

**Burnin'  
Down  
Town**



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**Battle  
Of The  
Bands**

**Beginning Wednesday July 12, 2006  
Finals Wednesday August 30, 2006**

You and your band could win  
the opportunity to play at the concert this year as the  
opening act for **Eddie Money** at Burnin' Down Town on  
**Saturday Night September 30<sup>th</sup>**

16 bands will be selected to compete for an opening spot for the concert.  
The competition will be held at

**The Senate Luxury Suites Hotel from 6:00 to 8:00  
On Scheduled Wednesday Nights**

Each band will have approximately 45 minutes to show their talent.  
The beginning judgment will be by process of elimination of votes so bring your fans for support.

Please send your CD to  
**The Senate Luxury Suites Hotel  
900 SW Tyler  
Topeka, KS 66612  
No Phone Calls Please**



Unplugged and original music need only apply.  
You must have opened availability each Wednesday to compete for final play offs.

**May the Best Band Win**

Promotions provided by  
**Cumulus Broadcasting  
The Senate Luxury Suites Hotel  
CD TRADEPOST**

**Details will be addressed at the time we contact you to inform you if were selected to be a part of the final 16 from the entries of the CD's sent to The Senate Luxury Suites Hotel. Please include your contact information with your entry. No calls please. We will contact you.**

**No entry fee is necessary to enter. All types of music are welcome. We encourage original music so be creative. You must be able to supply and set up your own audio equipment including duck tape for chords, power strips, extension cords, and rugs to cover lines on the floor for the Battle of the Bands contest itself. You will have approximately 30 minutes to set up and play for approximately 45 minutes. The winner will be supplied with the necessary sound system on the stage for Burnin' Down Town by Cumulus Broadcasting. Just remember this competition itself is an unplugged competition so keep it simple. Microphones, a possible small amplifier, and a soundboard is all you should need for this competition as space is limited at the hotel.**

**To enter...**

**You must have availability starting in July each Wednesday from 5:00 to 8:00 until your scheduled date is set, allowing you time to set up if you are the first band, ready to play at 5:00.**

**You must have availability on Wednesday August 30 from 5:00 to 8:00 for the final playoffs if so selected.**

**You must have availability on Saturday September 30 to play at the concert for Burnin' Down Town if you are the winner. If you don't show, you are out of the competition. No exceptions.**

**You must have enough material to play for 45 minutes.**

**Details...**

**Each Wednesday, 2 from the 16 bands will be scheduled to play against each other in the first round of the Battle of the Bands competition. The determining factor in this level of the competition will be by silent ballot from the audience's votes. A secrete judge from CD TRADEPOST or Hume Music will oversee the event to insure fairness in the competition at this level. Bring your friends for support. The Senate Lounge will be opened for cocktails so have your ID's available. Drinks are sold on a cash basis only. The best of those 2 will become eligible for the final playoffs. This does not guarantee you will be part of the selection for the final 2 of the playoffs on August 30, only that you will be in the running. If 1 of the 2 bands does not show, you are the winner by default. 16 will become 8. From that 8, 2 will be selected for the final round on Wednesday August 30 by a professional panel of musicians from the CD TRADEPOST and Hume Music. We will notify you if you made the cut. The winner of the final playoffs on Wednesday August 30 will be the final winner of the Battle of the Bands competition and will be playing at the concert for Burnin' Down Town on Saturday September 30. You will then be in the hands of Cumulus Broadcasting and working with them on the details for the show.**

**For the winner...**

**What a chance of a lifetime.....your band will be an opening act on the main stage for the concert Saturday September 30 for Burnin' Down Town. In addition your band will be listed with mentions on the Play Bills as being part of the show. How cool is that?**

**Good luck to you all. I am looking forward to see what kind of talent Topeka has to offer. Bring it on and may the best band win.**