

**BLUEBERRY ARTS FESTIVAL 2007**  
***BATTLE OF THE BANDS***  
**REGISTRATION - Please register by 5pm, July 27, 2007**

BAND NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON (Person responsible for informing other band members of important info)

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PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

BAND MEMBERS \_\_\_\_\_

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ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS (Please be thorough, a list of equipment you will be using as well as a diagram of your stage set up are recommended. Use other side of this sheet if necessary.)

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In case of cash prize, to who should the check be made out? \_\_\_\_\_

**CHECK ALL THAT APPLY:**

First Time participants? \_\_\_Y \_\_\_N

Keyboard:  need

have

will loan

Drum set:  need

have

will loan

Rock

Under 14 yrs old

Blues/Jazz

Original Song

Folk/ Country

Original blueberry song

Solo

**PERFORMANCE PREFERENCES:** Check your top 5 times and cross off any time you are not available.

12:00

1:00

2:00

3:00

4:15

12:15

1:15

2:15

3:15

4:30

12:30

1:30

2:30

3:45

12:45

1:45

2:45

4:00

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## **PARTICIPANTS**

**(PLEASE INFORM ENTIRE BAND)**

Contained in this checklist are a few things for you to know and keep in mind as you are preparing for the Battle of the Bands Competition.

- β The competition will start at 12:30pm on Saturday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2007 on the main stage in the First United Methodist Church Parking lot.
- β Your band needs to be ready to take the stage 15 minutes prior to your set time, published or rescheduled: remember to be flexible, weather, technical difficulties or other unforeseen events can push your time back or forward. Please check in with sound one hour prior to your published set time to ensure it has not changed. It is your responsibility to be ready when called.
- β All technical requirements that you have need to be addressed to the Arts Council by Monday, July 30<sup>th</sup> so that we can help where we are able. A list of the equipment you will be using, as well as a diagram of your stage set up will help us help you maximize your play time. Not all tech requirements may be accommodated.
- β There may be equipment and/or instruments available to borrow. All borrowed equipment is exactly that and is to be treated with respect. Please return borrowed equipment in the same or better condition than when you borrowed it.
- β Main Street, the road that leads to the stage and set up area will be closed at 9am. NO EXCEPTIONS!!! It will not reopen again until 5pm. The set up space will be open to drop off big items (amps, etc.; no delicate items like uncased instruments please) via vehicles on Friday afternoon (with previous arrangements made), and Saturday morning between 7am and 9am. Just a warning, booth holders are also setting up at this AM time and this is a large festival, traffic and parking will be pretty horrendous.
- β The Blueberry Battle of the Bands is open to the public, families with children will be attending so please keep that in mind. The sound levels will be adjusted according to this dynamic as well. The sound technician is ultimately in charge of the quality and quantity of sound.
- β We will try to finalize the schedule by the Monday prior to the festival. You will be notified of your set time accordingly. If you do not hear from us before Thursday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, please call to confirm. There will also be posters around the event site with the set times on them. In addition, if bands are timely in registering, a list will be in the festival program. \*\*It is your responsibility to find out your set time and whether or not it has changed! \*\*
- β Be prepared to set up and take down quickly. Your set time INCLUDES your set up and take down and we will not be able to extend your set time, so be prepared! The stage size is limited too, so please keep that in mind, especially for large groups.
- β HAVE FUN! This is a very fun event and we are thrilled to have you plugged in.

Thank you for your involvement with the Battle of the Bands 2007 Competition!