



## 2011 Central Washington State Fair FREE (Non-Paid) Entertainment Rules/Guidelines for Participants

**We have lots of new and exciting things going on at the Fair this year! Your performance may be what people remember most about this year's Fair! We ask that all performers conduct themselves professionally for our many visitors and guests.**

This is **only an application for an opportunity to perform**. Submission of this application/agreement does not guarantee the performer or their agent a booking at the Central Washington State Fair, (CWSF), nor does it constitute any guaranteed agreement with the CWSF to provide a stage, space, services or compensation.



The parties agree that the participant, and any agents and employees of participant, in performance of this contract shall act and are acting in an independent capacity and not as officers, employees, or agents of the Central Washington State Fair.

The Central Washington State Fair is not responsible for loss or damages to property of participant.

Participant hereby waives all claims and recourse against the Central Washington State Fair, including the right to contribution for loss or damage to persons or property in any way connected to this Agreement and shall indemnify and hold harmless the State of Washington and the Central Washington State Fair, from all claims due to any acts or omissions.

Participant shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Central Washington State Fair, its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims, suits or actions of every kind and description brought forth from, or on account of, injuries to or death of any persons including, but not limited to, workers and the public, or damages to property resulting from the performance of this agreement, except as otherwise provided by statute. The duty of the participant to indemnify and hold harmless includes the duties as set forth in the Washington State Civil Code.

The Central Washington State Fair Association reserves the right to select music that it deems most appropriate for all ages of fair attendees.

**ALL acts must be "G" rated.** No profanity will be permitted. Only entertainment in good taste will be considered.

All musical acts need to provide an audiotape or CD with completed application.

After acceptance, acts are scheduled on a first-come, first-serve basis.

You will not be allowed to drive to the stage during fair hours. If you have equipment that must be hauled in or out by a vehicle, it must be done prior to 9 am on your performance day.

A stage manager and carts will be available to assist you, if necessary, from the Yellow Gate to and from your stage. Carts and assistance will be available during the day if pre-scheduled.

**BE ON TIME.** You will be given 15 minutes to set up. If you are late, that shortens your performance. Performances will end on time.

The day of your performance, please be on the grounds ½ hr prior to your set-up time (this means 45 minutes prior to performance time). Please allow time for traffic, parking and getting to your stage. When you arrive at the admission gate, have the gate captain radio the stage managers.

Dressing rooms will be available at the Community Stage only.

We will provide a sound person to assist you with microphones, CDs, cassettes and speakers.





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**APPLICATION:** (You will be mailed/emailed your performance date(s) and time(s))

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Name of Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone for Day of Performance: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Participants – Adults (13 yrs & Over) \_\_\_\_\_ Youth (6 – 12yrs) \_\_\_\_\_

Stage:      Community \_\_\_\_\_ Gazebo \_\_\_\_\_      (Pepsi Stage is unavailable this year.)

Items/Equipment you will be bringing onto stage: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Items you will need provided by CWSF: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**PLOT MAP:**

Please draw an idea of how you want the stage set up.

**BACK OF STAGE**

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\_\_\_\_ Yes, we will need to schedule a haul time.

**Official Use Only**

**Date Received:**

Adult Passes	
Youth Passes	
Parking Passes	
Comments	

**AGREEMENT: (Not Valid Unless Signed by Free Stage Department Manager)**



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Name of Group: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print legibly and word exactly – this information will appear in the Fair Guide)

Name of Director or Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

If musical group or vocal, please circle music type: (Circle One)  
Rock / Country / Gospel / Jazz / Blues / Dixieland / Variety / other \_\_\_\_\_

If dance, please circle type: (Circle One)  
Gymnastic / Martial Arts / Folk / other \_\_\_\_\_

If instrumental, please indicate what style \_\_\_\_\_

Stage Preference: Gazebo \_\_\_\_\_ Community \_\_\_\_\_ Special Requests \_\_\_\_\_

Set Up Time? (usually 10-15 min.) \_\_\_\_\_ Performance Length? \_\_\_\_\_

Special Equipment: Chairs (how many) \_\_\_\_\_ Piano (keyboard): \_\_\_\_\_

Microphones \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Days/times you can perform (please mark 1st, 2nd & 3rd choice for both date & time)

Morning (12-3) \_\_\_\_\_ Afternoon (3-7) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening (7-10) \_\_\_\_\_

**Entertainment Waiver:**

**I have read all rules/guidelines and understand that I/We are to follow and abide by the rules/guidelines set forth to participate on the FREE (Non-Paid) entertainment stages, Gazebo and the Community Stage.**

**Authorized Signature of Participant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Free Stage Manager Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please return application, with audio tape, no later than July 15, 2011 to:

Debb Moser · Free Stage Manager ·  
Central Washington Fair Association  
1301 So. Fair Avenue · Yakima, WA 98901



Questions? Please contact Free Stage Manager @ (509) 469-8470 or Email: DebbCWSF@aol.com