



## 2019 Performance & Demonstration Information

Thank you for your interest in performing or demonstrating at *Pangea: Cultivate Our Cultures 2019*. We are proud to present our 25th annual festival on **Saturday, November 16, 2019**. This eagerly anticipated celebration is the largest free, family-friendly celebration of cultural diversity in the FM area.

The selection process is competitive and each year, many applications are considered for a limited number of opportunities. HCSCC does not maintain a waiting list. As performance and demonstration opportunities become available, appropriate applicants will be selected from the pool of applicants submitted.

The application return deadline is **October 1, 2019**. Once we receive your application, we will confirm its receipt and ask that you be patient. You will receive a confirmation letter and a phone call to schedule a meeting with Cassie Wiste (Pangea Performance Coordinator) who will discuss the details of your performance. **Your submission will not be maintained in our files as you must apply yearly.**

### FESTIVAL DATES & HOURS 2019:

- Festival Day: Saturday, November 16, 2019 10:00am – 4:00pm
  - Performers must arrive no later than 30 minutes prior to your assigned performance.

### PERFORMANCE STIPEND:

- A stipend of \$100 will be given to performances of 30 minutes or less.
- A stipend of \$200 will be given to performances between 31 and 45 minutes.

### PERFORMANCE GUIDELINES & PERFORMER REQUIREMENTS:

- Performances may be live music and/or dance, or demonstrate a skill
  - Dancers or singers not using live music: HCSCC must receive your music at least one day before the performance. Music may be delivered to HCSCC on a CD-ROM or flash drive. MP3 music files may also be emailed.
  - Performers are asked to bring an extra copy of your music to the event in case of emergency.
- Performances may be 15 to 45 minutes in length. Please respect the time limit once established.
- Performances must represent a specific country, culture, or ethnicity.
- Traditional dress or regalia is encouraged.

- Performers must submit a concise, written description of the performance to HCSCC by October 31, 2019.

#### **HCSCC WILL PROVIDE:**

- A sound system will be in place for the performance.
- An adequate performance area. If your group requires special audio/visual/performance space needs, contact Cassie Wiste no later than two weeks before the event.
- An enthusiastic and engaged audience.
- Arrangements will be made for performers who need dressing and/or prep space. Please contact Cassie Wiste no later than two weeks before the event.
- A performance schedule will be sent to all performers at least one week before the festival.

#### **DEADLINE TO APPLY:**

- HCSCC must receive all applications on or before **October 1, 2019**.
- Applications must be postmarked by the deadline.
- There is no application fee.
- Applications are kept for one year. You must reapply each year.

#### **WHERE TO SEND:**

- Return application by mail to:  
**Historical & Cultural Society of Clay County**  
**Attn: Emily Kulzer**  
**202 1<sup>st</sup> Ave N**  
**Moorhead, MN 56560**
- Return application by email to:  
**Cdr.cassie@outlook.com**  
**Subject Line: Pangea Performance Application**

#### **Questions:**

- Please email: [cdr.cassie@outlook.com](mailto:cdr.cassie@outlook.com)
- Call Cassie Wiste (701) 526-3000