

Request for Performance Proposals

Thank you for your interest in the Carolina Renaissance Festival as a performance venue. The Carolina Renaissance Festival accepts performance proposals for both the stage and for the village lanes. **Completed proposals must be submitted by April 30th to be considered for the current year.** Please include each of the following elements in your proposal:

Section 1 - Written

- A brief opening "pitch" for reader's consideration.
- A detailed description of the performance concept or act. Include character(s) summary, descriptions of bits and/or lazzi, plot synapses, and/or copy of scripts (if applicable).
- A detailed description of preferred staging needs including space requirements, need for access to electricity, need for audio equipment, need for prop storage, etc.
- Any other perspectives of the performance that would persuade the reader of your proposal.
- For each participating member of the act, provide a résumé, curriculum vitae, portfolio, or brief biography that includes a listing of performance experience and skill sets.
- For each participating member of the act, provide full legal name, preferred phone number, email address, and mailing address.

Section 2 - Media Aides

- Brainstorms, mind maps, and/or rough sketches of original ideas.
- Images, photographs, and/or drawings that support your costuming, props, makeup, and accessories, and creative inspirations.
- A link to online video of performances.
- Music samples (if applicable).
- Staging or blocking design ideas (if applicable).
- Outline of your technical offering and/or needs (if applicable).
- Any additional supporting materials to help illustrate the intent and practicalities of your proposal.

Proposals are to be sent via **email** at <u>matt@renfestinfo.com</u> or **snail mail** at:

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