



Good Shepherd Coffee House



Coffee House/Jam Night Rules & Guidelines 2012

The Good Shepherd Coffee House is a family friendly environment. We are here for everyone. We allow all types and styles of music as long as the music and lyrics are clean. **The lyrics may not be disrespectful to any person or group.**

1. Sign up on the "Sign Up" sheet which is out at 6:00PM on the night of the event. Coffee House Night starts at 7:00PM with all ages jam, (kids 2 to 102), Open Mic starts at 8:00 PM (ages 10 and up). Erik will have the sign-up sheet; **you can only sign up one band/artist per person.** You will sign up for **one time slot of 15 minutes or 3 songs** whichever occurs first. The artist or someone from the band should sign up the band, if you will be late you can message Erik on Facebook or send him an email (erik@pariseleti.com) to get on the list. We want to make sure everyone gets a turn to perform.
2. You must provide your own personal equipment, i.e. guitars, keyboards & instruments. **Acoustic guitars that have a built in pick up that can be plugged into a direct box are preferred,** we can mic acoustic guitars but please let the sound technician know ahead of time so he can accommodate you. We have mics, direct boxes and cables available, the sound technician has the final say on all set ups. **Due to sound constraints at our venue, we can no longer allow personal amplifiers, all guitars and pedals must go direct into our sound board so the sound technician can control the volume in the room.** If you would like to perform but do not have a guitar, contact Erik ahead of time to make arrangements.
3. Have your instruments tuned up and ready to go (off to the side of the stage, we will have guitar tuners available for you to use.) 5 minutes before your time slot. **Your time is 15 minutes or 3 songs whichever occurs first, this time also includes set up and take down.** As the evening progresses we will invite anyone to play another set or come up and participate in the group jam.
4. Please be gentle on our PA equipment. **DO NOT PULL ON THE MIC STANDS,** unloosen the boom necks before adjusting them. **DO NOT PLUG IN YOUR INSTRUMENT** or **UNPLUG** without checking with the sound technician first, otherwise you can blow our speakers. **Our sound technician is very experienced and knows our equipment well (in fact some of it is his own personal equipment), he will have the final say on all equipment set ups.**
5. Once Jam Night begins, **you should not be playing instruments in the coffee house except on stage.** It is disrespectful to the artists or bands to have others playing or making noise while they are up on stage. Please have respect for others... you are welcome to warm up out in the courtyard.
6. **Have Fun!!! And Tell All of Your Friends!!!**

IF YOU DO NOT ABIDE BY THESE RULES, YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PERFORM.

We reserve the right to stop a performance at any time for any reason.

Any questions, please call Erik at 561-262-5692 or by email at epariseleti@goodsheponline.com



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