



General Information for All Participants

- ☀ **FINE ARTS Specialists Sign-In.** Specialists and directors participating in the 2010 FAME Festival should check in with the appropriate coordinator. The process is different depending on whether you are an art specialist with student artwork to exhibit or a performance specialist with a performing group

Art Specialists: There will be a sign-in board placed at the FAME festival table just inside the main entrance of the hall. When you arrive to set up on Friday, please report to that location to sign the call sheet and pick up any additional information regarding the exhibit.

Performance Specialists: report to the Performance Control station outside the holding areas. You will be greeted by a FAME volunteer who will help you for the duration of your group's performance (including warm-up and holding area times)

- ☀ **NEW! Service time Commitment.** Please give Suzanne Ginty 672-3309 a call to sign up for your service time at FAME. This year **all** registrants (or designees) are required to donate 1 hour of service time. It's fun and you reconnect with your teacher friends. Send an email to Beth Peter at beth@famearts.org to lock your time. Please report to the central festival table just inside the main entrance of the hall.
- ☀ **School Bus Transportation & Parking.** School bus drivers are to drop off and pick up students at the Grand Wayne Center loading docks along Webster Street on the west side of the building. For the safety of your students, do not load or unload buses in front of the Grand Wayne Center. Traffic on both Washington and Jefferson Blvds is heavy and can be very hazardous. Buses are allowed at the Webster Street pull up area only to drop off and pick up students. Parking for buses is available at the Anthis Career Center on South Barr Street. Once unloaded, students are to enter by the front doors only (there is no performer admittance to the facility at the loading docks).
- ☀ **Parking. FREE parking is available in the Anthis Career Center lot to the southeast. Do not park in any area restaurant or retail parking lot – your car will be towed. Ugh.** Parking in the loading dock area or on Jefferson Blvd immediately in front of the Grand Wayne Center is also prohibited and your car may be towed. The Civic Parking Garage (across from the Hilton) and Harrison Square parking garage is available with a wonderful \$2 all day parking fee. FAME is not responsible for any fines, fees, or impound charges should you be towed from an unauthorized location.
- ☀ **Admission fees.** All children 18 and under are admitted free **with a 2 can food bank donation.** Adults are \$3.00. Let's fill the Community Harvest Food Bank Shelves!
- ☀ **FAMEWear.** We are selling FAMEous T-Shirts and sweatpants. This year's Amazing Race around the Arts theme Poland-Germany-Japan are sure to be collector's items.
- ☀ **NEW THIS YEAR - Parents Booth.** We will have a parents booth staffed during the festival. Please encourage your parents to join FAME and learn about FAME programs or find a FAME specialist for private lessons. Also, information of downtown restaurants available. Stay all day!