

2018 Sounds of the Season

Guest Artist Guidelines

Six Flags America is excited to offer your group the opportunity to perform during Holiday in the Park for the 2018 season! We welcome elementary, middle school, high school, college, church, studio and other performance ensembles to perform in the park. Groups may be vocal, dance or instrumental and must be at least 15 paid participants.

HOW TO SECURE A PERFORMANCE TIME:

- * Read this entire document for guidelines and information on the **Sounds of the Season** program.
- * Review the Holiday in the Park hours of operation on the website. Please note that park hours are subject to change.
- * Complete and submit the Holiday in the Park **Sounds of the Season** Guest Artist Application. The sooner you submit your application, the better your chance of securing your first choice of date and time.
- * Prepare your order form – once you receive confirmation of your performance date/time, you will need to submit your order form.
- * **YOUR TICKET ORDER FORM AND PAYMENT MUST BE SUBMITTED NO LATER THAN FOUR (4) DAYS PRIOR TO YOUR PERFORMANCE DATE.**
- * All booking, scheduling, performance and technical questions should be directed to Jackie Amick at jamick@sftp.com

ADMISSION TICKET INFORMATION:

- * Admission tickets can be purchased for friends and family who will be coming on the day of the performance by using the order form.
- * For every 15 tickets purchased, you will receive one free director/chaperone ticket **if the order is received four (4) days prior** to the performance date. Orders received less than four (4) days prior to the date will NOT receive complimentary chaperone tickets.
- * In most cases, tickets will be sent via FedEx Ground delivery. If time does not permit for tickets to be mailed, they will be held at Guest Relations' will call window under the contact name listed on the order form. Tickets will only be released as a group, not individually. Prepaid parking can NOT be held at will-call.
- * Six Flags season passes will be honored but should be noted on the order form.
- * If your organization is tax exempt, you must attach a tax exempt form with your ticket purchase. Prince George's County requires all entities, both taxable and non-profit, to pay the Admission and Amusement Tax on all admission tickets. There is no exemption from the Admission and Amusement Tax.
- * To purchase via credit card, please call 301.867.0272. Prior to calling, please fax your completed order form to 301.867.0278. To purchase via check, please send to the address shown on the order form.
- * Tickets are non-refundable.

PARKING:

- * All vehicles are subject to parking fees. Parking is \$25 at arrival, and can be purchased in advance for \$15 on the order form. NOTE: any orders being held at will call CANNOT include prepaid parking.

PERFORMANCE INFORMATION:

- * Performances must be between 20-25 minutes.
- * Accompaniment must be on a CD or mp3 player and must be pre-recorded without lead vocals.
- * Performers must wear some type of costuming to be identified as part of the group. (Choir robes are NOT required) There is limited space for performers to change into costumes.
- * Ball caps and plain clothes are NOT approved performance attire for *Sounds of the Season*.
- * Groups will be booked to perform on one of our outdoor stages located within the park. There is limited availability on the indoor stages.
- * Performance times will fall within one of these categories: Early (between 3pm - 5pm) Late (between 5pm – 8pm). Selection of your first choice may not be guaranteed and we will confirm your performance date and time prior to tickets being issued.
- * The entire performing group must meet the Six Flags representative at the designated performance stage at least 30 minutes prior to their performance time. We suggest arriving at the park 1 hour prior to performance time to allow time for parking, park entry and security bag check. **Performance times are firm. Groups arriving late will not be permitted to perform.**

ITEMS NOT PROVIDED BY SIX FLAGS AMERICA:

- * Music stands, chairs, extension cords, risers, piano and/or accompanist.
- * Dressing and make-up areas.
- * No keyboard or other electrical instruments will be allowed to patch into the sound system.