

Mississauga Arts Council and Metalworks Studios Present: Sauga's Summer Song Contest

Contest:	Sauga's Summer Song Contest
Prize:	Recording and mixing session at Metalworks Studios
Deadline:	Tuesday, September 5, 2023 at 9 AM

Overview

Mississauga Arts Council and Metalworks Studios are jointly sponsoring Sauga's Summer Song Contest with Mississauga Music as a media partner.

Mississauga Musicians - submit your demo of your hit summer song for a chance at winning a recording and mixing session Metalworks Studios! Canada's premium recording studios. Learn more: <u>metalworksstudios.com</u>.

The jury, composed of established jurors from the Mississauga music community, will determine the "Sauga's Song of the Summer". The winner will be announced via video announcement, released at the end of September 2023. Date to be determined.

The deadline to submit your demo is **Tuesday**, **September 5**, **2023 at 9 AM.** NO LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED.

Contest is open to submissions from the following genres: Pop, Hip Hop, Country, Rock, and R&B.

Learn more: mississaugaartscouncil.com/programs/saugasummersongcontest/

Eligibility:

The songwriting contest is open to any professional musician or music group living in Mississauga.

Submission:

We are looking for professional musicians to submit one demo of their original song and it can be a collaboration:

- Submit a demo of your song with writing credits, production credits (if applicable)
- Song cannot have been previously recorded or released
- Song cannot exceed 4 minutes

Note: If the song submission contains strong language, or content that is not suitable for all ages, it may impact the jury's decision.

The Winning Musician/Music group will receive: The winning songwriter(s) will win a recording and mixing session at Metalworks Studios.

Deadline for submissions: Tuesday, September 5, 2023 at 9 AM.

NO LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED. All submissions MUST be received before the deadline. We encourage those interested to submit early to ensure their submission is received in advance of the deadline.

Winner announced: The winner will be announced via video announcement, released at the end of September 2023. Date to be determined.

Final winning song must be recorded and mixed no later than May 31, 2024.

How to submit:

Please complete the form and submit all required information here: <u>https://form.jotform.com/Mississauga_Arts/sssc23</u>

The contest form requires the following information:

- Your contact information
- Website links and links to your social media
- Artist CV and/or biography, and headshot (for promotional purposes)
- Link to your demo (Soundcloud, Dropbox, Google Drive, etc.)
- More information about the song: song title, writing credits, production credits (if applicable), and information about why you selected the song

For more information, visit:

mississaugaartscouncil.com/programs/saugasummersongcontest/

Once you have filled out the initial form on MAC's website, please also submit your demo to SoundsUnite.

To submit a track:

- 1. Create an account on <u>SoundsUnite</u>
- 2. Build your profile!
- 3. Upload a track by selecting <u>Create Post</u> in the sidebar
- 4. Click Upload A Song
- 5. Add your audio, a cover image and title, along with any other information you want to share about your track.
- 6. Make sure you select the Submit to Sauga's Summer Song Contest option.
- 7. Click Upload

Please note: In order to submit your entry to the contest, both the form on Mississauga Arts Council's website and upload to SoundsUnite must be submitted.

If you have any questions, please contact: Sherri Murray Communications Manager Mississauga Arts Council media@mississaugaartscouncil.com

Please allow up to two business days for a response.