



## CHARLOTTE CARIBBEAN FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION (CCFA)

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Dear Band Leader:

The Charlotte Caribbean Festival Association (CCFA) invites you to participate in the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Charlotte Caribbean Festival & Parade as we celebrate the culture and customs of the Island of St. Lucia. The Festival and Parade will take place on Saturday, July 30, 2011 at the Metrolina Tradeshow Expo, Statesville Road, Charlotte, North Carolina. The parade will begin promptly at 12 Noon.

The Parade Guidelines and the Band Registration Forms are included with this package. Please read the guidelines carefully.

The Band Registration form and the registration fee of \$250 must be received no later than Friday, July 15, 2011.

Please feel free to request clarification of any part of these guidelines at any time. Thank you for your support in making the Charlotte Caribbean Festival & Parade a success.

### GUIDELINES

1. The cost of registering a band is \$250. There is a non-refundable fee of \$50 should you choose not to participate for any reason.
2. Registration form and full payment of \$250 must be received before the deadline of July 15, 2011.
3. Payment must be in the form of a Certified Check or Money Order made payable to Charlotte Caribbean Festival Association. Payment can be mailed to:

**Charlotte Caribbean Festival Association**

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4. Any vehicles used in the parade must be properly licensed and insured.
5. All masqueraders must sign in at the beginning of the parade route no later than 10:00 a.m. to allow for accurate line up information to be presented to the media.

**PLEASE BE ADVISED.....NUDITY IS NOT ALLOWED**

**ABSOLUTELY NO T-SHIRT BANDS OR SECTIONS ARE ALLOWED**

For more information or questions regarding band registration, please contact:  
Glenda at 704-236-2169 or Kisha at 704-726-1548



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## Parade of Bands Registration Form

PERSONAL INFORMATION			
Name:			
Street Address:	City:	State:	Zip Code:
Primary Phone:		Secondary Phone:	
Email Address:		Website:	
BAND INFORMATION			
Type of Entry (Please check all that applies)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Carnival Mas Band	<input type="checkbox"/> Car/Van	<input type="checkbox"/> Float	<input type="checkbox"/> Truck
<input type="checkbox"/> Drill/Step Team	<input type="checkbox"/> Steel Pan	<input type="checkbox"/> King/Queen	<input type="checkbox"/> Drummers
Name of Band / Organization:		Band Leader/Director:	
Theme/Portrayal:			
Total Number of Participants:	Number of Children:	Number of Adults:	

**ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS AND FEES:**

Enclosed is my registration fee of **\$250**. I understand that there is a non-refundable fee of **\$50** if I choose not to participate for any reason.

I hereby register to participate in the Charlotte Caribbean Festival & Parade. By signing below, I agree to comply with all rules and regulations set forth in the guidelines provided by the committee.

**The Charlotte Caribbean Festival Association reserves the right to reject any application for any reason.**

Mail your Bank Check or Money Order and Registration Form to:

**Charlotte Caribbean Festival Association**

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**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_