

2011 FOX66 The X FACTOR AUDITION PASS CONTEST RULES

Who Can Enter

1. To be eligible to participate in this audition, entrants must be U.S. and Michigan residents who are 12 years of age or older as of March 1, 2011, and reside in the WSMH viewing area.
2. Employees of Sinclair Broadcast Group, Sinclair Television Group, Inc., and WSMH, Inc., and any other company which owns, programs or provides other services to television broadcast stations WSMH (the "Station") Courtland Center, Planet Fitness, Chasse Ballroom & Latin Dance Studio, Townsquare Media of Flint, Inc., Fox Broadcasting Company, News Corporation, Fox Digital Media, FremantleMedia North America, Inc., Blue Orbit Productions, Inc., Syco, Simco Limited, their parent, subsidiary, affiliated and related entities, and the officers, directors, employees, licensees and assignees of each, their affiliated companies, advertising, any and all local television broadcast and cable stations, local radio and other media companies and promotion agencies, and the immediate family members of each are ineligible. The term "immediate families" includes spouses, grandparents, parents, siblings, children and grandchildren. X Factor Local Auditions is for amateurs only. Members of SAG and AFTRA, or individuals represented by a management company or recording company are not eligible.

How to Enter

1. No purchase is necessary to enter.
2. Entrants thirteen (13) years of age and over can register online at wsmh.com/thexfactor. Entrants twelve (12) years of age must enter by printing out the entry form located at wsmh.com/thexfactor and mailing or faxing the completed entry form to WSMH 3463 W Pierson Rd, Flint MI 48504 or 810-785-8963. Each entrant may consist of an individual or a group. Only the first sixty-six (66) registered entrants will receive an audition number. Registration starts on Monday, March 21, 2011 by 10am.
3. On April 9, 2011, the Station will hold an audition at Courtland Center 4190 E. Court Street Burton, MI 48509 from 12pm to 3pm. All Entrants (including each individual within a group entry) must check-in by 11:30 a.m., show proof of age, and sign a consent/release form before being able to audition. The check-in process will start at 10am. Entrants under 18 years of age must have parent or guardian sign a consent/release form and be present during the audition process. Anyone not having a valid state ID or driver's license will not be allowed to audition.
4. Following the check-in process, auditions will be held starting at 12pm on April 9, 2011. Only the sixty six (66) registered and checked-in entrants will audition for the

judges. Entrants will sing up to 90 seconds of a song of their choice acapella. One (1) winner will be chosen by a panel of judges based on the following criteria: 50% singing ability/voice, 25% stage presence/overall entertainment ability, 25% style. The winner will be announced by 3pm on the main stage April 9, 2011. Winner must be present to win. In the event of a tie, a tie breaker round will take place and each of the tied entrants will be re-judged based on the above criterion.

5. Station reserves the right to disqualify anyone not following procedures or rules or for being disruptive or disrespectful to any person or property of above mentioned sponsors.

6. All entries (including video and audio tape) become property of the Station and will not be returned. Station is not responsible for late, lost or misdirected entries or for printing errors.

The Prize(s)

1. One grand prize winner will receive a trip to Chicago, IL to audition before an X Factor producer. If the winning entrant is a soloist or couple, then travel will be provided for two (2) individuals. If the winning entrant is more than two individuals, then actual travel cost up to \$3,000 will be provided by a travel means determined in the Station's sole and absolute discretion. The winning entrant will also receive front of the line passes and a guaranteed audition with X Factor producers on April 27, 2011. The winner is only guaranteed one audition in front of an X Factor producer. The winner will be judged under the criteria listed in the official X Factor rules (located at www.fox.com/thexfactor) and will not receive preferential treatment for callbacks. Decisions for callbacks are made solely by the X Factor producers. The audition will not be in front of any official X Factor judges or personalities. In the event production of X Factor is cancelled or postponed, the audition portion of the prizing may be cancelled without substitution or compensation therefore. The trip package does not include any other expenses including and without limitation, other transportation, meals, gratuities, baggage fees, miscellaneous airline fees, trip cancellation insurance or any other expenses. Any winners under 18 years of age must have their parent or guardian accompany them on the trip. Winners will be advised of the actual value of the travel, which shall not exceed Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000). The value of the guaranteed audition cannot be determined.

