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## **18<sup>th</sup> Annual Salmon Arm Roots and Blues Festival** **Campground Rules**

1. Due to space limitations and overcrowding at previous Festivals, campsites are limited to one camping unit per site and/or one travel vehicle. Specifically: vehicle & tent **or** camper van **or** truck & camper **or** motorhome **or** tow vehicle & tent trailer **or** tow vehicle & travel trailer **or** tow vehicle & 5th wheel.
2. Due to the need to offload traffic from city streets as quickly and efficiently as possible, we cannot accommodate placement in any particular campground no matter how early you are in the campground line-up. Campers may be designated to any one of our three campgrounds at the discretion of our registration volunteers to keep traffic flow moving. We appreciate your understanding regarding this matter.
3. **We do not provide additional parking in the campgrounds.** Parking is available in paid parking sites or free in our Volunteer Parking lot located on the other side of the Festival. A Festival Campgrounds Parking Pass will be issued upon request at time of registration for displayed on your dash in the Volunteer Parking lot. Vehicles may be brought in unloaded and then relocated.
4. Campgrounds will open at 12:00 pm (noon) on Friday, August 13<sup>th</sup>. Check-out is no later than 12:00 pm on Monday, August 16<sup>th</sup>.
5. Campsites are limited to four (4) people per site. Some exceptions may be made for families with more than two non-adult children (under the age of 16).
6. Gates to the campsite will be closed at 9:00 pm to avoid late night traffic.
7. Pre-registered campers are required to show proof of payment upon check-in (official campground pass from Salmon Arm Roots and Blues Festival). Driver of camping vehicle will receive a dashboard pass and campground wristbands for each member of his/her camping party at check-in and is responsible for the distribution of these wristbands to all party members. Names must be provided on your Camping Registration Form. **NO ADDITIONAL WRISTBANDS WILL BE ISSUED.**
8. Absolutely **NO CAMPFIRES OR OPEN FIRES OF ANY KIND.**
9. **NO HIBACHI OR CHARCOAL COOKING - PROPANE BBQ'S ONLY.**
10. **ABSOLUTELY NO PETS ALLOWED.** Campers who are found with animals within the campgrounds will be asked to vacate without refund of camping or festival fees.
11. There are no electrical or water hookups. Washstands and portable toilets are located at each campground.
12. Please respect the parking rules/signs. We must keep campground driving lanes clear for emergency vehicle access. Vehicles parked on campground driving lanes will be towed at owner's expense.
13. Please leave your campsite clean upon departure.
14. Quiet hours are from 11:00 pm – 8:00 am. Please respect your neighbour's right to a good night's sleep. The Roots and Blues Festival reserves the right to limit noise and/or rowdiness at anytime. On-site security will be available throughout the night at designated central sites. Please report offenders to our security personnel.
15. No generators during quiet hours. Use of generators is restricted to daytime use and only when vehicle owner is present. Please respect those around you in order to ensure an enjoyable experience for all.
16. Please respect the generosity and privacy of our landowners who have made this campsite available to us. Use only the designated entrance and exit ways and keep access to residence driveways clear.
17. Volunteers will be on duty at the campground throughout the weekend but please keep your valuables locked in the trunk of your vehicle. Roots and Blues assumes no responsibility for lost, stolen or damaged articles.
18. This campsite is located in a rural area with wildlife present. Please store all food and drinks in your vehicle overnight and keep children under supervision.
19. Camping fees are non-refundable.
20. **We do not allow the saving of sites for parties that are arriving later in the weekend.** Each vehicle is required to present its own camping pass. There is a message board at the middle Entrance/Exit in Campground One, if you wish to leave your information about where and when your friends can connect with you.

This is the seventh year that we are able to offer camping at Roots and Blues. Each year, it proves to have been a positive and successful addition to the Festival and we are pleased to offer you this accommodation option again this year.

## **Extra Info**

**This is no frills camping at its best. We have friendly volunteers, great weather and the best music on the planet right across the road. Because the amenities are limited at our campground, we ask that you be sure to have a flashlight on hand for nighttime activities and entries into the site. If you do not already have one, we recommend that you take 5 minutes and head to one of the malls to purchase this vital piece of gear.**

**Wasps can be plentiful at this time of year and we have our fair share at the campground, as well as on the Festival site. We have After-Bite at the Campground 1 entrance/exit table, if you have need for it. Otherwise, we recommend a little ice for those painful stings. There is also a First Aid Station on the Festival Site. Refer to your program for its location. People with extreme allergies to wasp bites should bring the prescribed antidote.**

**August is fire season in BC. Smokers are asked to use extreme caution when butting out. We have containers available at the exit gate if you would like to scoop up a little gravel for extinguishing your cigarettes. There is a fire extinguisher at the Entrance/Exit gate for emergencies, but please exercise common sense, as we REALLY don't want to have to use it.**

**Security will be present throughout the night at designated central sites. If you have any problems, please feel free to contact them with your concerns.**

**The water at our camp water stands are potable. To avoid drainage problems, please refrain from washing any large food particles down the drain. We also have waste and recycling bins on site for your convenience.**

**\* AGAIN – NO PETS ALLOWED IN CAMPGROUNDS. Please respect our desire to keep the campsites animal free for the relaxation and comfort of all campers.**

**Thanks for your co-operation. We would like to take this time to wish you a pleasant experience during your stay at the Roots and Blues Campgrounds. Enjoy the music, the food and the unflagging hospitality of our amazing volunteers and ..... have a great Festival!!!.**