



Center for the Arts Evergreen
"Bringing the Arts and the Community Together"

33rd Annual Summerfest – Performance Application Saturday, July 21^h and Sunday, July 22, 2012 Center for the Arts, Evergreen, Colorado

The Festival

Summerfest is a two-day festival held outdoors at which historically about 5,000 people attend. Summerfest is located at Buchanan Park at Highway 74 and Squaw Pass Rd. in Evergreen, Colorado. The festival site is on grassy athletic fields, and the performance stage is slightly elevated and located under a large tent. Performers will be scheduled for 30-90 minutes depending on the type of performance.

It is a juried exhibition of gallery quality fine art and fine crafts. Over the years it has evolved to include a performance stage, which primarily features local musicians and performers who are looking for local exposure. We provide a space adjacent to the performance stage for performers to set up a promotional table following their performance.

Summerfest is hosted by the Center for the Arts Evergreen, a nonprofit organization whose mission is "To promote and cultivate artistic excellence and to enrich the art experience in our mountain community." Proceeds from Summerfest go to support arts programming year-round. **For this reason, we do not have budget allocation for performances.** Summerfest is strictly an opportunity for local and regional performers to gain exposure at a festival venue and sell CD's and other merchandise.

Equipment

All performers must use the Summerfest sound system for their performance and adhere to the set volume levels. The sound system consists of a 16-channel stereo power mixer, 2 main speakers, and 2 monitor mixes. Additionally, we will provide 3 wireless microphones and stands.

Important Dates

- March 28th, 2012 -Application Deadline (extended to May 8)
- May 9th, 2012 -Notification of acceptance by mail (postmarked)
- June 4, 2012 -Deadline to accept and return contract
- July 21th & 22th, 2012 – Summerfest Arts Festival

Application

Please fill out the attached application and include either a link to a website with samples of your music/performance or include a CD or DVD. Your website, CD, or DVD must reflect the actual type of performance you plan on presenting at Summerfest. If you want your CD or DVD returned you must include a self-addressed stamped envelope with adequate postage with your application.

Selection Process

Performers will be selected by the Summerfest Arts Festival Committee based on the samples submitted with the application and if applicable, past performances at Center for the Arts Evergreen events. The committee will look for originality, creativity, and suitability of material for the Summerfest.

**2012 Summerfest
Performer
Application**



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Name of Artist or Group:

Contact Person:

Address:

Phone:

Home Cell

Email:

Website:

Performance Description:

Sound Needs:

Performance Samples (check one): CD/DVD enclosed URL

Please indicate how long you would like for your performance (we cannot guarantee the length you request):

Please indicate dates and/or times July 21-22 when you **CANNOT** perform (we cannot guarantee scheduling requests):

Return application to: Center for the Arts Evergreen, PO Box 2737, Evergreen, CO 80437. If you have any questions please email events@evergreenarts.org.