

Q: What are the competitions for the 2008 SFC Conference?

A: The competitions are the following events:

SFC CLP Video Ad

SFC T-shirt design

SFC Regional Banner

SFC Parade Presentation

SFC Original Song



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SFC CLP VIDEO AD

Q: What are you looking for?

A: The goal of this competition is to produce an enticing ad that can be aired on TV that would inspire and excite the young & single demographic to participate in the Christian Life Program hosted in their local area.

Q: Is there a limit to how many entries can be submitted?

A: Not only is the competition open to all areas, multiple entries can also be submitted.

Q: How long does the video need to be?

A: Video clip must be **45 to 90 sec** long.

Q: When do the entries need to be submitted?

A: Entries will need to be submitted before **August 15**.

Q: How do I submit my entry?

A: You can upload your video to a free storage site such as www.megaupload.com. Once you have uploaded your video, email the link to John Yumul: john.yumul@gmail.com

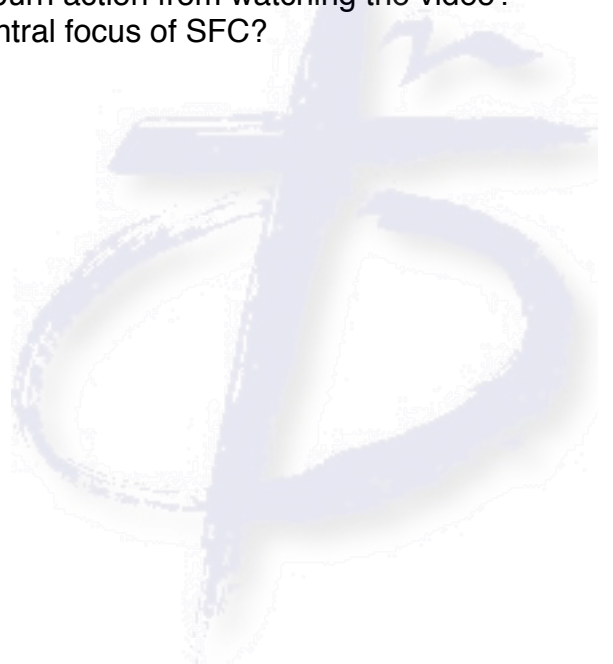
Q: Will my entry be shown at conference?

A: Entries will be pre-judged and the top 5 entries will be played throughout the conference for final judgment.

Q: What are the entries being judged on?

A: Judging criteria: TOTAL POINTS = 10

1. Creativity & Originality (3) How original and creative is the video?
2. Clarity of message/impact (3) Is the message of SFC and what we stand for clearly outlined and presented in a way where the intended audience will understand? Impact Does the message leave a lasting impression of what SFC is and spurn action from watching the video?
3. Christ-Centered (4) Does the video show the central focus of SFC?



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T-SHIRT DESIGN

Q: Who can participate in the t-shirt design competition?

A: The competition is open to all areas, but there can only be one shirt design entry per state. (*Note: NorCal and SoCal will be treated as two different areas so each can submit their own entry.*)

Q: Should the color of my t-shirt be the designated color of my region?

A: The shirt can be of **any color**.

Q: Can I have a design on the back of the shirt?

A: Designs may be printed on both sides of the shirt, but is not required.

Q: Does it need to be a shirt? Are there any other styles allowed?

A: The shirt can also be a jersey type shirt, but it cannot be a tank top.

Q: Are there any required elements that must be a part of the design?

A: The design must include the following elements:

1. SFC logo
2. the CFC 2008 theme or verse = John 13:34-35
3. SFC 2008 motto = "Love Deeply. Live Fully"

Q: What is the procedure to submit my design?

A: The design must be **emailed in .jpg format to your respective ACCs** and local SFC coordinators.

Q: Is there a deadline by when I need to submit my design?

A: There is no set deadline, however, keep in mind that it takes up to two weeks to print t-shirts. Plan accordingly. (Suggested date = August 8)

Q: When will the shirts be worn?

A: Delegations will wear their area shirts on Sunday, August 24.

Q: What are the entries being judged on?

A: Judging criteria: TOTAL POINTS = 10

1. Creativity (2)
2. Originality (2)
3. Wearability (3)



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REGIONAL BANNER

Q: What is the procedure for this year's banner competition?

A: Your local SFC coordinator/ACC will be notified the details and guidelines. They will designate who will create the banner to represent your area.

