

## 2011 Schedule of Events October 9-15, 2011

### Sunday October 9, 2011

7:00 PM – 10:00 PM

**KICK OFF, VFW CLUB**  
1053 Wabash Ave, Hastings  
The NCMF Festival Band will be performing. You may sing with the band or Karaoke will be available courtesy of Ralph Johnson. Food available. NCMF members only may sing with the band.  
**Please bring 2 canned goods per person for Food Pantry**

### Monday October 10, 2011

**We will be setting up at the Adams County Fairgrounds during the day.**

12:30 PM – 1:30 PM  
Kensington

**MINI SHOWCASE, The**  
233 N. Hastings, Hastings NE  
Karaoke entertainment at the Kensington Assisted living. All singers invited to come sing karaoke! Plan to attend this mini showcase!

7:00 PM – 10:00 PM

**OPEN SESSION, VFW CLUB**  
1053 Wabash Ave, Hastings  
Jam session Karaoke & NCMF Festival Band. You may bring your own CD's or use the ones provided. Karaoke courtesy of Ralph Johnson, "All About Sound". Food available.  
**Please bring 2 canned goods per person for Food Pantry.**

### Tuesday October 11, 2011

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM  
Fairgrounds,

**REHEARSAL, Adams County**  
Community Service Activities

Building

947 So. Baltimore, Hastings, NE  
This rehearsal is for those performers using their own backup CD's.

2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

**REHEARSAL**  
This rehearsal is for those performing with the backup band.

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

**JAM SESSION!!**  
Sound equipment provided, bring your own instrument and join the fun! Free meal served by Sutton American Legion to all "Jammers" that come to entertain! **\$2.50 per person door fee.**

8:00 PM – ??? PM

**REHEARSAL**  
This rehearsal is for those performing with the backup band.

**Weekly Festival Pass \$15 per person.**  
**Food available Sutton American Legion.**

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The 2011 Festival Schedule is on our website  
[www.necmf.net](http://www.necmf.net).

**Click on news & events tab to view & print.**

### Wednesday October 12, 2011

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

**REHEARSAL, Adams County Fairgrounds, Community Service Activities Building.**  
This rehearsal is for those performers using their own backup CD's. Open to the public.

2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

**REHEARSAL**  
This rehearsal is for those performing with the backup band. Open to the public.

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

**BATTLE OF THE BANDS!**  
Any band welcome to enter contest. Pre-register band by Sept 18, 2011. Country songs required. Fee of \$10 per band. Membership to NCMF not required but would be appreciated! 100% of all entry fees paid to the winning band! Bring your own guitar!

8:00 PM – ? PM

**REHEARSAL**  
This rehearsal is for those performing with the backup band. Open to the public.  
Weekly Festival Pass \$15 per person or \$2.50 door fee per person.  
Food available Sutton American Legion.

### Thursday October 13, 2011

**All the audience will vote for "People's Choice Award" after the Showcase**

1:00 PM – 2:30 PM

**REHEARSAL, Adams County Fairgrounds**  
This rehearsal is for those using their own CD's. Open to the public.

2:30 PM – 4:00 PM

**REHEARSAL**  
Rehearsal will be **ONLY** for those performing with the back-up band & **have not rehearsed at all.**

7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

**RUDY GRANT & THE BUFFALO RIDERS SHOW**  
Cover charge at door \$5.00.

8:00 PM – ?? PM

**SHOWCASE, DRESS REHEARSAL,**  
Performers will be performing with the band & their own CD's.  
Cover charge at door \$5.00.  
Food available Sutton American Legion.

8:15 PM

**SPECIAL RECOGNITION OF OUR VETERANS!**  
Donation to the Nebraska Veterans Home. Any Veteran attending can donate 2 canned goods each in lieu of a \$5 cover charge.

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**Friday October 14, 2011**

**ALL AWARD BANQUET TICKETS NEED TO BE PURCHASED BY TODAY!**

**\$15.00 adult; child 5-12 years \$7.00; under 5 free**

**All the audience will vote for "People's Choice Award" after the Showcase**

**10:00 AM**                      **Songwriter Seminar**  
Conducted by Ron Grimes & Jim Hyatt

**12:00 NOON**                      **ALL SONGWRITER ENTRIES MUST BE IN!**

**1:00 PM - 4:00 PM**                      **REHEARSAL, Adams County Fairgrounds**  
Only those performers that have not rehearsed at all will be allowed to rehearse. Rehearsal will end at 4:00 PM! CD's will be from 1:00 - 2:00 & the band will be available from 2:00 - 4:00.

**7:00 PM - ??**                      **SHOWCASE, Adams County Fairgrounds Community Service Activities Building**  
All performers will be in this Showcase. A panel of judges will be judging each performer.  
Cover charge at the door \$7.00.

Food available - Sutton Legion

**NO PRIVATE VIDEOTAPING FRIDAY & SATURDAY.**

**THE NEBRASKA COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION WILL BE TAPING.**

 **A Special Thank You to the 2011 Festival Panel of Judges**



**Saturday October 15, 2011**

**ALL SATURDAY FESTIVITIES WILL BE AT THE ADAMS COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES BUILDING**

**3:00 PM - 4:00 PM**

**NEBRASKA COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION ANNUAL MEETING. All Nebraska Country Music Foundation members invited to attend!**

**4:00 PM - 5:00 PM**

**SOCIAL HOUR: Only those with banquet tickets will be admitted.**

**5:00 PM**

**BANQUET SERVED BY SUTTON AMERICAN LEGION.**

**5:00 PM - 6:00 PM**

**2011 FESTIVAL BANQUET HEADLINERS:  
GARY PHIPPS PERFORMING  
PAUL SIEBERT PERFORMING  
WALLY JAMES PERFORMING**

**NO PRIVATE VIDEO TAPING ALLOWED**

**AT 6:00 PM, A \$7.00 COVER CHARGE AT THE DOOR WILL BE REQUIRED FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO ATTEND THE AWARDS CEREMONY, HALL OF FAME INDUCTIONS, & WINNER SHOWCASE BUT DID NOT ATTEND THE BANQUET.**

**6:30 PM - 7:00 PM**

**ANNUAL MINI AUCTION**

**7:00 PM**

**AWARDS CEREMONY, HALL OF FAME INDUCTIONS, JR HALL OF FAME INDUCTIONS, SHOWCASE.**

When the awards ceremony is over, **members of the NCMF** will vote for Entertainer of the Year, & Songwriter of the Year. These two awards will be presented later in the Showcase. All members who entered their name on the 2012 NCMF election ballot for Board of Directors will be introduced on stage.

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**BANQUET MENU 10-15-11**

***Parmesan Chicken, Potatoes, Salad, Vegetable, Roll & Butter, & Dessert***

***\$15.00 Adult, \$7.50 child 5-12 years old, Under 5 Free***

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