Make Music Windsor Locks Monday, June 21, 2021

PROJECT INFORMATION

WHAT IS IT? Make Music Windsor Locks is part of the world-wide celebration of International Make Music Day. Always held on the summer solstice, this day of music is a chance for <u>everyone</u> to participate in music making. You can find out more about this celebration at <u>www.makemusicday.org</u>

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE? In a word, EVERYONE. It doesn't matter if you're just starting out, are a seasoned professional or just like to sing in the shower. Here in Windsor Locks, we'll have a central venue on the east lawn of town hall. Our plan is to start at about 3:30 in the afternoon and go until around 8:00 in the evening. In order to give as many as possible a chance to share their music, we're setting up 20 minute blocks. Sign up for one, two or three contiguous blocks depending on how much music you think you or your group want to perform.

WHAT KIND OF MUSIC? Any genre of music! We want variety and won't turn away anyone within reason. Because this is a public event open to all ages, please use discretion in selecting material. If you wouldn't want your grandmother or your kids to hear it... you get the point.

VENUE SPECIFICS – We'll be OUTSIDE, under a canopy. Barring a steady day-long rain, we plan to go on. There is no stage, so if you have instruments, amps, etc., that you don't want sitting on the grass, we suggest bringing a carpet or tarp. There will be electric power available. We will have a PA system with up to 6 mics working through a basic 12 channel mixer. One DI box will be available if needed for keyboard amplification. Our mixer has Bluetooth, in addition to USB and SD for playback of your background music in MP3 format. You must bring whatever you need beyond what is listed here, including any special mics, effects units, etc. Send us an email if you're not sure about something. We want this to be a fun, positive and rewarding experience for everyone.

ARE YOU READY TO MAKE MUSIC? SIGN UP at our event portal at https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4ba9aa2ca6fbc16-make for the time block(s) you would like. Please consider setup and breakdown when making your time reservation. The schedule will be open until the day of the event but the earlier you sign up, the better your chance of locking in the time you'd like. If you find that you can't make it, we'd appreciate knowing so we can open up the time for someone else.

QUESTIONS? Send email to <u>windsorlocksarts@wlocks.com</u> with MAKE MUSIC WINDSOR LOCKS in the subject line for the quickest response.

ARE YOU READY TO MAKE MUSIC, WINDSOR LOCKS?