

BIGfest 2012

FESTIVAL VOLUNTEER AGREEMENT

1. This agreement is made between Cheatham Street Music Foundation, the Producer of BIGfest 2012 (herein called Event Producer) and _____, Here after called "Festival Volunteer." The Event Producer desires Festival Volunteer's participation during festival week for festival coordination and execution. Festival Volunteer agrees as follows:
2. Festival Volunteer understands that there will be no monetary compensation for their work at the festival. Festival Volunteer shall be responsible for all of their own transportation and any other expenses incurred in connection with their work at the festival. Festival Volunteer is considered a volunteer private contractor and not an employee of the festival or Cheatham Street Music Foundation.
3. Festival Volunteer agrees to work a minimum of nine (9) hours during the festival. In exchange, the Festival Volunteer will receive one (1) Three Day Pass to BIGfest 2012, one meal per day, and drink tickets.
4. Festival Volunteer agrees to show up promptly for their work shift as scheduled and agreed upon prior to the festival, and/or as directed by the Event Producer, the Volunteer Coordinator or other Event Producer staff.
5. Festival Volunteer agrees that in the event a missed shift or unacceptable behavior, such as is determined in the Event Producer's absolute discretion, volunteer credentials will be invalidated or revoked. Intoxication of any sort while on duty will not be tolerated, and will also result in revocation of credentials.
6. Festival Volunteer understands not to bring valuables to the festival as the Event Producer, venues, and/or sponsors and partners are not responsible for lost or stolen personal property or belongings.
7. Festival Volunteer shall not bring alcoholic beverages or any illegal drugs to the festival and shall abide by all Texas laws pertaining to transportation, sale, or use of illegal substances.
8. Festival Volunteer is not an agent of, or authorized to transact business, enter into agreements, or otherwise make commitments on behalf of the Event Producer unless expressly authorized in writing.
9. Festival Volunteer hereby agrees to release, indemnify, and hold harmless Event Producer, Cheatham Street Music Foundation, Cheatham Street Warehouse, and CSW Management LLC, their officers, owners, agents, attorneys and employees from any and all liability, damages, and claims of any nature whatsoever arising out of or in any way related to Festival Volunteer's work pursuant to this agreement.
10. Festival Volunteer assumes all risk of loss or injury including, but not limited to, disability, death and economic loss, which may result not only from Event Producers actions or negligence, but also from the actions or negligence of others, or the conditions of the event premises.
11. Festival Volunteer further states that he or she are cognizant of all the inherent dangers and risks involved in this activity, including the risk of bodily injury. Festival Volunteer agrees to perform and discharge all obligations as an independent contractor under any and all laws, whether existing or in the future, in any way pertaining to the engagement hereunder, including but not limited to Social Security, Workers Compensation Insurance, and Public Liability Insurance.
12. Festival Volunteer understands that Event Producer does not provide any Accident or Medical Insurance and that Festival Volunteer is required to provide his or her own insurance if desired. Festival Volunteer hereby agrees that he or she is financially responsible for any and all such expenses.
13. Festival Volunteer agrees to be photographed or videotaped during festival, and herein grants a release for the use of such photos or tapes for promotional purposes.

Agreed to:

By _____
Festival Volunteer Signature Date

By _____
Event Producer Signature Date