



Presents the Third Annual:

Steve Harris Songwriter of the Year Contest

Sponsored by Graner Music

Winner Will Be Announced Friday May 26, 2023 at the MeadowGrass Music Festival

Please submit your entry via email, attention Nicole:
RMHMC09@gmail.com

There is a \$10.00 entry fee. Please pay through our website
<https://rockymountainhighway.org/index.php/donate-to-the-rocky-mountain-highway/>

Or mail a check made out to Rocky Mountain Highway to
P.O. Box 38943, Colorado Springs, CO 80937

No one will be turned away, so please reach out to Nicole for an entry fee
stipend: 719-426-1483, or RMHMC09@gmail.com

Thank you for participating in this unique community event!

The following parameters are in place for this contest:

1. Your song must be original and performed by you. You may have one accompaniment.
2. All music genres are welcome.
3. 1 song only; 5 minutes or less.
4. There will be two age categories: 13-18 years of age (\$500 prize) & 12 years of age and under (\$250 prize). Each category will have an honorable mention.
5. All contestants plus 1 guest get into MeadowGrass free on May 26th. We also offer ½ price weekend tickets to contestants' immediate family.
6. All submissions will be anonymous to the judges; each judge will receive copies of the recordings without personal identifying information. Therefore, please do not introduce yourself in the video. Stating the name of your song is great though!
7. Judges will receive a scoring sheet for use in evaluating. Your song will be judged on the following categories: melody, lyrics, originality, and overall effect.
8. The questions below must be answered and submitted with your song. These questions will not be included in the judges evaluation; they are for organizational purposes only.
9. **Entry deadline: April 24, 2023.**
10. Please note, if you are chosen as one of the front runners you will need to be prepared to perform on the main stage at MeadowGrass. We provide sound and tech support, but not instruments.

Contestant Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Best way to contact you: Phone or Email

Age: _____

Song Title: _____

How did you hear about this contest?

Why is songwriting important to you? In other words, what does songwriting *do* for you: is it a hobby, creative outlet, therapy, etc.? ***Please speak freely here!***

