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MAINSTREET ASSOCIATION
INFORMATION FOR MUSICIANS

Every Wednesday 4-8pm, summer.

Every Wednesday 4-7pm, winter.

The seasonal schedule changes in conjunction with Daylight Savings.

All styles of LIVE music welcome.

Booking

All booking is done via email.

Please email Michael Head: headtrap@cox.net

Please include your website and any online press-kits.

Compensation

This is not a paying gig, however, musicians are permitted to receive tips and sell their merchandise (at the stage area only).

Equipment and Set-up

- 8-Channel powered PA provided, with 2 mics, stands and cables.
- Musicians need to bring their own Instruments, instrument cables, tuners and performance gear, etc.
- Neither drums nor bass will be routed through the house PA for amplification.
- There will be one extension cord with power strip provided, but it's a good idea for bands to bring a power strip and extension cord, also.
- *TIP!* • *Drummers please remember to bring your own carpet.*

Tone of the Event

This is a farmers market, not a rock festival.

It's all about neighbors coming out to mingle, including all types, young old, kids. It's about carrots and stuff, art and community.

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And of course, it's about music, too.

The music program is actually a big deal down here, and the neighborhood truly looks forward to it.

To keep our good thing going, we follow a few simple guidelines that fall under the categories of neighborhood class, respect and common sense. If you cannot incorporate the following guidelines into your appearance, then this gig is not for you.

- Always be courteous with anyone you encounter at this event.
- No swearing.
- No aggressive, lewd or inciting language or behavior. This is a family event. Be cool like "that."
- No alcohol, open containers, whatsoever.
- Go ahead... rock out, we dig it..... but we do have a power and volume max limit. This is not the gig to haul all your extra NASA gear. Play your basic gear and you'll have more fun - and will also play more.
- *TIP! Be on time. There are a lot of bands in line to play on time. If you're late, why book you in the first place? No-shows will not be asked back.*

Location

The music takes place at the corner of Newport Ave and Bacon Street.

If you are not familiar with this location, please visit www.MapQuest.com: and search: 4997 Newport Ave, SD 92107 . We play in the street approximate to this location.

Parking

Parking is not convenient. It takes longer than you think. Musicians should plan to arrive one full hour prior to their show time. Remember, you can start as late as you like, but we always stop on time.

It works like this.

- Drop off your equipment to the stage - then park your car and walk back to stage. This takes 20 minutes. (It takes 35 minutes if you start talking with someone while doing all this.).
- *TIP! Carpooling in your buddy's van is pure genius.*