

RMFA Cancellation Policy for the 2021 Virtual Regina Music Festival

The Regina Music Festival Association (“**RMFA**”) has made the decision to modify the 2021 Regina Music Festival to a 100% virtual festival in the light of the Saskatchewan Health Authority (“**SHA**”) rules for the limiting the spread of the COVID-19 virus. We have made this decision with the utmost concern for the safety of all participants. This decision has posed logistical challenges to the production of the festival.

One of the challenges stemming from the SHA rules is the required 14-day self-isolation for those who are exposed to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19. The RMFA recognized the impact this may have on students who may lose up to 2 weeks of instruction in preparation for submitting their performance videos to the festival. We understand that these students may wish to withdraw their registration for the festival. However, the RMFA also has a contractual obligation to pay adjudicators in accordance with the deadline for registration. Therefore, the RMFA Board has developed the following policy regarding refunds on registration fees for participants who are required to self-isolate, and wish to cancel their registration for the festival.

1. Refunds of registration fees described below will be provided if the RMFA receives documentation from the teacher and the parent confirming that self-isolation due to exposure to the COVID-19 virus has prevented the student from receiving instruction for the period of isolation. This documentation can simply be a note from the parent stating “(name of registrant) was exposed to COVID-19 on (date) and is required to isolate beginning today until (date). The RMFA would also accept this documentation from the registrant’s teacher.
2. If the first day of mandatory self-isolation occurs between February 16, 2021 and March 15, 2021, a refund of 50% of the registration fees could be provided, unless the registrant intends to submit their performance tape(s) by the 15th of April.
3. If the first day of mandatory self-isolation occurs between March 16, 2021 and April 1, 2021, a 75% refund of registration fees could be provided unless the registrant intends to submit their performance tape(s) by the 15th of April.

Please submit any requests for refunds to info@reginamusicfestival.com.