



Calling all singer/songwriters! Win a Chance to Perform at Aiken & Friends Music Fest, North Branch

Saturday, September 22 at RVCCArts, The Theatre at Raritan Valley Community College

If you are a burgeoning singer/songwriter and want a chance to perform on stage at the festival, keep reading...

OPEN MIC EVENTS:

Each open mic event will be judged by a panel of area musicians and event organizers who will be looking for YOUR **original acoustic songs**. One winner will be chosen from each venue to perform a 15 minute set of their original music at the Saturday evening concert (7-7:30PM), opening for Mike Aiken. This contest is a songwriting event, solos and duos only, no bands please. We welcome guitarists, pianists...whatever your instrument for original music is...as long as it's portable and easy to set up/tear down on stage.

If this sounds like you please follow the dates and direction below.

Open Mic 1: Virginia Napurano Cultural Center, 522 Rosemont Ringoes Rd., Sergeantsville, NJ
Thursday, August 16 at 7PM

Open Mic 2 Dragonfly Music & Coffee Café, 14 East Main Street, Somerville, NJ
Sunday, August 26 at 1pm

Songwriter Contest Rules and Guidelines

1. Open to any singer/songwriter.
2. Entrants must perform their own original music.
3. Entrants must be willing and able to perform up to 15 minutes of original music on stage Saturday night of the Fest, September 22, between 7:00 –7:30PM.
4. One winner will be chosen from each venue.
5. Winners receive a slot to perform at the festival and two weekend passes to all the festival events.
6. No bands – solos and duos only.
7. Winners will be selected by the venues who will consider creativity, songwriting ability, crowd response and performance quality.
8. Questions?? Please reach out to: affnorthbranch@rvccarts.org with any questions
9. Registration required. Please email your name(s), contact info, instrument(s), and titles of song(s) you will perform to affnorthbranch@rvccarts.org as soon as possible. Spots are limited!

Thank you. Good luck! We look forward to your participation.

For more information about Fest, go to RVCCArts.org.