2. Winner will be notified in person at the X Factor Local Auditions on April 9, 2011. Before claiming prizes, the winner or each individuals of the winning group must provide their correct name, address and telephone number to Station at the time of notification. The winner or each individual of the winning group must sign and return a release and affidavit of eligibility, which must be received within ten (10) days of notification. All persons traveling on the trip must be 18 years of age or over, unless travelers under 18 are accompanied by at least one adult who is the parent or legal guardian of all of the minors. Any additional persons traveling on the trip along with the winner are at the expense of the winner or their travel companion. The winner's travel companion must also sign and

return a release, which must be returned with the winner's release affidavit of eligibility within the time frame specified above. Winner or each individuals of the winning group must show picture identification to claim prizes. Station reserves the right to examine additional identification and may choose to accept or deny awarding the prize based on the identification presented. The winner or each individuals of the winning group may also be required to sign additional documents as required by X Factor producers.

3. If a winner or an individual of a winning group does not timely return the affidavit of eligibility, then the prize will be forfeited, and the prize will be awarded to the entrant with the next highest score.

4. There will be no substitutions or cash alternatives for prizes except at the sole discretion of Station. The Station has the right to substitute a prize of similar value. No transfer or assignment of prizes is allowed.

5. The winner is responsible for paying all local, county, state and federal taxes on prizes based on the estimated retail value of the prizes as set forth in these rules.

6. Only one prize will be awarded per household.

7. Sinclair Broadcast Group, Inc., Sinclair Television Group, and WSMH, Inc., are not liable if the provider of any part of the prize fails to satisfy its obligations to furnish its portion of the prize. The Station, sponsors, and prize provider shall not be responsible for winner's failure to take the trip within the time frame described above, or cancellation of the trip by the winner.

8. Sinclair Broadcast Group, Inc., Sinclair Television Group, Inc., and WSMH, Inc., are not responsible for any liabilities arising directly or indirectly from the award or use of the prize.

9. In claiming your prize, you acknowledge that Sinclair Broadcast Group, Inc., Sinclair Television Group, Inc., and WSMH, Inc., have the right to publicize your name, character, likeness, photograph, voice and the fact that you are the winner for promotional purposes without financial remuneration.

Odds of Winning/Miscellaneous

1. Odds of winning depend on the talent of entrants as set forth in the criterion described above.

2. Complete rules are available Monday through Friday during normal business hours at G-3463 W. Pierson Road, Flint, Michigan, 48504 and www.wsmh.com.

3. For a list of prize winners, send a separate, self-addressed, stamped envelope to at G-3463 W. Pierson Road, Flint, Michigan, 48504 by June 1, 2011.

4. This is subject to all applicable laws and regulations and is void where prohibited. Sinclair Broadcast Group, Inc., Sinclair Television Group, Inc., WSMH, Inc., Courtland Center, Planet Fitness, Chasse Ballroom & Latin Dance Studio, Townsquare Media of Flint, Inc., Fox Broadcasting Company, News Corporation, Fox Digital Media, FremantleMedia North America, Inc., Blue Orbit Productions, Inc., Syco, Simco Limited, their parent, subsidiary, affiliated and related entities, and the officers, directors, employees, licensees and assignees of each have no responsibility or liability in connection with any injuries, losses or damages of any kind caused by or resulting from the acceptance, possession or use of any prize awarded hereunder.

5. Station cannot be held liable for any lost or stolen entries, prizes or information.

6. Station reserves the right to make rules and changes and change the aforementioned dates.