Our Mission

Songwriters in Seattle is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization which supports the community of Pacific Northwest songwriters through events that foster creative development, music education, collaboration, and performance.

Who should join SiS?

- Songwriters, composers, beat makers, musicians, people who have said "I don't have a musical bone in my body," and all music lovers! In short, anyone who makes, or even just likes songs

How much does it cost to join SiS?

- Joining SiS is absolutely free!

Who runs the events?

- Members like you

Where can I learn about the events?

- www.songwritersinseattle.com

When can I get started?

- Today!

Five free easy steps that will improve your songwriting

1. Find and build musical community by joining Songwriters in Seattle (SiS) at: meetup.com/songwritersinseattle

2. Learn how the group works and how to get the most out of your membership by reading our FAQ at: SongwritersInSeattle.com/about/faq

3. Attend our monthly Songwriters in Seattle welcome and networking meeting every 3rd Monday evening of the month

4. Find other SiS events to attend on our meetup calendar which is the best way to stay in touch with what is going on

5. Make it a habit to attend an event at least once per month - use it as motivation and inspiration. You get out of SiS what you put in

For more information, find us online or email us at info@songwritersinseattle.com

SONGWRITERS IN SEATTLE

SiS

Established 2010

Join Songwriters in Seattle today!

- Find community with other songwriters
- Over 5,000 members and growing
- New events added every year
- Learn more about the craft and business of songwriting
- Perform your songs in front of live audiences

4 CULTURE

Play

Performance opportunities

- *Open Mics*
  Play your latest creations for an attentive audience
- *Showcases*
  Play an extended set in an intimate performance venue
- *Jams*
  Play your songs with like-minded musicians in a fun and casual setting
- *Festivals*
  We partner with well-known music festivals when the opportunity knocks
- *In The Round*
  Like a showcase, but several performers stay on the stage and take turns playing songs

Learn

Development opportunities

- *Workshops*
  Write to a theme, attend a vocal class, learn about live sound, play creativity games, and more
- *Learning Series*
  We sponsor frequent seminars on writing lyrics, music theory, music improvisation, and more
- *Song Critiques*
  We promote critique opportunities for the developing songwriter. Get feedback on your songs and share your opinions with your colleagues, both online and in person
- *Learn to Teach*
  We host opportunities to learn and instruct. Members teach other members. Have helpful knowledge? Want to learn to host an educational event? We welcome ideas and suggestions

Meet

Networking Opportunities

- *Monthly Meet & Greet*
  Our monthly networking meeting is an excellent place to share an original song and meet other songwriters
- *Songwriting Groups*
  Members host songwriting groups and collaborative events which are a great way to make friends in our community and learn more about our craft
- *Collaborate*
  Are you a visual artist, filmmaker, or in some other field, and would like to collaborate? Songwriters are always excited to work with artists from other fields
- *Find your cowriting partner*
  Got words but don't play? Do you have fun riffs but can't find the right lyrics? Attend events where you can meet your songwriting match and co-write Seattle's next big hit