



Registration Form
Deadline Friday June 3, 2023

Please return with the \$10.00 entry fee to: River Junctions Arts Council by Friday June 3rd. Mail to RJAC, PO Box 212 Wabasha, MN 55981, or email rjac.mn@gmail.com

Name	
Address	
City	
Phone Number	
Birthdate	
Title of Song	
Signature & Date	
Photo Permission Release	

For Participants Under 18 Years:

Parent(s) Name	
Phone Number	
Signature & Date	
Photo Permission Release	

Office Use Only

\$10.00 Entry Fee Paid	Check#	Cash
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Wabasha-Kellogg Singing Competition June 5, 2023 5:30pm

The Front Porch Kellogg, 100 N Sheppard St, Kellogg, MN

Minnesota Sings is a competition between cities throughout our great state—designed for amateur singers. Vocalists compete for the honor of representing their city and for the opportunity to win some wonderful prizes. There are two divisions: 13 to 20-year-olds and 21 and older. For the 13-20 age group, contestants must be between the ages of 13 to 20 on or before Saturday October 7, 2023, no exceptions.

The top two Wabasha-Kellogg singers from each age division will represent our towns at the 10th Annual Minnesota Sings competition Saturday & Sunday, October 7-8, 2023, at the **Fairmont Opera House in Fairmont MN**. Minnesota Sings finalist contestants will compete for over \$30,000 in prizes! More information can be found at www.minnesotasings.com.

How to Register

- Contestants must be a Minnesota resident & live within 5 miles of Wabasha or Kellogg.
- **Registration Forms**
 - Download form at rjac.org/minnesota-sings/ or at wabashamn.org
 - Pick one up at the Wabasha Public Library, Wabasha Chamber office or The Front Porch
- **Deliver completed registration forms by Friday June 3, 2023 including \$10.00 registration fee to:**
 - RJAC, PO Box 212, Wabasha MN 55981
 - Any RJAC board member
 - Email form to frontporchbar@outlook.com and rjac.mn@gmail.com. Please prepay the \$10.00 registration fee or bring to the competition June 5th by 5pm.

General Rules for Wabasha-Kellogg Sings & Minnesota Sings

- Email music track by Friday June 3, 2023 to frontporchbar@outlook.com and rjac.mn@gmail.com
- Song & Music: Contestants must provide mp3 or WAV backing track to sing to. You may use a commercially produced one or record your own. **Your MP3 or WAV backing track MUST be emailed to rjac.mn@gmail.com by Friday June 3rd at 7pm to compete.**
- Your song may include background singers and/or harmonies.
- Total length of your song may not exceed 5 minutes.
- Lyrics must not contain any profanity.
- The song has to be memorized (no video screen) & the words need to be family-friendly.
- You can sing any type of music from Broadway to Rock N' Roll, Country, Country Rock, Jazz, Swing, Blues, Contemporary Christian, Arias from Operas, and much more. See minnesotasings.com for more information.

Judging Criteria

Vocalists will be judged based on the criteria listed below and will receive the judge's brief comments immediately following their performance. All judges' decisions are final.

- Vocal Skills: Includes pitch, breath control, dynamics, phrasing, enunciation, and tone.
- Presentation Skills: Includes eye contact, body expression, facial expression, attire, and microphone technique.
- Audience Response to Performance: Based on the judge's observation
- Choice of Material: Singer chooses a proper song to showcase their abilities
- Judge's Overall Impression of your Performance: At the discretion of judges

PLEASE NOTE: the contest will be limited to 15 contestants. Registration will close when these are filled. Additional questions? Call Jenn at 608-481-0293