# 2024 Appalachian String Band Music Festival

# WEDNESDAY JULY 31 - Emcees for all Contests: Sam Linkous & Adam Booth

9-10am	Daily Contest Registration	
	(youth- 17 and under) (senior- 60 and over) (open -all ages)	Information Tent
10:30am	Lineup announced to Banjo Contest Registrants	Information
Tent		
11am	Youth & Senior Banjo Contests- Awards to follow each contest	Outdoor Stage
	*Senior Contest to follow Youth Awards	
	Open Banjo Contest follows Senior Awards	Outdoor Stage
11am	Stretching for Musicians – hosted by Lucy Allen	Picnic Shelter
1-2pm	Flatfoot Dance Workshop with C. Burton	*Chestnut Lodge
	Band: "Cat in the Butter"	
2pm	"Judges Thoughts" for Flatfoot Dance with C. Burton, P. Jamison & L. Maiuri	*Chestnut Lodge
3pm	New Music Open Mic Registration	*Chestnut Lodge
3:30-5pm	New Music Open Mic – with J. Rothfield	*Chestnut Lodge
5pm	Banjo Finals and Awards	Outdoor Stage
8-10pm	Flatfoot Family Dance with C. Burton	Picnic Shelter
	Band: "Cat in the Butter"	
8-11pm	Square Dance -Callers: Steve Ballman & Linda Donohew	*Chestnut Lodge
	Band: "Long Point String Band" with Hunter Walker	

### THURSDAY AUGUST 1

9-10am	<u>Daily Contest Registration</u>	Information Tent
	(youth – 17 and under) (senior – 60 and over) (open–all ages)	
10:30am	Lineup announced to Fiddle Contest Registrants	Information Tent
11am	Youth & Senior Fiddle Contest – Awards to follow each contest	Outdoor Stage
	*Senior Contest to follow Youth Awards	
	Open Fiddle Contest follows Senior Awards	Outdoor Stage
1pm	Square Dance Fundamentals for Kids "Family Supervision/Participation Required"	*Chestnut Lodge
	Caller: Janine Smith	
	Music by: Palmer & Greg Loux and Friends (In Good Company)	
5pm	Fiddle Contest Finals and Awards	Outdoor Stage
8-11pm	Square Dance – Callers: Beth Molaro & Liam Kelly	*Chestnut Lodge
	Band: "Critton Hollow" with Sam & Joe Herrmann	

## **FRIDAY AUGUST 2**

9-10am	Daily Contest Registration	
	(youth 17 and under) (open – all ages)	Information Tent
10:30am	Lineup announced to Neo-Traditional Band Registrants	Information Tent
11am	Youth Neo-Traditional Band Contest - Awards to follow contest	Outdoor Stage
11am	Stretching for Musicians hosted by Lucy Allen	Picnic Shelter
Noon	Neo-Traditional Band Contest	Outdoor Stage
1-2pm	Master's Showcase w/ 2023 Grand Master Fiddler Champion Tessa McCoy	*Chestnut Lodge
5pm	Neo-Traditional Band Finals and Awards	Outdoor Stage
8-9pm	Concert - Band: "The Shoats" with Mary Linscheid	Outdoor Stage
8-11pm	Square Dance- Callers: Pete LaBerge & Taylor Runner	*Chestnut Lodge
	Band: "Allemande" with Chris Germain	

#### SATURDAY AUGUST 3

9-10am	<u>Daily Contest Registration</u>	
	(youth 17 and under) (open – all ages)	Information Tent
10:30am	Lineup announced to Traditional Band Registrants	Information Tent
11am	Youth Traditional Band Contest - Awards to follow contest	Outdoor Stage
11am	Craig Evans, Book Debut "	*Chestnut Lodge
Noon	<u>Traditional Band Contest</u>	Outdoor Stage
2pm	Flatfoot Dance Contest Registration (all age groups)	Information Tent
2:30pm	Lineup announced to Flatfoot Contest Registrants	Information
Tent		
3pm	Flatfoot Dance Contest- Awards to follow contest	Outdoor Stage
	Band: "Juanita Fireball & the Clifftop Drifters"	
6pm	Traditional Band Finals and Awards	Outdoor Stage
8-9pm	Concert:"The McCoy's" with Chance & Tessa McCoy	Outdoor Stage
8-11pm	Square Dance – Callers: Lou Maiuri & Phil Jamison	*Chestnut Lodge
	Band: "Juanita Fireball and the Cliffton Drifters" with Mike & Mary Sue Burns	

#### **SUNDAY AUGUST 4**

No scheduled events – Camp Store open till noon

#### ALL CAMPERS MUST BE CHECKED OUT BY 1PM

\*Chestnut Lodge events may be moved or cancelled if inclement weather forces us to bring the outdoor stage contests into the Chestnut Lodge. Events subject to change.

#### **FESTIVAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

- \* Walk, rather than drive, between campsites.
- \* RV generators may not be used in the upper lot next to the stage.
- \* Generators may be used in lower lot only.
- \* No fires allowed.
- \* Wash dishes in designated areas only.
- \* Festival is not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- \* Observe safety rules: No bicycles, skateboards, roller blades, ATVs, etc. on mountain top.
- \* Dogs may not run free. All dogs must be on a 6' maximum leash at all times. Extendable leashes are not acceptable.
- \* Alcoholic beverages and weapons are prohibited.
- State facilities are tobacco-free zones.

#### **HOURS OF OPERATION**

Gate: 8 am - 11 pm
Office: 9 am - 6 pm
Camp Store: 9 am - 9 pm
Dining Room Hours: 8 am - 8 pm

THE FESTIVAL RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ASK ANYONE WHO EXHIBITS DISRUPTIVE BEHAVIOR TO LEAVE THE CAMP WITHOUT A REFUND.

2025 Festival Dates: Pre-Camp Friday July 25th at 1pm-Tuesday July 29, 2025 Festival: Wednesday July 30-Sunday August 3, 2025 - Checkout at 1pm