



## Cultural Performance Application Form

Individual/Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Prov. \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency #: \_\_\_\_\_

### Performance Details

Cultural representation or theme: \_\_\_\_\_

Placement Request:  Main Stage  Ground-level  Roving/Mobile

Number of performers: \_\_\_\_\_ How many performance pieces (songs/dances/etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Audio files for sound technicians ( yes / no ) Format \_\_\_\_\_

Sound equipment needed: (microphones, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Performance time: Approx. 5 / 10 / 15 / 20 / 60 minutes

Average time slot is 15 minutes = approximately 3 performance pieces (songs/dances/etc.) However, some performers may offer shorter or longer sets. We will try to accommodate as needed.

Set up time (min): \_\_\_\_\_ Performance (min): \_\_\_\_\_ Take down time (min) \_\_\_\_\_

**Performance Description.** Describe the energy and what the audience can expect:

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I, as an adult representing myself or representative of the above group, agree to hold the Tapestry Festival and its members, while acting within the scope of their duties, harmless from all causes of actions, demands and claims, on account of personal injuries, death or damages to property arising out of activities at the premises and in any way connected with activities of myself or my participation in the Tapestry festival, except for those acts or omissions which are the sole negligence of the Tapestry Festival. I certify that I have personally read and understand this waiver and release.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* By signing the Cultural Performance Application, participants are giving consent to be included in event marketing materials (pictures and videos).

**Event Date/Time:**

2026 Sept 19<sup>th</sup>, 11am - 4pm

**Location:** McDonald Park – 501 McDonald Ave North Shore Kamloops

**EVENT MISSION**

TAPESTRY FESTIVAL 2026 celebrates our city's rich multiculturalism and diversity with an inclusive and welcoming event featuring music, dance, food and the arts.

**EVENT VISION**

TAPESTRY FESTIVAL 2026 highlights the cultural diversity of our City to create a positive, inclusive Community where members feel recognized, accepted, with a strong sense of self.

**EVENT DESCRIPTION**

This is a city-wide family-friendly festival celebrating Kamloops cultural Heritage. This year's event will highlight some of the best of Kamloops culture from around the world: cuisine, exhibits, games, interactive displays, a Kids Zone and live entertainment.

We couldn't do this without the energetic participation of our cultural communities. Together we can create an amazing event open to all of our locals & visitors alike!

Our Festival offers an excellent opportunity for a wide range of performances. We anticipate the event advertisement will reach over 50,000 people & expect 4,000+ visitors to attend our Tapestry 2026 Multicultural Event!

**2026 PERFORMANCE DETAILS:**

Performance requirement: A connection to or representation of culture/multiculturalism/ethnicity is important. This includes Canadian culture as well. Each application will be considered thoughtfully. It is also important that each element also be respectful of the diverse population we are.

**Eligibility Criteria:**

- 1) Applicants are prohibited from displaying, speaking, handing out or promoting any forms of content that are offensive.
- 2) Applicants promoting any political parties, affiliated groups and their policies will not be allowed to participate.

3) Applicants promoting religious content for the purpose of advocacy, conversion or expanding membership will not be allowed to participate.

4) Applicants are not allowed to discuss, display or promote content that discriminates based on gender, race, religion, caste, creed, origin disability, handicap, age, sexual orientation or any other basis prohibited by law and as deemed by the Tapestry Festival.

5) The Tapestry Festival has the sole discretion, at any time and at any stage to refuse participation of any group that does not adhere to the stipulations set out in the terms and conditions of the eligibility criteria in order to maintain the vision and mission values of the Festival.

\*\* I acknowledge that I have carefully read and understood the eligibility criteria.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\* I acknowledge that any pictures taken during the Festival will be used for marketing purposes for the Multicultural Festival.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parking:** Limited – Unload at McDonald Park

\*\*You will be contacted to confirm the time of your performance and discuss final details.

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