

## Newark Idol Singing Competition

Who: Elementary, Middle, & High School Students

When: Saturday, September 16, 2023



- Elementary Division: 1:30-2:30pm (Check-in 1:15)
- Middle School Division: 2:45-3:45pm (Check-in 2:30)
- High School Division: 4:00-5:00pm (Check-in 3:45)

Where: Newark Community Center - 35501 Cedar Blvd. Newark Idol lawn stage (carnival & food area)

Do you have what it takes to be the next Newark Idol?

If interested, click HERE or NewarkIdol2023 to register!





## Newark Idol Contest Rules

- $\star$  Contestants must register online HERE or at this link: NewarkIdol2023
  - o Note: once the division limit is reached, registration will close.
- ★ The following age divisions will be judged separately:
  - o Elementary
  - o Middle School
  - High School

Winners of each division will receive a Newark Idol trophy AND a free wristband for the carnival immediately following their division competition.



- ★ Each contestant is limited to one song. The song must <u>not</u> contain any subliminal, sexually suggestive, or vulgar lyrics. Non-compliance will result in automatic disqualification.
- \*Accompanying music needs to be cued up on the contestant's device. The device will be plugged into the audio system. Singing a capella is <u>not</u> permitted.
- $\bigstar$  Clothing and/or costume must be appropriate for the competition.
- ★ Contestants introduce themselves by stating age, fun fact, and name of song. Performances are limited to 3 minutes.
- ★ Contestants will be judged on the following categories:
  - O Musicality How does the song sound? How is it performed?
  - o Technicality How is the voice used? Diaphragm or throat?
  - Stage Presence Is the performance engaging?

