

How To Enter

An entry fee of \$20 for the first entry, payable digitally to Veterans For Peace is required. You may enter as many music videos as you'd like. Only valid and public URL links to download video files in the .MOV and .MP4 format will be accepted. Videos can be in landscape of 9:16 format. Please double-check URL links before entering. Veterans For Peace is not responsible for issuing refunds based on broken or otherwise invalid links. We require the song to be clearly audible in the recording. You may enter online only, [via this form](#).

Eligibility

Conflicts of interest: Employees and independent contractors of Veterans For Peace and their immediate families, immediate families of the judges panel are not eligible to enter. In addition, immediate families of employees, contractors, and the judges panel cannot be a co-writer or producer on a video submitted. If a song is found to be in violation, Veterans For Peace will not refund the submission fee. You represent and warrant that (a) all registration information you submit is truthful and accurate; (b) you will maintain the accuracy of such information; (c) you are 13 years of age or older; and (d) your entry to the contest does not violate any applicable law or regulation. If you are under 18 years of age, however, you must have permission and clearance to enter the contest from your parent or legal guardian. Entry of the Contest is void where prohibited. All contest winners are notified by email address or phone number. If the chosen winners do not respond to Veterans For Peace's notifications within seven (7) days, Veterans For Peace reserves the right to contact runner-ups and/or honorable mentions for the receipt of the First Place prize. International winners must pay any and all customs fees for delivery of prizes.

Judging

All entries are judged based on the merit of the overall songs, the creativity of the music videos, and adherence to the theme "Climate Crisis and The War Machine." All entries will be first screened by one or more judges, who will choose one category winner and one runner up for each of the following five categories: Pop, Rock, Country/R&B, Hip-Hip, and Folk/Spoken Word. The top 10 music videos will be aired on the night of the convention concert, and from the top five winners, our audience will choose the grand prize winner. The top 10 finalists will be notified via e-mail and phone by 1 August, 2021.

Prizes

- Winner of each category: \$1000

- Runner up in each category: \$500

Content

We do NOT claim ownership in the materials you submit in conjunction with the contest. Such materials include written text, files, images, photos, video, songs, lyrics, poetry, sounds, musical works, works of authorship, remarks, suggestions, ideas, graphics, tags, hashtags, genres, splits, ownership splits, identifiable numbers, identifiable codes, songwriter name, personal identifiable information, copyright registration information, affiliated companies or individuals, rights holder, administrator, publisher, or any other materials (collectively, "Content") that you display, upload, transfer, publish, or post to Veterans For Peace, whether public or private. By submitting any Content through the Contest, whether public or private, you hereby grant to us a limited, non-exclusive license to use, stream, transmit, beam, store, publicly display, translate, reproduce, and distribute such Content, in any format, whether known or unknown, including the limited right to use your likeness, persona, logo, trademark, and right(s) of publicity. By entering the Contest, you represent and warrant that your entry is an original work and that the content does not violate the privacy rights, publicity rights, copyrights, trademarks, contract rights or any other rights of any person or business. You further agree to indemnify and hold Veterans For Peace, contest judges and screeners, and all contest sponsors, their subsidiaries, and affiliates, and their respective officers, agents, partners and employees, harmless from any loss, liability, claim, or demand, including reasonable attorneys' fees, made by any third party due to or arising out of any breach of your representations and warranties set forth above and/or if any part of the entry causes Veterans For Peace to be liable to another.

Prize Deliveries

All prizes will be delivered digitally via paper or digital check by December 31, 2021.

Deadline

The deadline for the Climate Crisis and The War Machine Music Video contest is July 15, 2021, at 11:59:59 (CST).