



AMERICAN IDOL® LIVE! 2015 TOUR

AMERICAN IDOL® returns this summer with its 14th consecutive American Idol Live! Tour.

37-SHOW TOUR KICKS OFF JULY 7 IN CLEARWATER, FL

For the first time ever, enjoy an intimate evening spotlighting the Top Five finalists from Season 14.

Tickets on sale Friday, April 17

MESA, April 16 – AMERICAN IDOL®, the most successful music competition show in television history, returns this summer with an unprecedented 14th consecutive national tour. 19 Entertainment, Inc. announced Tuesday that the 37-show concert tour launches Tuesday, July 7 in Clearwater, FL, and stops in major cities, including New York, Chicago, Houston and Nashville. The tour will include Mesa Arts Center's Ikeda Theater, with a one-night-only performance on August 16, 2015. Tickets go on sale starting Friday, April 17 via AmericanIdol.com/tour and will be available through Mesa Arts Center's box office, at mesaartscenter.com or 480-644-6500.

AMERICAN IDOL® LIVE! will give fans an opportunity to get up close and personal with the Top Five IDOLS from Season 14. The Top Five will showcase their individual artistry and talents all set to a live band. Past tours have featured stars such as Kelly Clarkson, Carrie Underwood, Jennifer Hudson, Fantasia, Adam Lambert, Scotty McCreery, Phillip Phillips and many more.

AMERICAN IDOL® XIV airs Wednesdays (8:00-10:00 PM ET live/PT tape-delayed) on FOX.

AMERICAN IDOL® LIVE! 2015 Tour Dates:

DATE	CITY	VENUE
July 07	Clearwater, FL	Ruth Eckerd Hall
July 08	Sarasota, FL	Van Wezel Performing Arts Hall

July 09	Melbourne, FL	King Center For The Performing Arts
July 11	Orlando, FL	Hard Rock Live
July 12	Fort Myers, FL	Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall
July 14	Fort Lauderdale, FL	Parker Playhouse
July 15	Jacksonville, FL	Florida Theatre
July 17	Nashville, TN	Ryman Auditorium
July 18	Louisville, KY	The Kentucky Center – Whitney Hall
July 19	Durham, NC	Durham Performing Arts Center
July 21	Baltimore, MD	Joseph Meyerhoff Symphony Hall
July 22	Morristown, NN	Mayo Performing Arts Center
July 24	Chautauqua, NY	Chautauqua Institute Amphitheatre
July 25	Bethlehem, PA	Sands Bethlehem Event Center
July 28	Worcester, MA	Hanover Theatre For The Performing Arts
July 29	Hampton Beach, NH	Hampton Beach Casino Ballroom
July 30	Portland, ME	Maine State Pier
August 01	Atlantic City, NJ	Caesars Atlantic City - Circus Maximus
August 02	Red Bank, NJ	Count Basie Theatre
August 03	Providence, RI	Veterans Memorial Auditorium (The VETS)
August 05	New York, NY	Beacon Theatre
August 07	Detroit, MI	MotorCity Casino Hotel
August 08	Chicago, IL	Chicago Theatre
August 09	Indianapolis, IN	Murat Theatre
August 10	St. Louis, MO	Peabody Opera House
August 12	Grand Prairie, TX	Verizon Theatre At Grand Prairie
August 13	Houston, TX	Bayou Music Center
August 14	San Antonio, TX	Majestic Theatre
August 16	Mesa, AZ	Mesa Arts Center
August 18	San Diego, CA	Humphrey's
August 20	Los Angeles, CA	Orpheum Theatre
August 21	Reno, NV	Silver Legacy Resort & Casino
August 22	Santa Rosa, CA	Wells Fargo Center for the Arts
August 23	San Francisco, CA	Warfield Theatre
August 25	Seattle, WA	McCaw Hall
August 27**	Saratoga, CA	The Mountain Winery
August 28	Riverside, CA	Fox Performing Arts Center

Tickets are subject to applicable service charges.
Event times and dates subject to change.

** Tickets for Saratoga, CA (The Mountain Winery) will go on sale 4/20 **

For the latest tour and ticketing information please visit:
www.americanidol.com/tour

AMERICAN IDOL XIV is produced by FremantleMedia North America and 19 Entertainment, a division of CORE Media Group. “Like” AMERICAN IDOL on Facebook at [facebook.com/AmericanIdol](https://www.facebook.com/AmericanIdol). Follow the series on Twitter [@AmericanIdol](https://twitter.com/AmericanIdol) and join the discussion using #idol. See photos and videos on Instagram by following [@AmericanIdol](https://www.instagram.com/AmericanIdol). Follow host Ryan Seacrest at [@RyanSeacrest](https://www.instagram.com/RyanSeacrest), and follow the judges Jennifer Lopez [@JLo](https://www.instagram.com/JLo), Harry Connick, Jr. [@HarryConnickJR](https://www.instagram.com/HarryConnickJR) and Keith Urban [@KeithUrban](https://www.instagram.com/KeithUrban).

About 19 Entertainment

19 Entertainment is a division of CORE Media Group Inc. and home to iconic and enduring properties like AMERICAN IDOL and SO YOU THINK YOU CAN DANCE. CORE Media Group is a content company that creates quality programming

through its in-house creative team and myriad of partnerships with well-established industry leaders such as Sharp Entertainment, Howie Mandel's Alevy Productions, Noreen Halpern's Halfire Entertainment and B-17 Entertainment. Together, CORE's dynamic group of content creators is producing quality entertainment for over 30 networks.

About Mesa Arts Center

The Mesa Arts Center, owned and operated by the City of Mesa, is a unique, architecturally stunning facility located in the heart of downtown Mesa. Arizona's largest arts center is home to four theaters, five art galleries, 14 art studios, and an artist cooperative gallery. Guests, patrons, and students come to Mesa Arts Center to enjoy the finest live entertainment and performances, world-class visual art exhibitions, and outstanding arts education classes. The Mesa Arts Center mission is to inspire people through engaging arts experiences that are diverse, accessible, and relevant. For more information, visit mesaartscenter.com.

Media contacts:

Inquiries@19entertainment.com

Mesa Arts Center, Casey Blake, 480-644-6620, casey.blake@mesaartscenter.com