



Nelson Arts Festival 2010 Masked Parade

Friday 15th October

Join us, with your friends, classmates, colleagues, community groups, family, or just come as an individual for the official opening of Nelson Arts Festival. This years theme is:

On the Move

Think flocks of birds, herds of animals, fleets of waka, amazing machines, settlers and migrants, falling leaves, capering clowns, twirling dancers ...movement in all its forms is the theme of this year's Masked Parade. And if the movement makes sound – all the better!

Judges will be looking for strong sound, performance in mask and representation of themes. It is possible to win combinations of prizes e.g. supreme group + creative unison+ strongest vocal group. Simple mask making & percussion booklets are available from the festival office; phone 545 8734 or email festivalenquiries@ncc.govt.nz and we'll post a booklet out to you.

Prize categories for 2010

Supreme Group Award - \$500

Judges will decide based on sound, mask performance and how the theme is represented.

Supreme Individual Mask - \$250

Judges will decide based on visual impact and total disguise

Supreme Family Mask - \$250

This can be a family of masks or a family group in masks.

Families' Judges Pick \$150

Based on groups interpretation of the theme.

Individuals' Judges Pick \$150

Based on individuals interpretation of the theme.

Merry Makers Mask Award – Two double passes to Nelson Arts Festival show's of your choice.

This is an award that keeps alive Kim Merry's commitment to creativity and to adults embracing the spirit of the Masked Parade. It will be awarded for the mask that best reflects these values in the Individual, Business, Community Group or Family sections.

For each category, schools, preschools and Business/Community Groups, there are three prizes for each category:

Daring Diversity \$150

- The most diverse representation of the themes
- The entry with the most different masks and costumes in one group

Creative Unison \$150

- Entries that are unified
- Groups of similar masks and costumes

Interesting Interpretation \$150

- Creative expression in mask and interpretation of our themes

Judges will have super effort and spot prizes to give all groups, families and individuals :

Best Community Band \$150

- For instrumentalists

Strongest Vocal Group \$150

- For Voices

Masked Parade How To Enrol

To be eligible for the Masked Parade Awards, please fill in this form and return no later than Friday 8 October to:

Masked Parade – Nelson Arts Festival

PO Box 645, Nelson. Fax 03 546 0239

For enquiries: Tel 03 545 8734 or email festivalenquiries@ncc.govt.nz

Information and assembly will be sent out when we receive your enrolment



Nelson Arts Festival
Masked Parade Enrolment Form

Group/Individual Name: _____

Address: _____

Group Leader: _____

**If group estimated number
in group:** _____

Telephone: _____

Fax: _____

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Please tick the category that you are going to enter

Pre School Group

Family

Individual

Community/Business

School

Please fax back to: 03 5460239