



## Street Entertainment Program

Street entertainment 'buskers' will be part of the character of downtown. As part of the approval process, a 'busker' is required to fill out an application and agree to the following policies below

### Location, Day, Time

1. A street entertainer, including a street musician, is sanctioned by Downtown Salmon Arm to perform at certain locations, days and times
  - I. Location #1 – In front of CIBC, corner of Hudson Avenue and Alexander Street
  - II. Location #2 – in front of Salmon Arm Liquor Store, Lakeshore Drive
  - III. Days – Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, in the months of July and August
  - IV. Times – 11:30-1:30pm
2. A street entertainer will be provided with a stipend by Downtown Salmon Arm for the duration of the time at each location
3. A street entertainer must place a sign, provided by Downtown Salmon Arm, at the location and must be displayed for the duration of the time
4. A street entertainer is permitted to accept donations, however, may not solicit donations. Contributions may be received in a receptacle, such as a musical instrument case, box or hat

### Performances

5. Performances may continue past the set time, if the entertainer so wishes. There will no additional compensation
6. Amplification, recorded or broadcast music, or any other means of increasing the volume of their performance at any times, is not allowed
7. Sharp or dangerous objects, this includes but is not limited to juggling knives, hatchets or chainsaws, are not allowed
8. Flaming objects are not allowed
9. Recordings or copies of their performances or work may be sold, but not copies of performances or the works of others
  - I. Any works for sale must not obstruct pedestrian traffic
  - II. Must keep the works for sale within arm's reach of the street entertainer
  - III. May only offer works for sale during the street entertainer's performance



### Code of Conduct

10. Street entertainers must locate themselves and their audiences so that they are not obstructing the flow of pedestrian traffic, any business entrance or patio area

11. Will respect the right of businesses to operate without undue disturbance by street entertainers outside their premises

12. Street entertainers must be of good conduct and character while performing (no swearing, performing while intoxicated, etc.) and project a professional appearance

### Liability and Insurance

13. The street entertainer shall hold harmless – Downtown Salmon Arm free from liability for any damages to or loss of performance equipment used in performances under this agreement. The street entertainer recognizes their responsibility to provide insurance for any performance equipment used under this agreement

14. The street entertainer shall hold Downtown Salmon Arm free from liability for any personal injury or property damage associated with the performance under this agreement. The street entertainer recognizes their responsibility to provide adequate insurance policies to cover from such an eventuality

15. Street entertainers must abide by all municipal by-laws and all federal and provincial statutes and regulations

*Downtown Salmon administers this program and as such, reserve the right to refuse to grant, suspend, or terminate a street entertainer agreement in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Act, the Noise by-law or these policies.*

For more information on this program:

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