

High 48's Bluegrass Band Workshop for
Fiddles, Mandolins, Banjos, String Bass, Guitar

Saturday, October 17th, 2015

10:30 a.m. SloJammers & Pizza, 1:00—5:00 Workshop/Concert

Crossings at Brookwood 6201 Lilac Drive, Brooklyn Center, Minnesota

From 57th Ave N and Hwy 100—take 57th Ave N east to Fremonth, north to Lilac Drive. Street parking available. Closest bus stop is Lilac and Dupont (#22 bus)

The High 48's will provide group bluegrass fiddle, banjo, guitar, bass and mandolin instruction, including the basics of playing together as a group in either a performance or jam setting. Topics will be based on participant needs and may include arranging songs, playing backup, tune repertoire, getting the best sound out of microphones, writing a set list, and doing banter and introductions.

After the workshop, the High 48's will have a mini set; students can play one of the tunes learned at the workshop with the band. There will be a sign up for those who would like to play a tune of their choice with the band.

Since forming in 2006, The High 48s have been making music that combines the soulful sound of classic bluegrass with a modern attitude, original songs and a wide range of influences far beyond Bill Monroe, the Stanley Brothers, and Flatt and Scruggs. The band takes their name from railroad slang for the boxcars originally used to transport troops on the front lines in WWI that could carry 40 soldiers or 8 horses. The High 48's won First Place in the RockyGrass Band Competition, Lyons, CO, 2008. Other honors include: First Place, Minnesota State Duet Championship (Marty Marrone and Eric Christopher), Selection, International Bluegrass Music Association Songwriters Showcase (for Anthony Ihrig's 'Great Northern Railroad') and Music State Arts Board Grantee, Artist Initiative Grant (Eric Christopher).



Registration for High 48s Workshop

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Email address _____

Please register me for the High 48s Workshop. \$35 for members, \$45 for non-members

Check enclosed Will pay at the door (check to MSFA)

Annual dues are \$10. I'll pay \$45, please add me as a member or renew my dues.

Make check payable to MSFA and send to: MSFA, c/o Carla Manning, 1378 - 105th Lane NW, Coon Rapids, MN 55433 OR RSVP by email to mpkleven55@gmail.com and bring your check to the workshop.