



SPONSORSHIP Form

2009 GATEWAY MUSIC FESTIVAL

SPONSOR Information (please print or type)

Name	
Billing address	
City	
State	
ZIP Code	
Telephone (home)	
Telephone (business)	
Fax	
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SPONSOR Information

I (we) pledge a total of \$_____ .

I (we) plan to make this contribution in the form of:
 ___ cash ___ check ___ credit card ___ other.

Credit card type	
Credit card number	
Expiration date	
Authorized signature	

Acknowledgement Information

Please use the following name(s) in all acknowledgements:

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___ I (we) wish to have our gift remain anonymous.

Signature(s)
Date

Please make checks, or other gifts payable to:

Hancock Memorial Post 207
P.O. Box 8076
Ellsworth, ME 04605



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P.O. BOX 8076
ELLSWORTH, ME 04605
OFF. (207)667-9918 FAX (207)667-0804
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April 13, 2009

To Whom It May Concern:

The American Legion Post 207 will be holding a Festival called The Gateway Music Festival. This will be a big undertaking for us but we are determined. The Festival will include area bands, country, rock & roll, blues and bluegrass. Now the big headliner, is Buddy Jewell, he was the winner of Nashville Star and has had number one hits since. We have been in contact with him several times and he is very excited to be coming to our Festival. This is why we are out getting sponsors.

As a non profit organization we are holding this festival for various reasons and I will now list them. We help out the community a lot, cancer victims, fire victims, domestic violence victims, fuel and food assistance, Christmas for children, (last year we gave 197 families Christmas dinner and 264 children a gift), Children & Youth, Veterans, etc. In order for us to be able to continue this support for the community we need to raise money and we are in hopes to do that very thing by having the festival.

By having the festival we are also going to help out the area business people, hotels, motel etc. as people will have to stay some place and they will shop while they are here. Also we will have vendors and crafters here so that they can make money for their families.

Hopefully this letter explains what we are trying to do for community and the economy that we all are under.

Thank you for taking time to consider our needs.

Oh, one last thing I did not put a certain amount of money to ask for because we would be more than grateful for anything you can help with.

Sincerely;

Rae Jean Young
Admin. Assistant Post 207



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Dear Supporter:

Hancock Memorial Post 207, American Legion, Trenton, Maine will be holding a Jamboree on Sunday, August 16, 2009. It will be named, The Gateway Music Festival. We will be having BUDDY JEWELL 2003 "Nashville Star" winner & Grand Ole Opry entertainer, plus several local Maine artists / bands.

This benefit is a big undertaking and we are asking people to be supporters as there will be people from everywhere coming to this event therefore business's will benefit as well as ourselves.

Along with the Show there will be food vendors and other business booths.

Listed below are the supporter list and what each step gives you in return not to mention tax deduction and advertisement for you.

FRIEND: \$1-\$99	NAME IN BOOK
SUPPORTER: \$100-\$149	1 FREE PASS AND BUSINESS CARD IN BOOK
DONOR: \$150-\$249	2 FREE PASSES AND BUSINESS CARD IN BOOK
CONTRIBUTOR: \$250-\$499	4 FREE PASSES AND ¼ PAGE IN BOOK
ROCK & ROLL/ BLUES: \$500-\$999	6 FREE PASSES AND ½ PAGE IN BOOK +BENEFITS
BLUEGRASS: \$1000-\$2499 BOOK + BENEFITS	2 VIP PASS AND 8 FREE PASSES AND ½ PAGE IN
COUNTRY/FOLK: \$2500-\$9999 BOOK +BENEFITS	4 VIP PASS AND 10 FREE PASSES AND ½ PAGE IN
HALL OF FAME: \$10000-\$24999 IN BOOK +BENEFITS	6 VIP PASS AND 10 FREE PASSES AND FULL PAGE
INDUCTEE: \$25000-\$49999 IN BOOK + BENEFITS	8 VIP PASS AND 12 FREE PASSES AND FULL PAGE
OPRY STAR: 50000 + IN BOOK + BENEFITS	10 VIP PASS AND 12 FREE PASSES AND FULL PAGE

***BENEFITS: SEE ATTACHED**

We hope you will support our Gateway Music Festival and we certainly thank you in advance. If you have any questions please call me at the Post, 207-667-9918.

Sincerely,

Rae Jean Young
Administrative Assistant Post 207

BENEFITS:

SPONSOR LOGO APPEARS ON A BANNER AT THE FESTIVAL'S STAGE

OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE AS MC FOR ONE PERFORMANCE

BOOTH ON FESTIVAL GROUNDS (GUIDELINES FOR SPACE USE)

NAME MENTIONED BEFORE AND AFTER SELECTED PERFORMANCES

SPONSOR MAY PROVIDE ADDITIONAL BANNER TO BE PLACED IN HIGH- TRAFFIC FESTIVAL AREA

FREE V.I.P. PASSES

SPONSOR LOGO AND/OR NAME APPEARS PROMINENTLY ON SPONSOR "THANK YOU" BOARD DISPLAYED AT FESTIVAL

RECOGNITION AS SPONSOR IN SELECT GMF PRINT ADVERTISEMENT- "EVENT GUIDE AND SPONSOR BOOK"

RECOGNITION AS SPONSOR IN SELECT GMF COMMUNICATIONS AND FESTIVAL PROGRAM GUIDE DISTRIBUTED AT FESTIVAL

**NAME AND HOME PAGE LINK APPEAR ON THE GATEWAY MUSIC FESTIVAL WEBSITE.
www.thegatewaymusicfestival.com**

NAME APPEARS IN SPONSOR "THANK YOU" ADVERTISEMENT IN NEWS PAPER PUBLICATION

OPPORTUNITY TO ENJOY SPONSORS HOSPITALITY AREA NEAR STAGE

FULL PAGE AD IN THE GATEWAY MUSIC FESTIVAL EVENT GUIDE AND SPONSOR BOOK

½ PAGE AD IN THE GATEWAY MUSIC FESTIVAL EVENT AND GUIDE BOOK

¼ PAGE AD IN THE GATEWAY MUSIC FESTIVAL EVENT AND GUIDE BOOK

BUSINESS CARD AD IN THE GATEWAY MUSIC FESTIVAL EVENT GUIDE AND SPONSOR BOOK

NAME LINE AD IN THE GATEWAY MUSIC FESTIVAL EVENT GUIDE AND SPONSOR BOOK