



Summer of Love MMNG 2017

February 14, 2017

Naked Brothers!

MMNG organizers are excited to announce the opening of registration for MMNG 2017! Even as the dead of winter blankets most of the Midwest, we are well on our way to joining together again to have fun in the sun in Kansas!

The theme of MMNG 2017 – our 25th annual gathering – is “Summer of Love”. What does that mean exactly? Who the hell knows? But maybe this is a perfect theme to simply say "We gather together as we see fit, and love those whom we choose to love", be it as friends, cohorts, or companions. As always, we invite attendees to include the theme in their campsite, RV, or cabin décor and when designing costumes for evening socials. Go Retro, leap into the future, or be here in the love now!

MMNG 2016 was a transition year for our event, and we are back as strong as ever this year to welcome long time attendees as well as those who show up new to the naturist scene. However you show up this year, bring your love of nature and the human body!

What's new this year?

- **Online registration** is available for the first time. Go to **MMNG.org**
 - Mail-in and PayPal payment options are available during the online registration process
 - Tom O'Brien has done a wonderful job redesigning the website! Awesome job Tom & Justin for spearheading this!
 - PDF registration packets and traditional mail-in registration forms are available online as well.
- **Expanded RV parking** south of the pavilion and have added more power outlets
 - Electrical fees for RV camping have been increased to help fund this expansion of services
 - 50 amp RV service is available if you provide your own outlet adapter (details in RV information)
 - A designated area for those who wish to use internal RV/portable electric generators
- **10% increase** in registration fees
- **Ticket for Entry** - available at the registration table this year - just show up with your photo I.D. and let the fun begin! You won't receive a Ticket for Entry in your final packet after you register.
- **The Main Ridge** is exclusively rented to another group until noon, June 11th. If you plan on arriving early for the pre-gathering fun, remember that MMNG does not take exclusive possession of camp until Monday, June 12th at 8am. Non-MMNG campers are allowed to stay in their camping spots until Monday morning if they so desire.
- **Play areas with equipment** should be located in secluded spots or surrounded with privacy screening. This year's coordinators feel it is important to create a reasonable comfort zone. Play is still encouraged and welcomed!



25th Annual Midwest Male Naturist Gathering

Wednesday, June 14th, 2017 – Sunday, June 18th, 2017
(Pre-gathering is Noon Sunday, June 11th through Tuesday, June 13th)



Registration Forms on last three pages of this packet

Registration closes on May 31st, 2017

Join up to 200 naked men this June for the 24th Annual Midwest Male Naturist Gathering (MMNG) at Camp Gaea (pronounced guy-ah). Located about 45 minutes west of Kansas City and less than an hour from KCI Airport, Camp Gaea has 170 very private acres of hilly woodland and grassland to explore, as well as a 17 acre lake with a swimming area, dock and boats available for use. Facilities include a large open pavilion, main hall, dining hall, restroom/shower building, nine sleeping cabins with electricity, numerous camping areas, and an expanded graveled lot with RV access.

During MMNG, seminars and workshops on a variety of topics are offered, cocktail socials and dances are held, and generous meals keep everyone full. At other times you can play volleyball, soak up the sun, swim, boat or fish on the lake. If you prefer, you can just sit in the shade and enjoy the abundant wildlife around you. The only "purpose" of MMNG is to share some fun time with a great bunch of naked guys!



MMNG 2017 officially runs from 9am Wednesday, June 14th through noon on Sunday, June 18th. For an additional fee you are welcome to arrive as early as noon on Sunday, June 11th in order to extend the experience to a full week. However, we will not have exclusive use of the camp until 8am Monday morning June 12th. There are no formal activities scheduled, and **no meals are provided** until lunch on Wednesday 14th, but well over 100 MMNG attendees typically come early to help set up for MMNG, do projects to improve the camp, cook together, and enjoy creating a week of magic. There is also plenty of time to relax, visit and just have fun.

Men make MMNG what it is!

It's the guys attending the gathering that make MMNG what it is. Men attending MMNG are friendly and new attendees are always surprised as to how welcoming and inclusive we are. The event is small enough that you get to know people and they get to know you. Expect to mix and socialize with fun guys of widely varied looks, ages, and backgrounds.

