

VANCOUVER PRIDE SOCIETY

2011 VANCOUVER PRIDE MEDIA ACCREDITATION APPLICATION

Media is welcome and encouraged to cover the 2011 Pride Parade, Festival and events. Special permission is not required to take pictures or write about Pride, but Media Passes will get you access! Passes will allow representatives backstage access and preferred access to the parade route and VIP judging station.

Interviews may be scheduled by emailing: media@vancouverpride.ca or calling our office at 604-687-0955. Grand Marshals interviews must be scheduled by mid-July. Contact us to ensure your organization receives interview time. No off-site interviews and no unscheduled interviews with Grand Marshals will be provided on Parade Day.

To obtain your media accreditation pass, please fill out this form and return it to the mailing address listed below by July 15, 2011. Media Passes for Pride Day will only be available for pick up from our office, 304 – 1080 Howe Street, from July 18 – 22 July between 9:00 am – 3:30 pm.

Media Passes will not be available for pick up on July 31st, 2011 Pride Parade Day. Unauthorized media will be refused access to secure areas. Media passes are non-transferable and must be returned upon request by an authorized Society representative.

QUICK RULES FOR MEDIA PERSONNEL

1. The show must go on!

Interviews of performers are not permitted to begin more than 30 minutes before their show. Please do not cause a stop the parade by standing in front of moving floats for photo opportunities. Safety is our number one concern for all involved.

2. Listen to us!

Our job is to keep the parade safe, keep the flow consistent and to prevent large gaps. Please listen to any identified Volunteer, Board Member or Team Leader.

3. Respect our Volunteers!

Please remember that everyone working at Pride is volunteering their time. Without volunteers, there would be no Pride events and no media to cover!

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Media Outlet:

Contact Name:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

Website:

Outlet Type:

 TV

 Print

 Online

 Radio

Do you want to receive the Pride newsletter?

 Yes

 No

Event Requests:

Event Name	Event Date	# Passes (maximum 2)	Pickup Date
East Side Pride	June 25		
Gay Day @ Playland	July 16		
Picnic in the Park	July 23		
Pride Media Launch	July 25		
Pride Movie Night	July 28		
Caya Davie Street Dance Party powered by TELUS	July 29		
Terry Wallace Memorial Breakfast	July 30		
Pride Parade	July 31		
Sunset Beach Pride Festival	July 31		

Special Requests:

Submission:

Mail:

attn: Media Committee
Vancouver Pride Society
#304 1080 Howe Street
Vancouver BC V6Z 2T1 Canada

Fax: 604-687-0965

email: esquire@vancouverpride.ca

Office use only

Date Received:

Approved:

Date Passes Picked Up: