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## MUSIC SLAM OFFERS SPECIAL VENUE FOR TEENS

DAYTON – Teens looking for a great way to wind down the summer can look forward to a special event presented by the Dayton Metro Library and Five Rivers MetroParks. The Teen Music Slam 2010 contest showcases the talents of young Miami Valley musicians while they go head-to-head, playing live in front of all their friends under the new pavilion at RiverScape MetroPark. Activities kick off at **6 p.m. Friday, August 20**, downtown at **RiverScape MetroPark**, 111 E. Monument Ave.

Musical acts include: rock / blues group Outliers from Xenia, pop soloist Lisa Glover from Huber Heights, acoustic performer Alexis Gomez from Centerville, hip hop/R&B act Mr. Flyy from Dayton, folk/alternative performer Mandy Logan from Vandalia, and acoustic performer Ginger from Miamisburg.

Contestants will be eligible to win prizes, including a grand prize of eight hours of recording time from Babblefish Recording Studio. Admission is free, so it won't cost local teens a thing to come out and support peers in this special concert by teens for teens.

For more information, call Gretchen Yonata, teen specialist at the Dayton Metro Library, at (937) 463-2665 or visit [www.metroparks.org](http://www.metroparks.org).

### ABOUT FIVE RIVERS METROPARKS

Five Rivers MetroParks focuses on three areas – conservation, recreation and education – as part of its role as steward of greater Dayton's public lands. Established in 1963 through the efforts of forward-thinking citizens concerned about preserving green space and natural areas, Five Rivers MetroParks has grown to a nationally renowned park system composed of natural area parks, gardens, sensitive river corridors, urban parks and a network of recreation trails. Educational programs and recreational opportunities are offered year-round for all ages. And, diverse natural habitats are being protected and cared for today to assure their future existence. To learn more about Five Rivers MetroParks, log onto [www.metroparks.org](http://www.metroparks.org) or call (937) 275-PARK.

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