



# Entertainment Guidelines

Please consider becoming an entertainer for the Annual Peachtree City Dragon Race & International Festival. The information below provides guidelines, and general information. Consideration will be given to provide reasonable opportunities for each entertainer to avoid duplications and allow for several unique international-themed performances.

Please note: This event will run rain or shine. Be prepared to perform on grass or concrete.

## GENERAL INFORMATION:

1. Location: Drake Field, Lake Peachtree, 155 Willowbend, Peachtree City, GA.
2. This annual festival is a fundraiser for paddling programs designed for veterans, cancer survivors, seniors, and para-athletes.

## PERFORMER GUIDELINES:

### 1. Cultural Focus & Family-Friendly Content

- a. All performances must be representative of a specific country or culture.
- b. Acts must be non-political, non-sectarian, respectful, and community-focused.
- c. Content must be appropriate for all ages (no explicit lyrics, violent themes, or mature content).

### 2. Types of Performances We're Seeking

- a. Traditional dances (e.g., Chinese Lion Dance, Hawaiian Hula, Irish Step Dancing)
- b. Music ensembles (e.g., steel drum bands, taiko drumming, mariachi bands)
- c. Martial arts demonstrations (e.g., capoeira, kung fu, taekwondo)
- d. Storytelling, puppetry, or folktales
- e. Fashion parades in traditional attire
- f. Children's cultural games or interactive showcases

### 3. Performance Schedule & Duration

- a. Performances will be scheduled between **9:00 AM and 4:00 PM**.
- b. Typical sets should be **15–30 minutes long**, including setup and takedown.
- c. Performers may be invited to appear **more than once** throughout the day.

### 4. Staging & Equipment

- a. The main stage is outdoors on a concrete pad and grass with professional sound.
- b. Basic sound setup (mics, speakers) will be provided.
- c. Performers must bring **instruments, props, or special tech needs** unless otherwise discussed.
- d. We welcome **interactive or mobile performances** (e.g., stilt walkers, cultural parades) around the festival grounds.

### 5. Arrival and Check-In

- a. Be on site **1 hour before** performance.
- b. Performer Tent check-in required.
- c. Stage Manager on-site for coordination.

### 6. Liability

- a. All performers participate at their own risk. Peach State Dragon Boat Academy, the City of Peachtree City, and affiliated event staff are **not liable for any injury, loss, or damage** sustained during travel, setup, performance, or breakdown.
- b. Performers may be required to **sign a liability waiver** upon acceptance.



## 7. Insurance

- a. Individual performers or groups are encouraged (but not required) to carry general liability insurance.
- b. Performers engaging in physically active demonstrations (e.g., martial arts) may be asked to provide proof of coverage or sign an additional safety agreement.

## 8. Copyright Responsibility

- a. Performers are fully responsible for ensuring that **music, choreography, costumes, or scripts** used in their act are properly licensed or fall under public domain.
- b. By participating, you affirm that **your act does not infringe on any third-party copyrights or trademarks.**
- c. Live cover songs must comply with all applicable music licensing rules (e.g., ASCAP, BMI, SESAC).

## 9. Media Consent

- a. By performing at the festival, you agree to be **photographed and recorded** for promotional purposes without additional compensation.
- b. If any performer requires an exception, they must notify us in writing before August 15, 2025.

\*All entertainers will be recognized on event media and by race announcer on the day of the event.

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