



REGISTRATION FORM

Name of Band/ Act:

School/ College:

Parents/ Guardians Contact Details:
(minimum of 2 required)
Names / Email / Direct Number...

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Names / Email / Direct Number...

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Teacher Contact Details:

I am happy for (Act/Band)

to represent (school)

Signed:

Email:

Direct Tel No:

Comments:

Performers:
(Names/ Ages/ Mobiles/ Emails)

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We have read and understood the terms and conditions (overleaf) for Centre Stage 2012. We agree to them and understand our fundraising is £1000.00 of which £250.00 is payable before the commencement of the heats in April.

Signed:

We propose to raise our target by doing the following fundraising:

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(please contact Sarah Tarpey at Martin House for fundraising ideas/ support.
Please email: starpey@martinhouse.org.uk

CENTRE STAGE 2012 - TERMS & CONDITIONS OF ENTRY & REGISTRATION

The competition is organised and promoted by Martin House Children's Hospice.

Entry to Centre Stage is open to all secondary schools, colleges & any student in secondary education under 21yrs of age. Acts can include bands, vocal groups and solo artists of all genres. All entrants must be over 11yrs or under 21yrs, on 1 September 2012. All entrants under 18yrs must inform their parents or legal guardians of their entry into the competition.

Want to enter a band but not all members are students of the same school? Providing at least one of the band is a student of the school then acts may include non-students, as long as all members are 21 yrs and under. It is for each school to decide whether or not they want to involve non-students. Individuals/bands can only enter once, through one school.

Do you have two acts who are equally as brilliant and you really can't choose between them? We would be willing to consider a double entry but please call to discuss this with us. Please bear in mind that this will increase your fundraising target.

As Centre Stage is an important fundraising initiative for Martin House, each school/band will be asked to fundraise £1,000 for the Hospice. Should you need any advice, Martin House will be delighted to offer ideas on how easily this amount can be raised! At least £250 of your target must be paid before the Heat Finals in April 2012. The final instalment must be paid by August 2012.

Schools/bands should complete and return this Registration Form to Centre Stage at Martin House (address overleaf) by 15th January 2012. We advise return as soon as possible to be guaranteed an entry, as places are limited and demand is even higher.

It is at the school's discretion how they choose their act/s. The successful act/s from each school will be invited to perform and compete live in the Heats. The school must submit the Artist Information Form (Tech Spec) which will be sent to them on receipt of their Registration Form. This form will give details of their act and details of technical requirements that will be needed for the live performances.

The Heats will run from 16th - 19th April 2012 at The Wardrobe, Leeds, in front of a capacity audience and professional, music industry judging panel. Each band will be required to perform either covers or original songs – the set time will be confirmed nearer the date. The performance will need to be original with backing track and/or live support. On completion of the Heats, the judges will review all of the acts and successful competitors will be invited to perform and compete live at the Final.

The Final will take place on 17th July 2012 at O2 Academy, Leeds, in front of a capacity audience and top industry judging panel. Finalists must perform at least one original song. Further guidelines will be provided to the Finalists nearer the time.

Entrants must acknowledge and agree to abide fully by the rules and regulations for this competition and obey all instructions in force or given by a member of Martin House and/or any location staff in connection with the competition.

Entrants must acknowledge that Martin House reserve the right to amend the rules, venues or terminate the competition at any time without liability. The judges' decisions shall be final.

Martin House reserves the right to disqualify any contestant if they supply untruthful, inaccurate or misleading personal details and/or information, or if they are deemed to be acting outside the spirit of the competition.

