



Sound-Off to Sealybration 2019

The first ever battle of the bands for Sealybration. Sponsored by Saddleback Saloon, Sealy Community Foundation and The Sealy News.

1st Prize: \$1,000 & a performance at the 2019 Sealybration

Important Dates:

Jan. 9, 2019: Submission deadline. No exceptions.

Jan. 16, 2019: Official Kickoff of Sound-Off to Sealybration @ Saddleback Saloon

March 9, 2019: Finale of Sound-Off to Sealybration, winner to be announced @ Saddleback Saloon!

Band/Artist Information

Artist/Band Name: _____

Musicians Name/s: _____

Music Style: _____

Contact Information

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Website/Facebook/Spotify Link: _____

Date Registered: ___/___/___

Forms must be turned into Saddleback Saloon or e-mailed to
rolandodcantujr@gmail.com by Jan. 9, 2019 by 9 pm.
Any applications submitted afterward will not be considered.

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Sound-Off 2019 Format & Information

- 1st Place Winner will receive \$1,000 (provided by the Sealy Community Foundation and Saddleback Saloon). You will also be given the opportunity to perform on the main stage at Sealybration. Day and time TBD by the Sealy Community Foundation and the performer. Cash prize will not be handed out until performance at Sealybration is complete.
- We are currently looking at several different formats for the competition. We want to open this up to as many artists as possible. You will be contacted on Jan. 11, with final format and dates. You **MUST** be in attendance at the Jan. 16, 2019, kick-off to be introduced to everyone, and then have our format announced.
- This competition will be every week. We want to be fair to the performers and your time. We are looking at several different formats, and we will have that format for you by Jan. 11.
- In the preliminary rounds artists must have a five song maximum set. On March 9 you will need a set of an hour maximum.
- During the preliminary rounds, the artists that advance to the next round will be announced the next Monday. It will be announced on The Sealy News Page, Saddleback Page, and Austin County News Page. It will be posted at 3:30 pm on Mondays. The final round will be announced that night on March 9, after both bands have performed.
- Each night we will have three judges and then the audience. Each judge and the audience are worth 25 percent of the score equalling 100 total points.
- If an advancing artist can't continue in the competition, then the next person in their "bracket" will take their place. This will all depend on the format, which will be finalized on Jan. 11.
- If the winner is not able to fulfil the duties for Sealybration, the runner up will then be the winner.

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Rules & Regulations

NO lip-synching or tracking vocals.

Must be acoustic, and able to be played out of Saddleback Saloon's sound system (NO DRUMS WILL BE PROVIDED)

Applications will be accepted until Jan. 9.

Saddleback Saloon will provide microphones, sound equipment to minimize the time between performances.

1st place will only be awarded, as second place will be the backup just in case the 1st place winner can make the commitments of the agreed performance.

Alcohol is prohibited on stage while performing.

Management and/or judges have the right to disqualify a band at discretion due to misconduct.

Judging based on:

1. appearance and personality,
2. stage presence,
3. musicianship & dynamics,
4. overall performance and
5. professionalism.

Saddleback Saloon is not liable for accident, liability or equipment disappearance or damage.

I agree to the above rules and regulations for the 2019 Sound-Off to Sealybration Contest:

Musicians Name/s: _____

Musicians Signature: _____

Date: _____

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