

2023 Pinal County Fair Community Entertainment Application

Calling all performers...Amateur & Pro - Here's your chance to take part in the 2023 Pinal County Fair!

You are invited to become part of the entertainment featured at the Pinal County Fair, March 15-19, 2023. Strut your stuff on one of our stages. We will feature a wide variety of continuous, free entertainment during the Fair. It's a great opportunity to perform in public and gain notoriety.

One-hour time slots are available from 4:30 PM to 9:00 PM Wednesday & Thursday, from 11:30 AM to 4:30 PM on Friday and Saturday. You may request to perform once or multiple times.

Performers will receive free admission and parking on the day of the performance. If accepted, you will receive an Admission Confirmation Pass that will serve as the admission and parking pass for your group along with complete directions for its use. There will be no compensation provided to Community Acts.

Acts are selected and scheduled by the fair director with consideration given to the order in which applications are received. The deadline to submit your application is **February 10, 2023**. Applications may still be considered after this date but performers will not be listed in the official printed program. Applications will not be taken by phone. Be sure to fully complete your application.

We request that you confirm your availability prior to submitting your application. Cancellations impact other performers and their ability to get their preferred time slots. All cancellations must be received no later than March 3, 2023 and must include your Confirmation Admission Pass. You will be held responsible for the monetary value of your Confirmation Admission Pass based at \$10.00 x the total number in your group if you do not return the Pass or cancel after March 3, 2023.

Return Application to: Pinal County Fair
Attn: Community Entertainment
512 S. 11 Mile Corner Rd
Casa Grande, AZ 85194

We look forward to hearing from you and having your group participate in the Pinal County Fair. If you have any questions, please contact us at (520) 723-7881.

PERFORMANCE GUIDELINES

- ♣ Each group is designated a sixty (60) minute time slot on stage. This includes set-up, performance and tear down. Additional slots may be requested.
- ♣ You must arrive as a group no less than thirty minutes before your scheduled time and be at your stage area ready to go on stage as scheduled. Late arrivals may not be allowed to perform.
- ♣ The members of your group are responsible for their set-up and tear down before and after your performance, under supervision of the Stage Manager.
- ♣ Depending on the stage on which you are performing, the stage may be equipped with a sound system and CD player. The main stage has a full time sound tech and monitors while the other stages may not.
- ♣ The Pinal County Fair will not be able to provide the following: Choral risers, tape players, piano or keyboard, storage equipment.
- ♣ The Stage Manager is the **ONLY** person who will control the sound system and equipment on stage.
- ♣ Stages have a shade cover.
- ♣ Fair will provide chairs, microphone(s) and dressing rooms.
- ♣ No vehicles will be allowed to drive on the grounds. If you have large equipment that needs to be unloaded, please make prior arrangements, by emailing rentals@pinalfairgrounds.com.
- ♣ Please carpool to the Fair whenever possible.
- ♣ **This is a family event. Foul language, mistreatment of staff, abuse of equipment, lack of professionalism, refusal to set-up/tear-down, no shows and tardiness will not be tolerated.**
- ♣ We reserve the right to shut down and cancel any act that does not abide by the guidelines and standards of the Pinal County Fair and the entertainment department.
- ♣ All decisions of the Stage Manager are final.

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(February 10, 2023 Deadline for Submitting)

Name of Group/Performer: _____

Type of Performance (circle one): Band Choir Dance Other _____

Type of Music: _____

Brief Description of Performance: _____

Contact Name: _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone # _____ Cell Phone (if different from other) _____

Email Address _____ Website _____

Preferred Day of Performance (please # in order of preference): __Wed __Thu __Fri__Sat__Sun__

Preferred Time of Performance - 1st Choice _____ 2nd Choice _____ 3rd Choice _____

Please list other days/times available _____

We are interested in performing more than once (circle one) Yes/No~ if yes, ____ same day ____ different day

Total # in group: Performers _____ Managers/Directors/Teachers _____ Chaperones _____

Total # Performers to be on stage at once: _____

Number of Buses _____ Number of Cars/Vans _____

****The number of passes available is extremely limited****. Please carpool to the Fair whenever possible. Please plan to meet offsite and drive into the fairgrounds as a group, if possible.

Note: You must provide your own musical equipment, the fair will provide microphone(s), chairs and CD (cassette players will not be available), lights, PA system and dressing area.

I have read and understand the Performance Guidelines listed on the attached page.

Signature of Manager/Director/Teacher

Date

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date application received: _____ Accepted _____ Yes _____ No

Scheduled Date: _____ Time: _____ Stage _____

Date Confirmation Sent: _____ Date Admission Letter Sent: _____

Comments: _____