(INFO FOR CHAPTER HEADS/ACCs)

- Design must include the following elements:
 1. SFC logo
 2. the CFC 2008 theme or verse = John 13:34-35
 3. SFC 2008 motto = "Love Deeply. Live Fully"
 4. **Dominant color** of each banner must be the assigned regional color, as follows:
 - NW - Yellow
 - SW - Orange
 - NC - Green
 - SC - Red
 - NE - Blue
 - SE - Purple
- Banner should measure **3' wide x 7' long**.
- Each region is responsible for their **own banner holder**; it will not be provided. Suggested for use are either PVC piping or wood.
- Judging criteria: TOTAL POINTS = 10
 1. Creativity (3)
 2. Originality (3)
 3. Requirements met (4)

PARADE PRESENTATION

Q: What do we need to prepare for the parade presentation?

A: A **2/8-count dance move** based on the musical score for the praise parade will be performed on stage after a region is called.

Q: How many people can be in our group?

A: Up to **20 dancers/performers max** can be on stage.

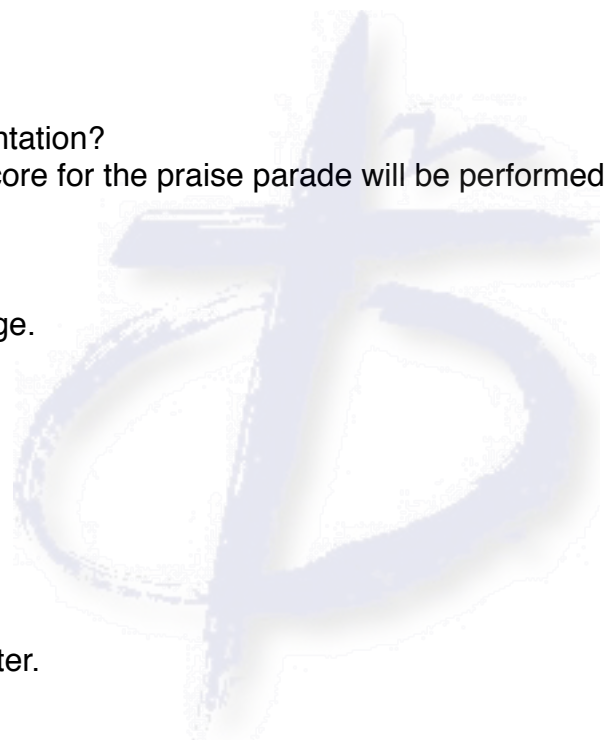
Q: What will the group be judged on?

A: Judging criteria: TOTAL POINTS = 10

1. Choreography (4)
2. Liveliness (4)
3. Crowd Reaction/Applause (2)

Q: What song will we be performing to?

A: The song will be "Love the Lord" by Lincoln Brewster.



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ORIGINAL SONG

Q: Does the song need to follow a theme?

A: All entries should relate to the **theme of LOVE**. (John 13:34-35)

Q: Can the song be secular? Can it be written about any kind of love?

A: The written music must be of a positive and/or Christian nature. (God-related, must keep it Christ-centered and reflect the values of our faith. Negative language or negative slang of any kind are definite grounds for disqualification.)

Q: Does the song need to be a certain type/style ?

A: As long as the song follows the Christ-centered guideline, the composition can be any genre - reflection song, worship song, even rap!

Q: Is there a recommended length for the song?

A: A song typically plays for about 4 to 6 minutes.

Q: By when do entries need to be submitted? To whom do entries need to be submitted?

A: Deadline for submission of entries is on **August 15**. Submit lyrics (.doc or in body of email) and music (.mp3 format) by email to: john.yumul@gmail.com

Q: Will I need to perform at conference?

A: Top 3 finalists can perform at conference. (If selected as finalist, you will be requested to notify us exactly what instruments, props, or any apparatus you will be using, as well as how many people will be needed to orchestrate your musical piece.) Should there be time constraints, as an alternative, the mp3 version of the song may be played.

Q: Can there be any additional performers while the song is being performed/played?

A: No additional dancers, nor adding non-band members during the performance.

Q: When will the final winner be selected?

A: Winner will be judged at the conference.

Q: What are the key judging points?

A: Judging criteria: TOTAL POINTS = 25

1. Creativity of Music and Lyrics (5)
2. Message (5)
3. Musical Arrangement (5)
4. On-stage Presence During Performance (5) (applicable if performed)
5. Crowd Rapport and Reaction (5)

Q: IS there still going to be a dance and band competition?

A: This year, there will be no dance and band competition. However, there **might** be an open mic. Though there are no guarantees that the open mic will happen, be prepared to showcase your talents.. for GOD, of course. ;)