

FRIENDS OF THE FESTIVAL NEWSLETTER



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International Facts

Did you know?

- Bangladesh is the most densely populated non-island region in the world, with more than 1,970 humans per square mile.
- The first city to reach a population of 1 million people was Rome, Italy, in 133 B.C.

November 13, 2010 • Saturday 10a.m.- 5p.m. • Wolf Pen Creek

Performer Highlight—Clickety Cloggers

Brazos Valley Worldfest first-time performers, Clickety Cloggers, is an Austin-based dance club composed of Central Texans who get together each week to perform a uniquely American dance form that is rooted in traditional Appalachian-style clogging—but with a decidedly modern flair. It is a non-profit group dedicated to preserving the clogging heritage and promoting the art of clog dancing.



Clickety Cloggers will be performing on the Community Stage on Holleman Dr. Performance time is still pending. To learn more about Clickety Cloggers, visit their website at <http://www.clicketycloggers.com/home/Home/tabid/1356/Default.aspx>.

Festival Calling for Volunteers

Brazos Valley Worldfest is looking for approximately 200 volunteers to help setup, run the festival the day of and work takedown. Volunteers will work 3 hour shifts and will receive a festival tshirt for the service. We are looking for individuals as well as organizations who are interested in committing time to a community event. Volunteers are able to receive proof of their participation if it is required by their organization.

Individuals who volunteer for Brazos Valley Worldfest do not need to have any type of international experience, just a desire to make a contribution to their community. Each volunteer is asked to attend an orientation that will allow them to be more familiar with the workings of the festival and what will be expected of them during their shift(s).

Applications must be filled out online at <http://www.brazosvalleyworldfest.org/volunteer.html>. Individuals will be informed when their application has been received. Contact Kim Fox at kfox@tamu.edu if you have any questions.



Brazos Valley Worldfest on Facebook

Brazos Valley Worldfest has just upgraded to a fan page on Facebook! This is just another way for you to be informed of up-to-the-minute happenings of the festival.

Become a fan of Brazos Valley Worldfest at <http://www.facebook.com/?ref=home#!/pages/Brazos-Valley-Worldfest/152982754728836?ref=sgm>.

Festival planners are excited about this new opportunity to spread the word about the event as well as international awareness throughout the year. Make sure to invite your friends to join as well!

We also look forward to hearing *your* comments and thoughts on the festival in cyberspace!