Welcome to the Winter Idol Gala

Thank you for showing interest/ applying for the Winter Idol Gala at Yamacon 2026!

To encourage audience participation, a raffle winner will be announced at the end of the festival. Please bring something small to contribute like a photocard, sticker, top-loader, print, merch, etc!

There will be 10-15 minutes built into the end of the festival to photograph all the performers, as well as reveal the raffle winner. Do not leave before this time; this is an important part of the festival which will be used to promote all of the performers.

The current date/time of the festival is unknown but information will be released as soon as we know! Soundcheck will likely be an hour beforehand.

All applicants are **required** to have **two recent dance/singing covers, live footage, or practice video submitted through the application.**

RULES:

1. **All members have to be 16+ to participate in the festival.**
2. **Be on time.** All performers/groups must be there an hour before the panel begins. If everyone in your group is not present, you will not be performing.
3. **You must have a valid YamaCon badge to perform; a badge is not provided!**
4. **All performers are required to stay for the duration of the festival.** If you have any scheduling conflicts, contact @prismarine.idols , @sakura.madi or @beanbees_ on Instagram or contact one of the mods of the discord AT LEAST a week in advance.
5. **When applying, your second choice has to be a different franchise than your first choice. For example: If your first choice is Love Live, then your second choice has to be something different than Love Live, like Vocaloid, Project Sekai, etc…**
6. **All setlists have a MAX of 8 mins. This includes intro, transition, and outro times. Please be mindful of that time.**

7. **Once your setlist is accepted, that is the setlist you will be performing. <u>No changes</u> unless it is an emergency. Changes <u>MUST</u> be approved by Sakura or Bee.**
8. **Please pay attention to the Discord server. There will be important announcements there for deadlines related to the festival!**

Now that you've read the rules, it's time to move on to the Idol Fest application! Applications will be closed on **September 20th at 11:59 pm EST!** Here is the link to the application:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdczEk3XIj5lF2bksd0J8UKHh3RPYzgx44JwEw6Plb4t78BVg/viewform?usp=dialog