2025 Midwest Men’s Festival Registration

\*\*PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY!\*\*

Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Festival name (if different):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

State:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ I have / \_\_\_ have not attended MMF before.

\_\_\_ I do / \_\_\_ do not wish to be mailed the pre-festival booklet. (Note: Strongly suggested for all new attendees.)

I would like to receive all future mailings from MMF.

(check one):

\_\_\_ **paper (snail mail) only**

\_\_\_ **email only** (best choice, save the environment!)

\_\_\_ **both** (please consider email only)

\_\_\_ **NONE**

\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO I would like to be included on the MMF Bouncer (email discussion group).

\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO I would like to be included in the Previous Attendees Only Facebook Group

\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO I would like to have my contact information included on the Participant List (distributed to all previous attendees post-festival). Note: All provided info (address/phone/email) will be included unless specified otherwise here:

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ I have the following special needs—including dietary and health-related needs (all meals are vegetarian) please list:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ I require residence in Cabin S2 (a/c, wheelchair access).

Please remember that festival is created by all, and you are expected to commit to working one shift of Community Service for every two days you attend Festival.

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| **CIRCLE THE NIGHTS YOU PLAN TO ATTEND** | | | | | | |
|  |  |  | **Sept** |  |  |  |
| **Su** | **Mo** | **Tu** | **We** | **Th** | **Fr** | **Sa** |
|  |  | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| figure your fees here | | | | | | |

1. □ $100 Postmarked by Aug. 15

**OR**

□ $120 Postmarked after Aug. 15.

This covers your 1st, 2nd & 3rd nights in full.

This is the minimum fee.

Enter it here + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Number of additional nights: (4th-9th nights)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_@ $25/night + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Donation for those in need:

+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. First Time Attendee Discount Coupon

□ Subtract $25 - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. My total is:

= \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

□ I am enclosing payment in full.

□ I will pay via PAYPAL ***(a small fee may be added to your***

***total, usually less than $5). See reverse side of this form***

***for more details***

**EMAIL ADDRESS:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

□ I am enclosing a partial payment of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

□ I can only afford to pay $ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. I understand I must contact the registrar **in advance** to arrange for lowered payment or for payment plans.

**NOT ATTENDING?**

□ I cannot attend Festival this Sept and am registering only to receive mailings during the upcoming year. (This option is only for previous attendees.) I last attended MMF in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Year). Please check all appropriate boxes at the left.

ALL PAGES OF THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED

**2025 MIDWEST MEN’S FESTIVAL**

## WAIVER, RELEASE, AND INDEMNITY

I hereby waive any and all claims for personal injury, property damage, or any other injury, of any kind or character whatsoever, against the Midwest Men’s Festival, Gaea Retreat Center and Earth Rising, Inc., a Missouri corporation, their officers, directors, agents and volunteers and hereby release the foregoing from any liability and claims which may arise from, or occur as a result of, my participation in and attendance of the 2025 Midwest Men’s Festival.

I have read this Waiver, Release and Indemnity in full. I fully understand and comprehend the risk of personal injury, property damage or other injuries due to my participation in and attendance of this event, and hereby agree to assume such risk.

In further consideration for the opportunity to participate in and attend the 2025 Midwest Men’s Festival, I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless Midwest Men’s Festival, Gaea Retreat Center, Earth Rising, Inc., it’s officers, directors, agents and volunteers from and against any and all claims from third parties for personal injury and/or property damage which may result from or be caused by my own intention, deliberate or grossly negligent conduct. This indemnity shall survive my participation in and attendance of this event.

I also understand and comprehend that the camp is subject to all state, local and federal laws, and that neither Earth Rising, Inc., nor the Midwest Men’s Festival is to be held in any way responsible should individuals or groups of persons act on their own behalf in violation of state, local or federal laws.

Earth Rising (Gaea) now includes in its contracts with all groups, the requirement that all attendees at Camp Gaea, must be checked against the national sex offenders database.

I understand that I am expected to commit to working one shift of Community Service for every two day period that I attend Festival.

Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please Note: After receipt of registration, you will receive detailed information including maps, a list of suggested things to bring, camp phone number, and how to get through the gate into camp.

Midwest Men’s Festival attendees are expected to arrange for their own transportation to and from the Festival site. If you need assistance with transportation between Camp Gaea and air, bus to rail terminals in the Kansas City metropolitan area, contact David Bates, registrar, at [MWMFest@gmail.com](mailto:MWMFest@gmail.com) or 314-853-3830.

Even if you are preregistered, you will still need to check in at the camp entrance upon arrival. Someone will be there to greet you with a smile!

You may visit [www.midwestmensfestival.com](http://www.midwestmensfestival.com/) or contact David Bates off site registrar, at [MWMFest@gmail.com](mailto:MWMFest@gmail.com) or 314-853-3830 if you have any questions.

make all checks payable to “midwest men’s festival” or “mmf” and mail with this form to:

mmf registration

c/o David Bates

21 N. Old Orchard Ave #401

Webster Groves, Mo. 63119

**OR YOU MAY PAY VIA PAYPAL, JUST CHECK THE CHECKBOX ON THE FIRST PAGE. SEND PAYMENT VIA “Friends and Family” payment option TO EMAIL** [**mwmfest@gmail.com**](mailto:mwmfest@gmail.com)**, OTHERWISE AN INVOICE WILL BE SENT TO YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS AND A SMALL FEE TO COVER WHAT PAYPAL CHARGES US WILL BE ADDED TO YOUR TOTAL (usually less than $5, it will be on the invoice sent). YOU WILL BE ASKED TO REMIT PAYMENT PRIOR TO ARRIVING ONSITE.**

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ANTICIPATED RESIDENCE DURING FESTIVAL:

\_\_\_ Tent Camping (NOTE: For tent campers, all cars should be parked in the area south of the Pavilion. No parking is allowed at the small parking lot close to the Ridge campsites, as well as the campsites, except for loading/unloading)

\_\_\_ Cabin

\_\_\_ RV/Camper

\_\_\_ Undecided

FOR ON-SITE USE ONLY:

Participant has: Vehicle Make \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ License #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

□ Check ID – DOB must 18 be on or before Sept 17, 2006

□ Checked in

□ Balance due of $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Paid at gate: $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ □ Check □ Cash