

February 4, 2009

Dear Band,

You are invited to participate in **Colville's 2009 Battle of the Bands**. Mark your calendar now, the competition will take place on **Saturday, August 1**, in Yep Kanum Park, on the Main stage, beginning at **12:00 noon**. As the contact person for your band, please relay this information to the other band members.

In the competition on August 1, each band will play three songs, two of which must be originals. If you decide to play a cover song for your third choice, it will need to be the first one performed during the competition. Please pay special attention when selecting the music that you will be performing - make sure that it is appropriate for families and children who will be in the audience! Enclosed is a Performance Agreement that explains this in detail, as well as the consequences for not maintaining the standards set by the committee.

In addition to being a great opportunity to perform in front of a public audience, Colville's 2009 Battle of the Bands is offering some **great prizes**:

- *Paid performance @ Colville's Rendezvous in 2010
- *Studio recording time (20 Hours @ Divine Influence Studios - Oswin Sound Techniques)
- *Gift certificates
- *And more

What you need to do: Fill out **Equipment Request Form**, Complete & Sign **Performance Agreement**, include **\$25.00 entry fee** payable to Colville Rendezvous Days, and **lyrics** of the songs you will perform. **Submit all of the above to Steve Oswin by July 27, 2009.**

We are looking forward to a day full of FANTASTIC music - and we hope you have a great time making that music happen. If you have any general questions about the competition, feel free to call me, Steve Oswin, at (509)684-4700 between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday. Evenings and weekends I can be reached on my cell 680-3821.

Sincerely,

Steve Oswin
Colville's 2009 Battle of the Bands Chairman

PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT

**COLVILLE'S 2009 BATTLE OF THE BANDS
AUGUST 1, 2009 - YEP KANUM PARK, COLVILLE, WA**

Guidelines for Music Selection

The music that your band performs during the event must be: non-violent; free of any ethnic, racial or disability slurs; respect sexuality; and must contain no derogatory language. No inappropriate props will be tolerated during your performance such as toy guns or other fake weapons, alcohol, cigarettes, etc. No inappropriate actions, such as the destruction of instruments will be allowed. We reserve the right to adjust volume to acceptable Noise Ordinance levels. Any marketing appeals must be directly related to our sponsors or your band's products.

I understand that music or actions performed contrary to these guidelines will be terminated immediately. *If you have any questions regarding these guidelines, please call Steve Oswin, Colville's 2009 Battle of the Bands Chairman, at (509) 684-4700.*

Statement

I have read and fully understand the guidelines stated above and as the representative of the band, I agree to the above stated guidelines.

Band Name	Band Representative	Date
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INTRODUCTION OF YOUR BAND: How you would like to be introduced by the emcee.

Please return this form by July 27, 2009

Steve Oswin
127 N Wynne St
Colville, WA 99114
(fax) (509)684-4709

**COLVILLE'S 2009 BATTLE OF THE BANDS
EQUIPMENT REQUEST FORM**

Band Name: _____

Contact: _____ Phone: _____

How many members are in your band? _____

How many vocal mics will you need? _____

Please list all the instruments you will be using: _____

We will provide PA system, a basic drum set with cymbals, and a bass amp.

Bands will need to bring their own instruments, effects gear and amps. Drummers may bring their own cymbals, snare and bass drum pedal if they wish.

Do you have any questions? _____

Please complete this form and return by July 27, 2009

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