

# Cochrane Farmers' Market

June 5 - September 25, 2010



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## BUSKER APPLICATION (No Fee)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Group Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Town/City

Postal Code

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Web site: \_\_\_\_\_

### Description of your performance:

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### Type of Entertainment:

- Instrumental       Vocal       Juggler/Magician/Clown  
 Street Drama       Artist       Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please choose the dates you are available to busk:

- |                                  |                                  |                                    |                                       |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> June 5  | <input type="checkbox"/> July 3  | <input type="checkbox"/> August 7  | <input type="checkbox"/> September 4  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> June 12 | <input type="checkbox"/> July 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> August 14 | <input type="checkbox"/> September 11 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> June 19 | <input type="checkbox"/> July 17 | <input type="checkbox"/> August 21 | <input type="checkbox"/> September 18 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> June 26 | <input type="checkbox"/> July 24 | <input type="checkbox"/> August 28 | <input type="checkbox"/> September 25 |
|                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> July 31 |                                    |                                       |

*We will make every effort to accommodate your requested dates, however; these dates are not reserved for you until you have received confirmation from the Market Manager. We will confirm the dates that you have been approved for no later than 2 weeks in advance.*

**By signing this application, I \_\_\_\_\_, agree to abide by the Busker Guidelines set out by the Cochrane Farmers' Market.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Signature of Guardian (if under 18): \_\_\_\_\_

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## Busker Guidelines



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The Cochrane Farmers' Market is open to all forms of street entertainment, including (but not limited to) dance, street theater, spoken word, juggling, balloon twisting, magic and music of all kinds.

The Cochrane Farmers' Market takes place at the Cochrane Ranche Provincial Historic Site on Saturday mornings from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.; the Market is an outdoor, all weather market and is open rain or shine from June 6 to September 26, 2009.

- 1 There is no cost for busking at the Cochrane Farmers' Market, however; all buskers must fill out a Busker Application and be accepted by the Cochrane Farmers' Market.
- 2 Buskers must check in with the Market Manager upon arrival no later than 8:45 a.m.
- 3 Buskers are required to stay at the Market from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.
- 4 As the Cochrane Farmers' Market is a smaller open air market, only one musical performer may be permitted at each Market.
- 5 We ask all entertainers to consider that performances should be geared towards a family based audience.
- 6 In consideration of Market vendors and the customers, buskers are NOT permitted to use amplification devices without prior approval.
- 7 Performers will only perform in the designated areas and may be asked to move during the duration of the market.
- 8 CD's may be sold but no other merchandise unless otherwise approved by the Cochrane Farmers' Market. Buskers charging for services or other merchandise (i.e. balloons, face painting, etc.) must register as a weekly vendor and pay the daily vendor fee.
- 9 Performers under 18 must have the approval of their legal guardian. Performers under 16 should be accompanied by a responsible adult.
- 10 Performers may put out a hat or case to collect donations but may not verbally ask the public for money.
- 11 Performers may distribute brochures or have business cards available for customers.
- 12 Busking is intended to enhance the Market environment. Busking should never interfere with vendor/customer transactions.
- 13 Should a busker create a problem (i.e. noise, traffic concerns, inappropriate behaviour or performance, etc.) as defined and determined by the Farmers' Market Manager, the Busker shall agree to abide by the decision of the Market Manager. Should the problem be without resolution, the busker may be asked to leave the Market site.
- 14 If a busker is unable to attend the Market on their scheduled date, they are requested to advise the Market Manager no later than 5:00 p.m. the Wednesday prior to the Market date by calling the Farmers' Market line.

Return completed Busker Application forms to our [mailing address](#) -OR- during the Market season, applications may be hand delivered to the Market Manager on Saturday mornings.

**Mailing Address:**

Cochrane Farmers' Market  
104 Griffin Road East  
Cochrane, Alberta T4C 2B4

**Market line:** 403-851-0562

**Email:** [market@cochrane-environment.org](mailto:market@cochrane-environment.org)

Thank you! We look forward to seeing you at the Cochrane Farmers' Market.