

## Fall 2025 13 Week Karaoke Contest Sign Up Sheet & Waiver

## WIN HOOKS CHRISTMAS CASH!!!

- The contest runs every Tuesday for 13 weeks from 9/30/25 to 12/23/25.
- Contestants need to sign & date this sign in sheet/waiver to participate. Sign-in sheets need to be turned in by 9:00 PM to participate.
- This contest can be cancelled or postponed at any time.
- Judge's decisions are final, judges will not share their scores, notes, or justify their decisions to any contestants, supporters, or spectators. The judges scoring and voting will remain anonymous. The judges volunteer their time to help make the contest as competitive & fair as possible. We will not allow them to be harassed in any way. If you are found to be harassing the judges you will be banned from future participation & possibly from entering Hooks.
- Hooks Bar & Grill, its owners, employees, security agents, contest judges along with Thunderwaves Entertainment & staff are not responsible for any harm or damage caused to a participant during their participation in the contest. Contestants can be disqualified at any time for any reason without cause.
- Management, Judges, & Thunderwaves Entertainment have the right to change or modify the contest, and or, the rules at any time without any prior notice.
- If you have any questions or are not sure about any aspect of the contest, feel free to ask a staff member at any time. But keep in mind the rules outlined in this sign-up sheet supersede any verbal clarification.
- It is encouraged that contestants bring friends & families to support them. Crowd participation, enthusiasm, & applause are one of the judges' criteria.
- And please remember this contest is about having fun & showing off your talent. Please keep it friendly & be respectful to all participants.

## **Contest Specific Rules & Regulations**

 The contest consists of 13 weeks, 3 weeks of auditions/qualifying followed by 10 weeks of competition as outlined below:

•	WEEKS 1-3 (MUST QULIFY ONCE)	Qualifying/Auditions	9/30,10/7,10/14
•	WEEK 4	Pick Your Decade	10/21
•	WEEK 5	Scare-E-Oke	10/28
•	WEEK 6	Country Night	11/4
•	WEEK 7	Rock & Roll	11/11
•	Week 8	Movie Soundtrack	11/18
•	WEEK 9	Broadway & Musicals	11/25
•	WEEK 10	Jersey Born and bred	12/2
•	WEEK 11 QUARTER FINALS	#1 On the Charts	12/9
•	WEEK 12 SEMI-FINALS	Y2K Hits + Judges Choice	12/16
•	WEEK 13 FINALS	Upbeat Song & Ballad + Your Bes	st 12/23

- Singers MUST qualify once during weeks 1-3 to participate in the contest. Once you qualify you
  must sign in by 9PM every week and perform a song in accordance with that week's theme(s).
   Every contestant gets ONE bye week with no penalties, but there are NO bye weeks allowed
  after week 10.
- Any contestants that advance to weeks 12 & 13, Semi-finals & Finals will be required to sing two songs.
- A contestant may **NOT** sing the same song twice in this competition.
- Judging categories & Criteria:

# 1 VOCALS# 2 CROWD ENTHUSIASM1-5 Points

# 3 STAGE PRESENCE
 1-5 Points (your charisma, appeal, confidence, energy)

# 4 LYRICAL KNOWLEDGE
 1-5 Points (know your songs)

o # 5 THEME & PROPS 1-3 Points (dress & perform in accordance w/ the nights theme)

- We will start eliminating singers starting week 5. The number of weekly contestants cut will be
  determined depending on the number of qualifying singers and will be the sole determination of
  management. Cuts will be made through week 12 leaving 3 contestants competing in week 13
  finals.
- PRIZES:

FIRST PLACE: \$2,500.00SECOND PLACE: \$1,000.00

O THIRD PLACE: \$400 HOOKS GIFT CARD

NAME:	Date:	Cell #:
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Signature:		

<sup>\*</sup> Giving each performer the opportunity to score a possible 23 points per judge per week.