

# Lifest 2019 TALENT SEARCH - INFORMATION

## TALENT SEARCH COMPETITION – GENERAL INFO

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Lifest will again be running the Talent Search competition online in a video format hosted on YouTube. Fans will vote with the “Like” button and the top three bands will play at Lifest.

### APPLICATION & VIDEO – DUE APRIL 10TH

1. Complete and submit the entry form AND
2. Send us your video submission
  - Length: 5 minutes OR LESS
  - Your video must contain one original song. No covers can be used for your submission.
  - You may choose to include an introduction of the band; however, the videos must be 5 minutes or less in length.
  - No need for a “full production” video. Feel free to you use your iPhone or a simple “slide show.” We are evaluating your music, not your video production.
  - Videos will be prescreened for content and deemed “appropriate” by Life Promotions staff. If a video doesn’t meet the requirements, you will have until April 10th to remake and submit a new version.

### VOTING – VOTING APRIL 15<sup>TH</sup> – 30<sup>TH</sup>

Lifest will post all accepted videos to the Lifest Official YouTube channel and links will be shared with all the bands. Your fans need to simply “like” your video to vote. Fans can only vote once per YouTube account per video. Voting will begin on April 15th and run until April 30th with the Top Three being announced by May 6th. Along with your own promotion, Life Promotions will post links to all the videos on our Official Facebook page and other media outlets to drive the voting.

### LIVE FINALS – PERFORMANCE JULY 13TH

- The three bands with the highest amount of “likes” will move onto the “Live” competition at Lifest.
- The live competition will be held on the Edge Stage on Saturday, July 13th at 11:00am.
- Each band will get to play for a panel of judges.
- The winner will be determined after all three bands have played and the Lifest Winner will perform a 30 min set on the Edge stage on Saturday.
- The winner will receive a performance slot at Lifest 2020.

### OVERVIEW OF DATES:

- **APRIL 10: all submissions due**
- **APRIL 15-30: voting open**
- **MAY 6: winners announced/notified**
- **JULY 13: PERFORMANCE DATE AT LIFEST**

### IF YOU ARE CHOSEN:

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- You will be notified by May 6th if you are one of the top three Talent Search Bands.
- There is no performance fee that needs to be paid.

### WHAT WILL BE COVER:

- One-day wristbands for band members only (does not include family members or merch people). You may upgrade to a full event ticket on site at the Main Ticket tent during Lifest for \$30.
- One On-Grounds Parking Pass with a Loading Permit. All other vehicles associated with the performer's party will have to purchase a pass and park in General Parking.
- Backstage access to your stage during performance only.
- Backline usage fees (see Production).
- Booth space and table near stage for one hour prior, during and after your performance.

### PRODUCTION

- Each Band will be required to use the House Drum Set. With the exception of cymbals, snare, pedals and throne.
- Each Band will be required to use the House Bass Amp (Ampeg SVT Classic w/810).
- Bands will have access to, but NOT required to use back line guitar amps and keyboards.
- In Ear monitors ARE available (4 stereo mixes) and wedges will also be provided.

### MERCHANDISE

- Talent Search Artists do not pay a merchandise fee.
- You may sell merchandise at your stage one hour before and one hour after your set.
- We do not provide staff or change for your merchandise table and you do not receive a free ticket for someone to work the table for you.

### CANCELLATION, WITHDRAWAL & REASONS FOR DISMISSAL:

- Please do not sign up for the talent search if you are unsure of your ability to be at Lifest, July 13, 2019.
- **NO STICKERS ALLOWED ON SITE AT LIFEST.** If you bring them, you'll be dismissed without playing, no refunds, etc.
- **NO HANDING OUT OF FLYERS OTHER THAN FROM YOUR MERCH BOOTH.** If you do, you'll be dismissed without playing, no refunds, etc.
- **NO HANGING UP POSTERS OR FLYERS, ANYWHERE.** If you see other bands doing ANY of these, it does not mean it is OK and that you can do it too. You'll both be dismissed.



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### EVERYONE NEEDS TO KNOW:

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#### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- Press kits and CDs are only reviewed if they are specifically requested by Lifest. Unfortunately, we do not have the resources to review unsolicited press kits.
- Artist adheres to the Apostle's Creed and is committed to calling people to Jesus Christ.
- Participating artists are completely responsible for all expenses in getting to and from the festival and while at the event (travel cost, lodging, food, etc.).
- All Applications are due April 10<sup>th</sup>, no exceptions.
- Check In: Each artist will be contacted a few weeks before the event and be given instructions for on-site check-in.

#### DISCLAIMER

- All performing artists will be listed in the event program and included in certain parts of the event's advertising (website, Festival T-Shirt, Festival Programs).
- Lifest and Life Promotions reserve the right to make the final determination regarding the acceptance or rejection of any artist for any reason, including the right to decide that the artists that perform at Lifest may NOT be the top 3 per voting.
- Lifest and Life Promotions reserves the right to deny acceptance based on the music and content reviewed.

If you have additional questions that are not answered above, email [artist@lifepromotions.org](mailto:artist@lifepromotions.org).

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# Lifest 2019 TALENT SEARCH REGISTRATION FORM

1. All entries due APRIL 10, 2019
2. There is NO fee to submit your entry.
3. Submit: Five minute video of original song to be placed on YouTube by Life Promotions.

**Email or mail this completed form to us (Email is preferred):**

**Email or Dropbox Electronic Files:** [etritz@lifepromotions.org](mailto:etritz@lifepromotions.org)

**Mail:**

Life Promotions,  
ATTENTION: Talent Search  
2030 American Dr  
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**Artist Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Main Contact person:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cell Phone/name** (that will be available at Lifest if you play): \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Contact Phone/name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Street Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City, State, Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Genre:** \_\_\_\_\_

**List names of all band members and their role:** \_\_\_\_\_

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*By submitting this form, I/we agree that I/we have read and agree to abide by all the rules and information presented in the attached information. I/We includes all parties involved in our band, musical act.*

Signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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