to compete?**

A: Yes, if you are over 21 years of age, consider yourself an amateur singer and agree to sign a waiver before you hit the stage.

### **Q: I don't live in Chicago, can I still compete?**

A: No, this competition is open exclusively to those living within the approved boundaries of the City of Chicago.

### **Q: How do I prove I live in Chicago?**

A: The contestant must present a State of Illinois approved ID with a City of Chicago address. The name of registered contestant must match ID.

### **Q: What if I registered at one location, can I try again at a second location?**

A: No, each contestant can only register to perform at one location.

**Q: Which songs can I choose?**

A: You are free to perform any song you like in any language, style or genre. Should the song be unknown to our karaoke DJs, we may ask for you to choose a second or third song. (please help us with your song choices)

**Q: What else do I need to know?**

A: The organizers reserve the right to make the final assessment regarding any entrant's eligibility over and above these conditions of entry. Please remember, entrants will be asked to sign a waiver and provide proof regarding their eligibility.