

# Dallas Songwriters 2006 Song Contest

Deadline JUNE 30th

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Top 3 Win 1 yr. Broadjam Pro Membership (\$345 value)  
**Winners in Each Category**

1st Place - Choice of \$100 or studio time, plus a 1 yr.

BroadjamMOB Membership; 2nd Place - \$50

All winners receive a 1 yr. DSA Membership

All winning songs will be included on a CD distributed at the Awards Ceremony. Semifinalist may be invited to perform at Awards.



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## ENTRY FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*CO-WRITER(S): \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*PLEASE BE SURE TO REMEMBER TO INCLUDE ALL CO-WRITERS!\*\*

ENTRY FEE for Song Contest is \$20 . DSA Members \$15.

Fee:\$ \_\_\_\_\_ DSA Membership \$45 \_\_\_\_\_(optional)

Total fees submitted: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

By signing below and by submitting my entry fee and lyrics I hereby agree to abide by all of the rules of this contest.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Check one category below:

Country  
Singer/Songwriter  
Christian/Inspirational  
Novelty/Patriotic/Children's  
Pop/Rock/Alt/R&B/Urban  
Americana/Folk/Bluegrass  
Love Songs/EZ Listening  
Instrumental/Classical/TV/Film/Jazz

Direct inquires and entries to:  
Dallas Songwriters Association  
2005 Song Contest  
Sherrie Davis, Contest Director  
Sammons Center For The Arts  
3630 Harry Hines Blvd. #20  
Dallas, Texas 75219  
214-750-0916 x1  
sherriesong@verizon.net



ENTRY FEE :\$20 per song, \$15 for DSA members

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CATEGORIES AND JUDGES Finalists in each category will be judged by music industry professionals from record labels and publishing companies & Grand Prize winner will be chosen by A&R and/or industry professionals of Broadjam.

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1. Write the song title and category on top of lyric sheet.
2. DO NOT write your name on your lyric sheet.
3. Remove the cassette from its plastic case. If CD, leave in unmarked case. Fold lyric sheet and write song title and category on the OUTSIDE of the lyric sheet, then place inside CD case or band it on the outside of the cassette so title is visible. (DO NOT use a marker that will obscure the lyrics inside.)
4. Mail all entry forms and fees in the same package.
5. You are not required to be a DSA member to enter by MAIL, however, to enter ONLINE, you must be a registered member of Broadjam or you must register for a free Broadjam membership to upload/submit your songs to this contest. Song files should be uploaded as 128 KB MP3 files. Broadjam reserves the right to disqualify any contestant for misrepresentation or misuse of their membership during the contest.

### SONG CONTEST RULES

1. The DSA Annual Song Contest is open to any amateur songwriter. (This song contest defines "amateur" as a songwriter who has not earned more than \$5,000 from songwriting-related royalties, works for hire or advances since January 1, 2002) Contestants must be at least 13 years of age. Each contestant must provide accurate contact information or no prizes will be awarded. Closing and announcement dates may be changed without notice.
2. Each song submitted must be your original work.
3. A song is defined as a melody with lyrics. A single song entry may be no longer than five (5) minutes in duration. An Instrumental (music with no lyrics) is permitted only in its category and is limited to 7 minutes.
4. Enter as many songs as you like in each category. Enter as many categories as you like for each song. HOWEVER, you must send an entry form, fee, (with CD or Cassette), lyric sheet (except for instrumental entry) for each song entered. EACH SONG CAN ONLY WIN FIRST PLACE IN ONE CATEGORY.
5. All entries must be received by no later than midnight, June 30, 2006. Neither DSA or Broadjam.com is responsible for lost, damaged or misdirected entries, nor for the quality of the sound files of the song. Entry material WILL NOT BE RETURNED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES. DO NOT SEND YOUR ONLY COPY OR S.A.S.E.
6. First prize or grand prize winning songs of any DSA sponsored annual song or lyric contest are ineligible for entry.
7. If there are not at least 15 song entries in a category, the songs entered in that category may be placed in the next appropriate category at the judge's discretion.
8. Entrants agree that if their song is a winner of any prize in the contest, the sponsors and DSA will have the right to publicize the winners names and likeness, and reprint the winning songs and lyrics in the DSA "Songwriters Notes" newsletter and/or website and/or on Broadjam.com and/or on a promotional CD given away at the awards ceremony or to radio stations for promotion. By accepting the prize, winner releases DSA and of any and all liability regarding prizes awarded. All warranties and performance of service promised is the sole responsibility of the sponsor providing such service. ...rules cont.on pg. 8

\*Or keyboard from Brook Mays. Prizes subject to change.

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Winners will be announced at the Awards Ceremony and Silent Auction on October 7 at the Center For Community Cooperation 2900 Live Oak, Dallas Tx.

