

K-Pop World Festival Regional Preliminary – SEATTLE

Regional Preliminary Date

TUESDAY, MAY 31ST AT 6:30PM

Place

Lynnwood Convention Center (info@lynnwoodcc.com)

3711 196th Street SW Lynnwood, WA 98036

Hosted By

Consulate General of the Republic of Korea in Seattle

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* *Please note* that there will be a pre-screening round before the actual event and only those finalists will be competing on the above date.

ELIGIBILITY and PRIZE

The audition will be separated into two categories and you are allowed to apply for only one – VOCAL or PERFORMANCE (dance). This contest is open to everyone and 1st through 4th place winners will be nominated to be awarded with a prize. (\$1,000 prize for the 1st place winner!) Even though all contestants are eligible to win a prize, one team from each category who meet the KBS qualifications will advance to the 2nd round in the contest along with other regional winners all over the world. (If the 1st place has a disqualification; 2nd place will advance into the second round.)

*Note that KBS will evaluate your recording of the preliminary round performance in the 2nd round, and only those who are selected will be sent to Changwon, Korea for the final round.

Most importantly, PLEASE NOTE that only NON-KOREANS will be eligible for the chance to fly to Korea if chosen as a finalist to compete in the 2016 K-Pop World Festival in Changwon, Republic of Korea.

* *Please be aware* that winning a spot from competing at the regional preliminary contest DOES NOT guarantee entry into the K-Pop World Festival. In case of a group, only three members will be provided with airfare and accommodations by KBS.

IMPORTANT NOTES

This contest is not to be confused with other audition programs! This contest serves a primary purpose to globally spread the K-Pop and the Korean culture. Winners are not auditioning to become a recording star or a performer – but it is a competition of skill and winners will be chosen accordingly to the criteria.

HOW TO ENTER

1. Download the application that includes the waiver form on www.seattlen.com/kpop2016.
2. Email signed application and **url link** (audio/video) to your performance to kpop.seattle.2016@gmail.com. (Although not required, we highly recommend a short self-introduction in the beginning of the audio/video file.)
3. Problems and questions in uploading and registering? Feel free to contact Janice (253-886-9226) or Saehee (206-900-2015) or email kpop.seattle.2016@gmail.com.

* APPLICATION DEADLINE IS MAY 10TH (Tuesday)

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APPLICATION FORM**

Please circle one VOCAL / PERFORMANCE (dance)

Name _____
Age _____
E-mail _____
Phone _____

Song Title _____
Artists Name _____
If applying as group,
How many people? _____
Nationality _____

Below is information required for KBS Grand Prize. Please see rules and regulations on the first page.

1. How did you hear about this contest?

2. Why do you like or have an interest in K-Pop or the Korean culture?

By signing this application, I/We have thoroughly read the rules and regulations and understood all agreements and releases.

Printed Name(s) _____

Signature (Parent/Guardian signature in case of a minor contestant)

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IMAGE RELEASE, AGREEMENT, WAIVER & RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

I grant SeattleN, co-hosting parties, affiliates, sponsors, advertising, and promotional agencies ("Authorized Parties") the right to photograph and videotape me, or my child ("Participant"), at above identified activity ("Activity") and the right to use, copyright, and publish these images and recordings at any reproduction thereof ("Material") for any lawful use and for the purpose of publication, publicity, advertising, or trade, in any manner or in any medium. I acknowledge I am not, and will not, be receiving compensation by the Authorized Parties for this use of Material.

In consideration of being permitted to engage in the Activity, I release and forever discharge the Authorized Parties from any and all claims, demands, causes of actions, suits, damages, costs and expenses (including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees and court costs) for any and all personal injuries to any Participants named below, including any damage or loss of any property occurring in connection with the Activity ("Claims.")

I further – 1) agree to abide by, and comply with, all Activity rules, 2) acknowledge that the Activity times may change without prior notice, and 3) agree that each person named below will immediately cease participation in the Activity if requested to do so.

I forever release and discharge the Authorized Parties from any and all Claims, actions, and demands arising out of or in connection with my participation, or my child's participation. I recognize and acknowledge that participation in the Activity or related rehearsals, is at my own risk and I understand that this waiver and release of liability is absolute as to any Claim which may arise as a result of participation.

I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THIS DOCUMENT, INCLUDING THE FACT THAT I AM RELEASING AND WAIVING CERTAIN POTENTIAL RIGHTS.

I, the undersigned, acknowledge that I am over the age of 18, and am authorized to fully bind each Participant named below to the terms of this document:

Printed Name(s) _____

Signature (Parent/Guardian signature in case of a minor contestant)

Date _____

Name(s) of the minor, age 17 or younger, who is participating in the Activity and is the child of the party name above:

Minor Printed Name _____

Minor Printed Name _____

Minor Printed Name _____