

**2026 Desert Bluegrass Festival – Band Contest Entry Form**

Band Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Band Members (3-7 people):

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Contact name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact email: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

**Contest rules:**

I hereby agree that my band and I will abide by the rules of the Desert Bluegrass Festival Band Contest.

**Photo/video/audio recording release:**

I hereby authorize the Desert Bluegrass Association (DBA) the right and permission to publish, reproduce or otherwise use the names, voices, and likenesses of the band described above in video, photographs, and audio recordings that may be made during the contest. I acknowledge and understand these materials may be used to promote future DBA festivals and in the organization’s outreach efforts to get more people involved.

I hereby certify that I am over eighteen years of age and am competent to contract in my own name and on behalf of my bandmates insofar as the above is concerned. If I am under eighteen years of age, my parents or legal guardians have read this document and have given their consent by signing below.

Participant Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Parent/Legal Guardian Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

*Pre-registration to reserve your band’s place in the contest is strongly encouraged, and can be completed by printing and filling out this form, signing, and then either photographing or scanning and e-mailing to Suzette Sommerer, [s.sommerer@icloud.com](mailto:s.sommerer@icloud.com). Please title the email **BAND CONTEST ENTRY** so it can be easily identified. If you do not pre-register, this form can be completed and turned in at the registration table on the day of the contest. Your entry fee will be collected at the registration table on the day of the contest.*