

# Volunteer Application

This application is for "TEEN IDOL", a 501(C)3 Nonprofit program of the Dark Wing Foundation produced by Dark Wing Productions ©2017. Formerly recognized as "Portland Teen Idol" and "Beaverton Teen Idol". This application is to apply to volunteer for the organization including judging, setup, support, promotion, mentoring and any job assignment where you will engage in activities related to Teen Idol.

Teen Idol is a nonprofit program in which no staff member or volunteer receives payment for their services. Your volunteer service supports the development of teens. Current year finalists do not need to complete this document.

Full name on your birth certificate or state issued ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred name: (leave blank if same as above): \_\_\_\_\_

Current physical Address – required for residency rules

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address City State Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth School name – Include Middle or High School if applies Grade in school if applies

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address (required) Phone Alt Phone

How did you hear about Teen Idol this season?

\_\_\_\_\_  
If a friend, put their full name, they may be eligible for referral cash.

If a sign or website, please tell us where was the sign or what website

All volunteers are expected to promote Teen Idol in a positive light at all times and are contractually obligated to work with management to resolve any perceived issues or complaints even after the volunteer shift/role has ended to ensure the integrity of the program and to eliminate potential misconceptions and to be accurate.

Teen Idol, Dark Wing Foundation, Dark Wing Productions and staff volunteers have the final decision on the acceptance of and continued participation an applicant. In the event you demonstrate poor judgement, be/become involved in illegal activity, have a negative attitude or are disruptive, rude or disrespectful or receive substantiated complaints, we reserve the right to terminate your participation in any or all programs that you may be involved in for the betterment of the organization during any step of the process.

By signing this application, you agree to abide by our determinations and accept whatever decisions are made related to your participation. You have the right privately to ask the producers/directors the reason for decision if you are not already aware. Requests should be in writing and are confidential. You also agree that if such action occurs, that as part of tour acceptance, agree to not make public or private negative statements, make up information or be detrimental to the program, a volunteer, staff member, other students or in any way diminish the value of any part of the organization now or in the future and is non-expiring as it will certainly impact the thousands of students that have come before you and will come after you.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Volunteer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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If volunteer is under 18:

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Guardian/Parent name (if under 18)      Signature      Date

Any additional Emergency Contacts?

\_\_\_\_\_  
Individual name      Phone #      Email address

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Individual name      Phone #      Email address

### **About the Teen Idol program – Season 11 (2017-18)**

Teen Idol program, formerly owned by the City of Portland was acquired by Dark Wing Productions (DWP) in 2011. DWP is a Beaverton area faith based production company that provides entertainment and media solutions working heavily with non-profits, youth, arts and minority related organizations. We partner with Celebrity Makeup Artist & Hair Stylist M'chel Bauxal and a her team of artists and stylists to provide all of the finalists with professional photos. She is a well-known artist that has worked with the Obamas, Henry Winkler, Lou Ferrigno, Dakota Fanning and many others. As a volunteer, you will get experience and training are considered part of our new "**Teen Idol Volunteers**" program.

The purpose of this program is to help develop teen's talents, provide unique educational opportunities, and help them see their own potential through industry like experiences, performances and activities. Having the students perform publicly and possibly on television, is similar to how the biz really works. Expanding the teens' network and creating a viable system of contacts may help in future employment and provide real world experience that will assist them in any pursuit, even outside the entertainment industry such as job interviews and support our communities at the same time.

Our program is a 501(c)(3) federally recognized nonprofit but is produced by Dark Wing Productions free of charge. Items and cash donations may be tax deductible to the extent of the value of the donation. Sponsor and advertising income, product or performance contracts are considered donations and may be tax deductible.

As one of the most comprehensive and inclusive teen programs in the Portland metro area, we are excited to say that we have had thousands of students in our program over the years and particularly proud to see 2011 3<sup>rd</sup> runner up **Lovey James** in the top 24 of American Idol during season 14, 2009 Runner up **Aubrey Cleland** make 11th Place on American Idol in season 12, 2009 2nd runner up **Madison Shanley** made top 88 in 2012 and Moorea Masa top 100 in 2009. Considering those successes, we believe that our program works and that the experience gained is valuable.

If you would like more information about the program, you can message the producer on Facebook under Dennis Gleason at [www.Facebook.com/iamdennisgleason](http://www.Facebook.com/iamdennisgleason). The website [www.TeenIdol.org](http://www.TeenIdol.org) has updated information about the program and whatever phase we are in and [www.Facebook.com/NationalTeenIdol](http://www.Facebook.com/NationalTeenIdol) is our official fan page.