Most attendees are from the Midwest but any male aged 21 or over may attend. Some of the men belong to organized nudist groups or regularly visit nude beaches, but for many this is a first-time or once-a-year experience.



Something Old, Something New.....

Every year MMNG is a new experience based on what has worked, or not worked, in previous years. If you have attended or heard about other gay male gatherings like those sponsored by GNI and IMEN you will find MMNG to be much smaller with a relaxed pace and atmosphere (as well as a lot less expensive). We do our best to schedule plenty of events for those who wish to keep busy while remembering that we all want a break from the busy world we've left behind. This year's planning committee is doing its best to maintain the energy and feel of previous events while leaving plenty of room for attendees to take control and responsibility for their own fun. MMNG attendees are GREAT at making fun happen!!!

Workshops, Socials, and Movie Night

If you want to lead a workshop, activity, or Social event, please fill out the forms on the last page of this packet. Every year different MMNG attendees offer their experience to the group via workshops and activities. It changes from year to year, and all attendees are invited to share with the group. New activities last year included a drumming circle, and Hillbilly Shower. Spiritual and nature based activities are just as welcomed as those promoting bawdy brotherhood! Events can be scheduled after you arrive at camp, or you can be more proactive by contacting David: david_7f@hotmail.com

We are also looking for men to coordinate and run a cocktail social event. MMNG has a budget to help with expenses. Please fill out the form on the last page, or contact David.

If you want to coordinate movie nights at MMNG please contact Dave before April 15th.

Lovin' Spoonful

The theme for MMNG 2017 will be "Summer of Love". Let's have fun with this! Costumes and decorations are encouraged! We will incorporate this theme into the shows and the decorations we put up. How about decorating your tent site or your cabin to fit the theme (but remember tent sites do not have electricity)? Our Summer of Love can range from 1960's throwbacks to whatever you can imagine. Let's revel in hard won freedoms to love & play with whom we so choose, as well as frolic in the woods as we abandon ourselves to the Kansas summer sun!

Food and shelter

During MMNG all food is provided with a simple breakfast, generous lunch and dinner, and it is much better than what you would get at a Circus snack bar! Unlimited iced tea, lemonade, and ice water will be available at all times. Snacks will also be provided throughout the day. Limited vegetarian menu items will be available and we will try to assist those with special food needs. You must provide your own soft drinks and alcoholic beverages. Please note that during the pre-gathering period **NO MEALS** are provided, as the main function of the cooks, at that time, is to get the kitchen ready for MMNG. Plan ahead and bring some extra food with you or plan to make trips into Leavenworth or Tonganoxie. Groups hosting cocktail parties may supply alcoholic beverages, soft drinks, and snacks but quantities will be limited. Also remember that only the cooks will have access to the kitchen. You are responsible for your own personal food storage in your campsite/cabin/RV. Bags of ice are available on site for \$1.50. MMNG does not guarantee that ice will be available for purchase at all times, but will do what we can to make it happen.

The price of MMNG is the same whether you camp in a tent or bunk in a cabin but slightly higher if you use an RV or need electricity. Cabins have electricity but no bathrooms, are rustic, and can be crowded. We call that "ambiance." Men looking for a 5 star hotel experience will need to book their rooms somewhere else! There are very limited hookups for RVs which are available on a first-registered, first-served bases. Some tent sites are shady and some receive lots of sun, some are level and some aren't, but there is lots of room to spread out. Electricity, running water, showers, flush toilets and porta-potties are available at the camp in various locations so you are not expected to live like cave men. Please do not come expecting plush facilities. Just expect the basics and a lot of fun with naked men! Electrical outlets are available at the pavilion and in cabins to charge cell phones.

