77th ANNUAL SALEM ART FAIR & FESTIVAL 2026

September 11-13, 2026

Kid's Court Performance Application –

Application due May 17, 2026

(Please print)



Name of Const			
Name of Group:			
Contact Person:			
Mailing Address:			
City:	:	State: Zip	:
Cell Phone:	Other:		
Email:			
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Friday	Saturday Sunday		
Number of performers in §	group (actual # who will perform	at event):	
Brief description of perfor	mance:		
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SAF&F APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

DEADLINE: ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5 P.M. ON *May 17, 2026* AND MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING (INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED):

- Completed application
- 2. CD or digital audio file attachments of group's music can be emailed with application
- 3. Brief description of performance, and any additional press coverage, or critic quotes
- 4. Stage requirements & stage plot
- 5. Photograph
- 6. Please include a return envelope with proper postage if you wish any promo materials and/or CD to be returned. Materials will NOT be returned otherwise.

FESTIVAL BACKGROUND & DEADLINES

The Salem Art Fair & Festival serves as a fundraiser for the programs and operations of the Salem Art Association, a nonprofit organization dedicated to art education, art appreciation, and historic preservation. As Oregon's largest community visual-arts organization, its operations include the Bush Barn Art Center's galleries, Bush House Museum and The Annex.

Now in its 77th year, the Salem Art Fair & Festival is an annual three-day event sponsored by the Salem Art Association. This outdoor event is held in beautiful Bush's Pasture Park in the heart of Salem. With more than 200 participating visual artists, music and performances, hands-on activities for children and much more, the three-day festival draws an estimated 20,000 visitors annually. The Salem Art Fair & Festival brings many diverse populations together to celebrate and enjoy all forms of art.

The Salem Art Fair & Festival is a major event in the Pacific Northwest, with a long history of providing high-caliber performers with tremendous public exposure. Performers at this annual event have often secured additional bookings at other venues as a result of being juried into the Salem Art Fair & Festival. The press coverage of the event is superb.

2026 Calendar

May 17 Deadline for completed entries at 5 p.m. PST

May 25-29 Notifications EMAILED

September 11-13 Festival dates

Application due May 17, 2026, please send application to:

Kids' Court Performance Application, Salem Art Association, 600 Mission St SE, Salem, Oregon 97302 or via email to Angel AuClair at angel@salemart.org.

Notifications will be emailed late May. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact Angel AuClair, Festival Director, at angel@salemart.org.