



YAGP 2023

Regional Semi-Final Tour Guide

YAGP Winston-Salem, NC

January 19-22, 2023

Dear Friends,

We are thrilled to welcome you to the Youth America Grand Prix 2023 competition season. Below, you will find a preliminary timeline to help you plan your schedule, and venue information, in order to help you choose the right Semi-Final location for you.

TIMELINE

Please note that the posted timeline is NOT FINAL, and is only meant to give you an idea of how each particular semi-final will be structured. For example, the Semi-Final usually begins with the pre-competitive group performances, followed by junior groups, senior groups and ensembles. Workshops usually take place differently in each venue, depending on the size of the group and the location. Depending on additional availability of studio and theater space, we may accommodate additional participants from the waiting list, by making adjustments to the timeline and adding an additional day to the competition. In this case, the timeline will state that additional dates are "pending". If you do not see this, it means the venue has no more available time, and will only accommodate a set number of participants. Please comeback to this guide to check on updates.

The breakdown will be made clear in the final timeline and detailed schedule. The final timeline with detailed schedule will be posted 7 days before the event.

We strongly suggest that you only finalize travel arrangements after the first draft of the updated schedule has been posted, 30 days before the event.

Each semi-finalist is invited to participate in one workshop, consisting of two classes. Closer to the event, the master classes will be divided up by age and/or performance, at the discretion of the YAGP regional team. For example, sometimes the classes are split by age (12-14, for example) or sometimes by Soloist/Ensemble.

VENUE

Here you will find details about all Semi-Final event facilities, including theaters and studios. The number of seats in the theater can be used as a good indicator of the size of the event -- the smaller the size of the auditorium, the more limited the capacity of the event, and vice versa. Semi-finals that take place later in the season usually get more crowded. In all cases, we recommend registering early to ensure participation in your preferred venue.

Best of luck this season, and please do not hesitate to send all your additional questions to regional@yagp.org.

All the best,

The YAGP Team

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Important Information

About the Venue:

The Reynolds Auditorium is built on a rise overlooking the city of Winston-Salem, North Carolina. The theater is roomy and elegant, with a large stage and ample backstage area. Affordable city-owned and operated parking lots are available throughout downtown, and onsite parking is available at the theater, making this an ideal location for participants who are driving in.

Theater:

Theater: Richard J. Reynolds Memorial Auditorium

Address: 301 Hawthorne Rd NW, Winston-Salem, NC 27105

Website: <https://www.wsfcs.k12.nc.us/domain/8667>

Stage Size: 30 x 40

Auditorium Size: 1,900 seats

Nearby restaurants: Cafe Gelato, Carmine's 901 Grill, Alex's Cafe, Fabian's

Parking: Onsite free of charge



Studios: Pending

Distances:

Distance from airport to theater: 25 miles, approximately 30 min drive (Piedmont), 5 miles approximately 15 min drive (Smith-Reynolds)

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Preliminary Timeline

(updated on 6-5-22, schedule is subject to change without notice)

Thursday, January 19, 2023:

Competition - Pending

R.J. Reynolds Auditorium

Friday, January 20, 2023:

Competition

R.J. Reynolds Auditorium

9:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Saturday, January 21, 2023:

Competition

R.J. Reynolds Auditorium

9:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Master Classes - Pending

Sunday, January 22, 2023:

Competition - Pending

R.J. Reynolds Auditorium

9:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Master Classes – Pending

- Registration begins 45 min before your Competition Time.
- Please note this schedule is Tentative and Subject to Change
- The first draft of the Timeline will be posted 4 weeks before the Event
- The final Timeline will be posted 7 days before the Event.