

Craven Concerts Sponsorship Application

Craven Concerts Inc. is a 501(c)(3) organization bringing Live Music to the New Bern area and Craven County Schools. We present four live concerts and several Outreach programs for the schools. In addition, we have a Musical Instrument Donation Program. The donated instruments are refurbished by Fuller's Music and become the property of the Craven County or Jones County School System for needy students. This past year we have provided 4 pianos and more than 50 other instruments to the Craven County and Jones County school students. The Outreach programs last year were an Opera for all the Third Graders in the County by Opera Xpress, and a performance by Thomas Pandolfi, a renowned pianist, which featured a camera on his hands so all could appreciate his talent. We are seeking Sponsorships to help us continue providing these performances and services to the Community.

Sponsorship Levels:

Silver Level: \$250. Entitles Sponsor to mention in all advertising for the performance chosen. Mention of name of Sponsor from the Stage before Performance. ½ Page or insert in center of Playbill the night of the concert. Two tickers to that show.

Gold Level: \$500. Entitles Sponsor to mention in all advertising for the performance chosen. Mention of name of Sponsor from the Stage before Performance. Full page or insert in center of the Playbill for that Performance. Banner displayed in Lobby. Four tickets to that show.

Platinum Level: \$1500. Entitles Sponsor to mention in all advertising for the entire Season at every performance. Mention of name of Sponsor from the Stage before each Performance. Full page Ad in Playbill for all Performances. Four tickets to each show..

Performances:

Sons of Serendip- A unique Billboard Charting Quartet consisting of a Harpist, cellist, pianist and lead vocalist. The quartet was a finalist on Season 9 of America's Got Talent, gaining popularity by offering fresh interpretations of popular music. Since the talent competition, Sons of Serendip has toured nationally, lighting up audiences with their creative and emotionally stirring arrangements.

Tai Chi- By 19 years old, Tajci was a superstar in her country of Croatia. She achieved platinum status selling a million records and packing sold-out venues. Tajci and her sister Sanya join acclaimed pianist Brian Hanson in presenting a musical cabaret style show of the American Songbook with international flair. Award-winning international artist

The Carolina Brass- A quintet of unique diversity in style and musicality that swings like a hard-driving big band one moment and plays a soft ballad with the utmost in feeling and sensitivity the next. With their combination of virtuosity and good humor, Carolina Brass is a favorite among audiences of all ages. Drawing from their vast repertoire, the group creates exciting, entertaining and educational programs.

3 Redneck Tenors- Returning to New Bern after their super successful performance two years ago, the 3 Redneck Tenors bring down home laughs with big city music. They are a new breed in the "tenor genre"- their musical comedy featuring classically trained veteran artists is like Duck Dynasty goes to Carnegie Hall. This show will be a sell-out.

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As a sponsor, your company is entitled to advertising of your sponsorship on our website (cravenconcertsinc.org) as well as in publicity related to that performance.

A banner, if you have one, will be exhibited in the lobby to be seen by all attendees of the show.

Seats will be reserved for you wherever in the Orringer Hall Auditorium you wish to sit.

You will be thanked from the stage at the beginning of the concert.

You will have space in the center of the Playbill or on an insert to the program for your message to the audience.

Please return this form with your check, and send to: **Craven Concerts Inc., P.O. Box 12213, New Bern, NC 28561-2213. Phone: (252) 637-1119 or by email at info@cravenconcertsinc.org**

Name of Business _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Name of Contact _____ Phone# _____

Sponsorship Type _____

Performance Chosen _____

Date of Performance _____