

CANVAS@GRAINSTORE



dlr's Youth Arts Committee

Presents



Long Road to Longitude
Battle of the Bands 2018

CRITERIA AND CONDITIONS

Battle of the Bands is open to solo artists and bands from Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown County. Winners will have the chance to play at this year's Longitude festival and do a recording session with the Dún Laoghaire Further Education Institute (DFEi) music production course in September 2018.

Band members must be

- Proficient musicians
- Aged 13 years of age on 13th July 2018 to 25 years of age max
- From or living in Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown County (if in a band at least 50% must comply)
- All bands and solo artists will be required to attend an information evening prior Battle of the Bands, at the The Grainstore, dlr's Youth Art Facility, Cabinteely Park, Dublin 18. Time and dates to be confirmed
- You will need to be available for the heats which will take place on the **5, 12, 19 May 2018**
- All members of the bands who are short listed for the semi-finals must be available to perform on **26 May, 1 June 2018**
- All performers must be present 1 hour before gig starts for sound check
- All finalists must be available to perform for the Grand Final on **Friday 8 June**
- The winners must be available to perform at **LONGITUDE**, Marley Park, on either **Friday 13 Saturday 14 and Sunday 15 July 2018**
- **Winners under 16's must be accompanied by a parent/guardian**
- All acts are required to pay a deposit: €20 solo act and €50 for a band. This deposit will be fully refunded at the end of competition. If the act fails to comply with our code of conduct or the terms and conditions of competition the deposit will not be refunded. Deposits should be paid by cheque. A receipt will be issued
- Band members cannot be changed once application has been submitted
- All bands will be required to have a social media page e.g facebook, Instagram.
- Winners of the 2017 Battle of the Bands cannot participate in the 2018 Battle of the Bands but will be required to play during the competition as a headline act. All winners will be welcomed to participate in 2019

Selected bands will be required to participate in any publicity events requested by MCD Productions, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council or Canvas Youth Arts Committee **Applications will be submitted on a first come first served basis, as there are limited places.**

Selection:

- An independent panel of judges will be appointed
- The judges' decision is final
- Depending on number of entries, entrants will be invited to perform a maximum of 2 songs in the Battle of the Bands competition.
- Bands will be selected based on
 - The quality of their music
 - Performance ability
 - Overall suitability within the overall **LONGITUDE** programme



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APPLICATION FORM

The Grainstore, dlr's Youth Arts Facility, Cabinteely Park, Dublin 18

Band Title _____

Contact Email _____

Contact Telephone _____

Band style/ Influences _____

Band Member number 1:

Full Name :.....

Date of birth:...../...../.....

Address:.....

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Band Member number 2:

Full Name :.....

Date of birth:...../...../.....

Address:.....

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Band Member number 3:

Full Name :.....

Date of birth:...../...../.....

Address:.....

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Band Member number 4:

Full Name :.....

Date of birth:...../...../.....

Address:.....

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Band Member number 5:

Full Name :.....

Date of birth:...../...../.....

Address:.....

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Band/Artist Requirements:

What equipment, instruments etc. is required for your performance.

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Social Media:

Please provide links to your social media:

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PLEASE NOTE:

Here at CANVAS we think this competition is the highlight of our year as a committee and always has run quite smoothly. This year we hope will be no different. Unfortunately, along with all the fun comes a wee bit of responsibility on behalf of the staff, the committee, the acts and the audience. Anyone who enters our facility is required to follow our code of conduct which we will send a copy of to you which you will be required to sign and return before competition day. We also urge if you are bringing supporters to the competition that you inform them of this code of conduct. We are all so excited for this year's competition and look forward to meeting you all.

Best of luck!

The CANVAS team.

Please send application form to: **grainstorecanvas@gmail.com**

CLOSING DATE: FRIDAY 28 APRIL 2018
LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL DEEM THE APPLICATION VOID

Facebook: CANVAS@Grainstore and @DLRgrainstore for updates

See: www.dlrgrainstore.ie for programme details

Thank you and best of luck

*CANVAS@Grainstore, dlr's Youth Arts Committee
The Grainstore dlr's Youth Arts Facility
The Park,
Cabinteely,
Dublin 18*



PHOTO-MEDIA CONSENT FORM

I/we hereby consent to the collection and use of my/our personal images through photography, audio recording or video recording. I acknowledge that they may be used for promotion and education purposes by Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council, the Grainstore, CANVAS and MCD Promotions across their websites, social media platforms, local press and print.

I.....
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Name of person giving consent or parent/guardian if aged under 18 years)

Consent to the use of photographs, video or audio recording for use for promotion and education purposes by Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council, the Grainstore, CANVAS and MCD Promotions across their websites, social media platforms, local press and print.

I further understand that this consent may be withdrawn by me at anytime, upon written notice.

I give this consent voluntarily

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Signature of person (s) giving consent or signature of parent if aged under 18 years

DATE:

Grainstore, dlr's Youth Arts Facility

Code of Conduct:

We believe that the Grainstore dlr's Youth Arts Facility is a place where people are respectful of others and encourage creativity through social interaction.

Young people aged 13 – 25 years use the facilities at the Grainstore, we believe that everyone has a personal responsibility to be respectful and aware of language used, topics discussed and personal conduct.

The Grainstore is a place where young people support one another in a non-judgemental fashion and are respectful of different perspectives and beliefs. This includes respecting the rights, dignity and worth of individuals, regardless of age, gender, ability, race, cultural background, religious beliefs and sexual identity.

We strive to maintain a safe and secure space, build positive relationships of mutual respect and mutual support amongst Canvas members, staff, local community and all the other young people visiting the Grainstore.

We encourage everyone to be mindful, fair, and honest in all dealings with the above so as not to hurt anyone by what we say or do.

It is a safe space where Alcohol and drug use is prohibited and will not be tolerated.

The Grainstore is a Youth Arts Facility; it celebrates diversity, creativity, expression and fun.

Anyone visiting the Grainstore premises must sign in and by doing so agrees to this code of conduct.

“Just be Sound” Canvas dlr's Youth Arts Committee

Policy & Procedure

Alcohol, drugs and smoking at the Grainstore dlr's Youth Art Facility

Battle of the Bands Long road to Longitude 2018

Long Road to Longitude- Battle of the Bands is strictly a no alcohol and no drugs event. The consumption or possession of alcohol or drugs will not be tolerated on the grounds. The Grainstore is a safe space for young people of all ages to attend and enjoy.

Any performers who are under the influence will be immediately disqualified from the competition.

Smoking: The Grainstore is a clean air facility; we strive to be positive role models -no smoking on the premises.

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Protocol: In the event where by someone is in possession of the above-it is to be reported directly to staff or event manager who will ask the person(s) to leave the Grainstore immediately.

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Signature