DC Blues Society Entry Form for 2024 Battle of the Bands & Solo/Duo Competition

This form should be completed and submitted via email to battle@dcblues.org

Entry deadline: September 1, 2024

DCBS Battle of the Bands and Solo/Duo Competition – Sunday, October 6, 2024

International Blues Challenge, Memphis, TN – January 7=11, 2025

NOTE: DCBS is also accepting entries for the Youth Category and Best Self-Produced CD Category (also due September 1, 2024). Contact battle@dcblues.org for info on how to apply for those categories.

DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

BAND/SOLO-DUO NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

NAME(S) OF MEMBER/ARTIST WHO IS A DCBS MEMBER\*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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

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

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Band/Solo-Duo Promotional Information:

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

SOCIAL MEDIA (Facebook etc.) ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

PHOTO/VIDEO PRESS KIT LINK (optional): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

BAND/SOLO-DUO TAGLINE (Brief (1-LINE) promotional statement about the band): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

BAND/SOLO-DUO BIO (100 words or less, provide below or as an attachment. Also include the band members and their instruments (e.g., name-instrument)):

On behalf of the above named band/artists and in consideration for representing DCBS at the 2025 IBC,

 I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, agree: (check all)

\_\_ I am submitting a complete application, including:

 \_\_ digital copy or link to 3 sample tunes of my band/solo-duo act,

 \_\_ digital copy of a high quality color (preferred) or B & W photo with at least 300 dpi resolution

 and the photo credit cited, if available.

\_\_ I have read the eligibility criteria, scoring criteria, and penalty information for the IBC.

\_\_ If my band/solo-duo act should win the DCBS competition, we will be available to perform at the 2025 IBC in Memphis, TN; and the 2025 Annual DC Blues Festival, which typically occurs in October (subject to change)

\_\_ My band/solo-duo act will promote our participation in all DCBS events, including the Battle/Solo-Duo Competition, and will acknowledge the DC Blues Society as our IBC Blues Foundation Affiliate Sponsor during events and in online and print promotions.\*\*

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Signature

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 Questions? Send email to battle@dcblues.org.

\* At least one band/solo-duo member must be a current DCBS member. If no one is a DCBS member, please visit [www.dcblues.org](http://www.dcblues.org) to join.

\*\*The DC Blues Society is a Blues Foundation affiliate. The International Blues Challenge (IBC) is restricted to acts sponsored by a Blues Foundation affiliate.