



# NICHOLAS COUNTY POTATO FESTIVAL *POTATO IDOL TALENT SEARCH*

**Saturday, September 9, 2023**

Starting 5:15pm

Potato Festival Stage Area

## **CASH PRIZES!**

### **Age Categories:**

5yr – 10yr

11yr – 15yr

16yr – 20yr

21yr +

- Arrive Downtown at the Pavilion by 3:30pm for registration.
- Bring your music, instruments, etc. needed for the performance.
- Stage and sound will be provided.
- Brief rehearsal starting at 4:30
- \$25.00 entry fee

*(The winner may sing 1 song and must provide music, instruments, etc.)*

**Contact City of Summersville at 304-872-1211 or 304-872-3722**

**Applications provided at Summersville City Hall or**

**[www.nicholascountypotatofestival.com](http://www.nicholascountypotatofestival.com)**

# 2023 POTATO IDOL TALENT SEARCH APPLICATION

**Saturday, September 9, 2023  
Potato Festival Pavilion Stage Area  
5:15 pm**

**\$25.00 ENTRY FEE**

*PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION*

NAME OF GROUP OR INDIVIDUAL \_\_\_\_\_

List names of each member of the group:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

AGE GROUP     5-10     11-15     16-20     21+

ACCOMPANIMENT:

CD     NONE     OTHER

NAME OF CONTACT PERSON \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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

Checks are payable to the Summersville Arena & Conference Center and must be postmarked by August 28, 2023. Mail to:

**City of Summersville  
P.O. Box 525  
Summersville, WV 2651**

You may also bring the completed application and entry fee to the City of Summersville Municipal Building located at 400 Broad Street in Summersville, WV.

# **2023 POTATO IDOL TALENT SEARCH RULES OF COMPETITION**

- **Participants may only perform one (1) time during the competition.**
- **No profanity or vulgar language is allowed in any vocal performance or dance music.**
- **All attire must at all times be respectful and tasteful.**
- **Sound technicians and microphones will be provided. However, YOU must provide your own CD music, taped music, instruments, props, etc. needed for your performance.**
- **Music MUST be ready prior to performance and readily available to the sound technician.**
- **Participants may not be professional performers.**
- **Rehearsal for the 2023 Potato Idol Talent Search will be held on Saturday, September 9 at 4:30pm in Downtown Summersville at the Pavilion Stage Area.**
- **Each act will be limited to five (5) minutes.**
- **2023 Potato Idol Talent Search will be held on Saturday, September 9 at 5:15pm in Downtown Summersville at the Pavilion Stage Area and all contestants must arrive at the Stage Area no later than 4:30pm the day of the show.**
- **There will be one First Place Winner in each age group who will receive \$50 and qualify to be the next Potato Idol winner.**
- **There will be one Potato Idol winner, who will receive \$100 and the opportunity to record a CD for the song of their choice (with copyright approval) with Monty Price Sound and Music and will perform on Saturday, September 9 at the Nicholas County Potato Festival at 6:45pm**
- **The decision of the Judges is FINAL.**
- **Upon prior notice to all participants, the rules are subject to change at the sole discretion of the Talent Show organizers only.**

**Questions? Call the Summersville Arena and Conference Center at 304-872-3722 or 304-872-1211 for more information.**

# 2023 POTATO IDOL TALENT SEARCH TALENT SEARCH RELEASE FORM

I, \_\_\_\_\_

hereby consent to the Potato Festival Staff, or its designee, in association with the organization or event listed below, to take photographs, videos and / or recordings of me or my group. Furthermore, I consent to the use of any information submitted by me, including, but not limited to, any photographs, videos, and / or recordings taken of me or my group, in association with the organization or event listed below by the Potato Festival, and / or others with its consent, for purposes of illustration, advertising and / or publication in print, online or otherwise.

**ORGANIZATION / EVENT:**  
**NICHOLAS COUNTY POTATO FESTIVAL**  
**2023 POTATO IDOL TALENT SEARCH**

*PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION*

**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY / STATE / ZIP** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE** *(Parent or Guardian must sign if contestant is under 18 years of age)*

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**DATE** \_\_\_\_\_