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1st Annual 508 Park Fiddle Contest

November 7, 2015

**508 Amphitheater at Encore Park
Downtown Dallas, TX**

**Registration starts: 9 am
Competition starts: 10am**

Presented by The Museum of Street Culture and the Texas Old Time Fiddlers Association

Competition Categories

Divisions	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
Small Fry Fiddle (Ages 8 and under)	\$75	\$60	\$45	\$30	\$20	\$15
Jr Jr Fiddle (Ages 9 thru 12)	\$100	\$80	\$60	\$40	\$30	\$20
Jr Fiddle (ages 13 to 17)	\$175	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$75	\$50
Young Adult Fiddle (18 to 39)	\$175	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$75	\$50
Adult Fiddle (40 to 64)	\$175	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$75	\$50
Sr Fiddle (65 and over)	\$175	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$75	\$50
Accompanist	\$100	\$80	\$60	\$40	\$30	\$20
"Roots of Western Swing" Contest	\$175	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$75	\$50

Judges: Jim "Texas Shorty" Chancellor, Valerie Ryals, and Wes Westmoreland

The "The Roots of Western Swing" contest, open to a fiddler or small group of fiddlers, is a special category designed to give recognition of the history of the first recording of Bob Wills and the Texas Playboys which happened here at Encore Park.

There will also be a short workshop presented by the judges to discuss and demonstrate the legacy of Western Swing and its influence on Texas Style fiddling.

Admission is free. You must be a member of the Texas Old Time Fiddlers Association to compete in the contests.

Bring lawn chairs and be ready to hear some of the finest fiddling Texas has to offer!

Directions: Google Maps "Encore Park, Dallas TX" - or - 1835 Young St, Dallas, TX 75201