



West Michigan Bluegrass Music Association

Promoting and preserving bluegrass music in West Michigan

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It's time to purchase your JuneGrass Tickets! You can do that by sending your order along with payment to: Ruth Lakatos 8995 E. Buchanan Rd. Hesperia, Michigan 49421. The prices for our JuneGrass festival did not increase this year so advance tickets are still only \$30.00 and that's whether you're a member or not. Camping is still only \$15.00 per night and the electricity is on a first come first serve basis. There are many outlets, but they are scattered about the fairgrounds. So you can pay ahead but you have to come early if you want to get a spot up by the barns. Cut-off date for Advance Tickets is June 15th so be sure to get your ticket order in the mail to beat the deadline.

You can also renew your membership with your ticket order or become a member at the same time. Memberships are still only \$15.00 per year for a Family Membership and \$10.00 per year for a Single Membership.

This year at festival we are trying out a new volunteer system. We will have two main captains with crews working under them. If you want to donate a couple hours of your time at JuneGrass please call Ed Bronson at: 269-806-8561 to sign up. We will explain the plan to you then. Thanks for considering volunteering at JuneGrass. It's always a fun time working at any of the positions during the weekend.

Also, don't forget about the Silent Auction and the Bake Sale. We are always looking for items to put on the tables and cookies, brownies, breads and pies to enjoy on Saturday morning. All donations are greatly appreciated. You can call 231-224-6771 if you have items to donate or questions to ask.

Are you familiar with the game Corn Hole? There will be a 2 Man or Woman Team Corn Hole Tournament during the day on Thursday. There is no entry fee to join and it's sure to be a lot of fun with other "Grassers" as we get ready for a weekend of terrific bluegrass music. If you want to participate just show up at the Corn Hole Boards at 10:00 am. You'll find the boards out behind the food vendor building.

There will also be a "Jammers Widow" craft project happening on Friday at 1:00 pm in the King Building. There will be more details in the June Newsletter so be watching for that.

Bring on the sun and warmer weather... we've got some bluegrass to enjoy!

See you all at JuneGrass.