The Clark Kessinger Memorial Fiddle Contest

Friday August 27th, 2021

at the

Fly In Festival

Robert Newlon Airpark 6090 Kyle Lane Huntington, WV 25702

** Registration 11:00 am to 12:00 pm **
Contest to Follow Registration



CONTEST RULES

- 1. All Contestants Must Have a Valid Fly In Festival Pass.
- 2. Each contestant must play two (2) tunes appropriate for the category entered.
 - a. Remember that popular crowd-pleasing tunes may not be the best choices for judging.
 - b. Medley-style tunes are not acceptable.
- 3. Each contestant may have a maximum of two (2) accompanists.
- 4. No electric instruments are allowed.
- 5. Accidents beyond the control of the contestant may result in a replay if the judges so merit.
- 6. Contestants must register during registration times.
- 7. No contestant will be allowed to register and/or compete after the contest has begun.
- 8. Contestants will draw for number of appearance. It is their responsibility to be ready to compete when announced by the emcee.
- 9. Lost Points will occur if the rules are not followed.
- 10. Judging will be done by acknowledged experts. Decisions by the judges are final.
- 11. Awards Ceremony will take place following the contest.
- 12. Contestants will not be given final score sheets.
- 13. In the event of severe weather, contest will take place on the inside stage of the Fly In Café.

<u>AWARDS</u>

First Place \$250

Second Place \$200

Third Place \$100

Fourth Place \$75

Youth (15 and under) Category:

First Place \$50

Second Place \$25

JUDGING CATEGORIES

- 1. Intonation Tuning and tonal qualities
- 2. Timing Accurate and consistent rhythm
- 3. **Difficulty** Complexity of selections
- 4. **Technique** Dexterity in performance
- 5. **Selection** Choice of tunes appropriate to category

The Fly In Festival Award

- ** Awarded to the crowd/judges favorite **
- ** Recipient may, or may not be an above Place-Award recipient **
- ** The Fly In Festival Award winner will receive an award and an Airplane Ride **

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