

2009 CLAY COUNTY FAIR
Free Stage Entertainment Application
Due June 15th, 2009

The Clay County Fair is pleased to provide an opportunity for various talents to perform in front of audiences of all sizes. These performances are provided for exposure and experience rather than for a financial exchange.

The Clay County Fair has two stages available for free entertainment. A sound system will be provided at each, as well as chairs and tables. Additional equipment must be provided by the entertainer.

Because of the large number of applications, final scheduling may take until late August, early September. We try to honor the dates you request but sometimes, because of other scheduled events, this becomes impossible. Please keep the days of the Fair (Sept. 12-20) open.

Please complete and return this entertainment application and a promotional packet to the Clay County Fair, at the below address by June 15th, 2009. Please complete the entire application! Packets submitted after deadline will not get as high a consideration as those received before deadline.

IMPORTANT! Due to the increase in the number and variety of performers, we are requiring that each performer or group submit a promotional packet to help us in the selection process. This packet may include one or more of the following: documentation citing past awards or recognition of the performer or group, letters of recommendation, a listing of public appearances (including radio and TV), pictures and, if possible, a DVD or audio sample or your performance. Performers may substitute a website if site contains all the above elements or a combination of hard copy and website information.

Clay County Fair policy prohibits performers from soliciting contributions from the audience.

Your proposed act must be family-oriented and appropriate for all ages.

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Free Entertainment Application

PLEASE PRINT

Name of Performer/Group _____

Contact Person _____ Phone () _____

Mailing Address _____ Cell () _____

City/State _____ Zip _____ Fax () _____

Email _____ Website _____

Number of performers in group: _____

Performance Date Requested _____
1st Choice 2nd Choice 3rd Choice

Category of Entertainment

_____ Instrumental _____ Vocal _____ Dance
_____ Group _____ Solo _____ Other (specify: _____)

Type (Please check all that apply): ___ Children's ___ Country ___ Folk ___ Blue Grass
___ R&B ___ Ethnic ___ Pop ___ Jazz ___ Rock ___ Comedy ___ Rap ___ Spoken

Word ___ Inspirational

___ Novelty Acts (i.e. Clowns, Hypnotists, Juggler, Magician, etc.) please specify:

___ Other (please specify) _____

References

1. Venue: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone Number: _____

2. Venue: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone Number: _____

Technical Information

The Clay County Fair will provide the following:
Sound equipment, folding chairs and tables.

Performers' Equipment

Please be specific about what you plan to bring to your performance site.

Instruments/Equipment (please list)

Props/Costumes:

Technical Diagram: Use this diagram to draw your stage set-up showing your equipment placement.

Please indicate your equipment needs and how many required:

___ Vocal Mic ___ Instrumental Mic ___ Cassette Deck

___ CD Player ___ Folding Chairs ___ Table

Other _____

**Clay County Fair
Entertainment Waiver Form**

- This is only an application for an opportunity to perform. Submission of this application does not guarantee the performer a booking at the Clay County Fair, nor does it constitute any agreement with the Fair to
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- provide space, services or compensation.

- The parties agree that the participant, and any agents and employees of participant are acting in an independent capacity and not as officers, employees, or agents of the Clay County Fair.

- The Clay County Fair is not responsible for loss or damage to property of participant.

- Participant hereby waives all claims and recourse against the Clay County 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 Clay County Fair, from all claims due to any acts or omissions.

- Participant shall indemnify and hold harmless the Clay County Fair, its officers, agents and employees from any and all claims, suits or actions of every name, kind and description brought forth from, or on account of, injuries to or death of any person including, but not limited to, workers and the public, or damage to property resulting from the performance at the Clay County Fair.

Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

Name of Performer/Group (Please print):
