

**2009 Upper Peninsula Folklife Festival
Presenter/Performer Application**

Name of Presenter/Performer: _____

Address: _____

Telephone #: _____ E-mail address: _____

Website: _____

Describe the type of folk art to be presented (ex. quilting, rag rug weaving, Finnish accordion music, etc):

List venues, festivals, or events at which you have demonstrated, presented or have performed in the past (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Check the type of activity you would be interested in at the 2009 Festival:

Demonstration Workshop Performance Lecture

Selection Criteria:

The U.P. Folklife Festival Committee will use the following criteria for selecting artists to invite to the 2009 Festival. Artists will not have to be equally strong in each category to be invited. The committee will use a cumulative score to determine who is invited.

- How the artist's work, craft, or performance is relevant to the cultural and ethnic traditions represented by the people of the Upper Peninsula;
- The aesthetic quality of the artist's work; and
- The artist's ability to present, demonstrate, or perform their works to the public.

Required materials: Please provide the following materials with your application packet:

1. One page biography detailing the history of your work including how you learned your craft or art form.
2. Photographs of your art, craft or performance.
3. If possible, video of any presentations or performances.
4. For musicians and songwriters, sample recordings of your performance or songs.

Please send your application and materials by **December 12, 2008** to the following address:
Beaumier U.P. Heritage Center
1401 Presque Isle Ave.
Marquette, MI 49855

Deadline for applications is December 12, 2008