

Spirit of the West Festival
Performer Application Instructions & Application
September 17-19, 2010
6200 N Kiwanis Avenue
Sioux Falls, SD
605-334-9202 (Jeanne)

Complete the attached application, list all the performers in your group, and any special equipment you may need. Remember to include an audio or video tape along with a glossy photo and bio. Completing an application does not guarantee you a performance at the Spirit of the West Festival.

We like to showcase our performers several times over the weekend. This may mean that you will be performing on a different stage later in the day or on following days.

Once the Spirit of the West Committee has chosen the individual(s) or groups to perform you will be notified either by phone or e-mail. You will be sent a performer packet, mailed no later than September 1st. Due to possible last minute changes we will not send out a schedule of events in the performer packet you will receive schedules when you check in. Starting September 5th, you can check the website www.spiritofthewestfestival.com for schedules. When checking your performance times check all the stage schedules, so you don't miss a performance.

Because we start setting up on two to three weeks before the show starts, we are hard to reach especially the week before. You can call our office at 605-334-9202 and leave a message on the answering machine, and we will call you back as soon as we can. Or call Jeanne at 605-359-6640 if you can't make a performance or have a question regarding your schedule.

If you come in at the last minute and we don't have time to send you a performer packet in the mail, we will have passes at the main gate for you. Give us a complete list of all the members in your group so that we have the appropriate number of passes available for you.

Scheduling is based on a 45 minute set on each performance stage. This allows for 15 minutes to set up and take down equipment and leaves 30 minutes to perform. If you would like to perform longer, let me know on your application how much time you would like to have for each performance.



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Sioux Falls, SD**

Performer/Group Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone: (____) _____ Email address: _____

Please specify your performing art (poet, musician, trick roper, etc.)

List the members of your group and their specialty:

Name:	Instrument/Specialty Act
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____

Dates & Times you can perform 45 minute sets within these time frames:

Fri. September 16 10:00-Noon _____ Noon - 4:00 _____ 4:00 – 7:00 _____

Sat. September 17 10:00-Noon _____ Noon - 4:00 _____ 4:00 – 7:00 _____

Sun. September 18 10:00-Noon _____ Noon - 4:00 _____ 4:00 – 5:00 _____

Number of passes needed: _____

Names: (for entry badges – Please print clearly)

We must know your availability for scheduling. We hope you will be able to Attend all three days of the festival. Please be certain to let us know if you will be Available prior to the event for television, radio, and/or newspaper interviews.

Due by August 1st.

Send completed form, audio or video tape along with glossy photo and bio to:

Spirit of the West, 1100 Southeastern Avenue, Sioux Falls, SD 57103-2376

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