



91st Annual Emmett Cherry Festival JUNE 17-20, 2026



ENTERTAINMENT INFORMATION

(Please keep this informational sheet for your records)

The Emmett Cherry Festival is one of Idaho's longest-running, family-friendly events of its kind.

Our entertainers have always been a very important component to the tremendous and ongoing success of this event. Over 60,000 people are estimated to attend the Emmett Cherry Festival over the four days of fun each year.

This community event is free to the public. Entertainment performances are at the Historic Emmett City Park Bandshell. There is no "gate" and no charge of any kind for the public to enter the festival.

Many of our entertainers have been able to book gigs, build their fan base or attract new students as a result of their performances at the Emmett Cherry Festival. We are proud to have had many talented and amazing performers over the years.

APPLICATION PROCESS

All performers must submit an official application to be considered for the Emmett Cherry Festival event each year. Please note that performance slots are not guaranteed, even for returning bands.

Attempts are made to strike a balance between our returning festival performers and first-time performers. Please be aware that previous participation does not guarantee you a spot. Due to the limited time slots we cannot accommodate everyone who applies to play at the festival.

Digital audio files or online samples of your music is appreciated.

The Emmett Cherry Festival provides audio and visual production services through Rob Baker with Committed Events. This allows entertainers to be able to set up and play quickly.

PARKING

There will be limited on-site parking available. We will send instructions for unloading equipment and where to park. On-site vehicles will unload in the designated "Entertainment Unloading" area and then park in the limited area of grass lot on north end of park. Please see Parking attendant at event for full instructions.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

All photos, media and other submissions become the property of the GCCC and will not be returned to sender. By submitting, you authorize their use in any publicity without compensation.

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