The City of Somerville & the Somerville Arts Council presents:

**Somerstreets 2019**

**CALL FOR TALENT**

Interested in participating?

**Apply to perform, or provide an interactive activity!**

SomerStreets is part of the City of Somerville’s open streets initiative, closing busy city streets to vehicles, and opening them up to residents for active, family-friendly programming. Through SomerStreets, the City aims to promote and encourage easy access to physical activity, fresh foods, and reconnecting neighborhoods and businesses and their unique cultural elements in a thriving urban environment.

The SomerStreets dates are:

- **Sunday, June 2**: Carnaval, Lower Broadway (McGrath Hwy to Pennsylvania Ave) (RD June 9)

Main stage performers already confirmed for this event, if you’d like to provide an interactive activity please contact our partner Jen at East Somerville Main Streets director@eastsomervillemainstreets.org

- **Sunday, August 4**: Seize the Summer, Holland St. (Davis to Cameron Ave.)

- **Sunday, Sept 15**: Strike Up the Band, Highland Ave. (School St. to Lowell St.)

- **Sunday, Oct 20**: Monster Mashed-up, Somerville Ave. (Hawkins St. to Spring St.) (RD October 27)

All events are 2pm – 6pm, Aug & Sept dates are rain or shine, set-up starts at 12pm
We’re looking for:

- Musicians and bands to perform on our main stage
- Performance artists, dancers, and other creative people to interact with attendees
- Other groups that would like to get involved!

APPLICATION:

1. The SomerStreets event(s) you are interested in
2. Name of artist, band or group
3. Contact info: Contact person, e-mail and snail mail, phone number, and website (if applicable)
4. Brief description of performance/type of art and images, video etc. (if applicable)
5. Number of artists/performers
6. Fee requested and length of performance
7. Technical requirements
8. Somerville affiliation (if any)
9. If you’ve participated in any SomerStreets events in the past

To apply for the August, September or October SomerStreets: send the above information in an e-mail to Nina at neichner@somervillema.gov with the header “SomerStreets application” and the date(s) of the festival(s) you’d like to participate in.

For questions please contact: Nina Eichner 617-625-6600 x2998