Having an impact! RV World

Camp Gaea charges RV campers an **RV Vehicle Impact Fee** and an **Electrical Usage Fee**. MMNG sets the price of fees we collect for vehicle impact and electricity usage. We then pay Camp Gaea the money which is due, and use the remaining funds to help maintain the RV area and camp roads. Paying the **Vehicle Impact Fee** does not guarantee electrical access! If you register for electrical usage and no outlets are available, we will contact you and either refund your registration fees in full, or the electrical access fee (as you so desire). There are no dumping facilities on-site. The impact fee is charged **each time** your RV vehicle enters and exits the camp, so if you leave and return, you must pay it again. All other vehicles can come and go without paying impact fees. The graveled RV parking area is immediately south of the pavilion.

MMNG funded an expansion of the RV area in late 2016 which will make it much easier for everyone. Parking in the RV area will still be tight depending upon how many come and under most circumstances you will not be able to move your RV until the event is over (Sunday, 12pm) due to tight quarters. RV's are parked by a coordinator as they enter the event. If you know you need to leave before MMNG ends, let the coordinator know so that you can be parked accordingly. As you can tell, Camp Gaea is not an RV park with typical RV amenities, but is very welcoming of people who wish to use their RV for camping. If you have ANY questions regarding RV access, fee structure, or electrical access, please email RV coordinator Franz: Franzmar1@aol.com

For MMNG 2017 the **Vehicle Impact Fee** will be based on RV type and where it is parked. Those in cabins and tents don't pay an impact fee. Any RV's, campers or trailers parked in the graveled lot next to the pavilion must pay for electricity. Pop-ups, vans, pick-up campers, and small trailers can park in the RV area, and can also choose to park in tenting areas south of the Main Ridge if weather and ground conditions permit. We want to avoid rutting or tearing up the grass at camp. Those using vans or pick-up campers do **NOT** have to pay an IMPACT FEE fee unless they park in the graveled RV area,. Those with small trailers or pop-ups **must pay a Vehicle Impact Fee** no matter where they are parked.

The MMNG **Vehicle Impact Fee** is assessed per vehicle, **not** per person. If there are multiple attendees in a camper, there is still only one fee for that vehicle. If you will be staying in an RV or camper during MMNG please indicate on your registration form the person paying the Vehicle Impact Fee for that unit if you are not paying it. If you arrive early or stay after, you do NOT have to pay an additional Impact Fee; just don't go "in and out." Let the caretaker know that you have already paid it when you paid for MMNG.

MMNG ELECTRICAL USAGE FEES

- \$0** Cabins (have electricity available) & Vans, Pick-up Campers, Tents with NO electrical plug-in
- \$10** Tents (with medical needs 110v electricity - must provide your own extension cords to reach outlet
- \$20** 15 amp plug-in for RVs with NO air conditioners
- \$35** 30 amp RV electrical plug-in for RVs with only **1x A/C unit allowed**
- \$55** 50 amp RV service for large RVs. You must provide your own adapter to go from two 30 amp outlets to 50 amp cord. These are available from Camping World and other places.

Powering up the fun!

If you want to use electricity at Camp Gaea, your choices are restricted since the camp has a limited capacity to handle nonessential electrical needs. Cabins and main buildings have basic electricity available but there are limited electrical connections accessible in the tenting areas. These connections are available only for medical reasons (e.g., a CPAP machine) and are designated on a first-registered, first-served basis. The electrical connections for the tenting area cannot be used to charge cell phones/cameras/laptops, power lights, decorations, or to play music. In short, anything unrelated to a medical need is not allowed on these outlets. This will be strictly enforced. Event coordinators have final say on electrical usage and fees. Electrical outlets are available on the north side of the pavilion to charge your electronic equipment as needed.

For those with RVs, the number of 30 amp & standard 15 amp electrical hookups in the designated RV area is limited. Only one AC unit can be run on 30 amp service, and NO AC units can be run on 15 amp service. MMNG staff will coordinate and assign the outlets upon arrival. MMNG staff has final say if questions arise. Remember to bring heavy-duty extension cords of sufficient length. MMNG will not provide extension cords. Electrical generators may be used but those doing so must park south of the pavilion near the "Elysium" camping area, and we request that you limit such usage and respect your neighbors due to the sound and fumes such generators produce. No portable generators are allowed in any tenting area. No RVs or vehicles of any kind including cars and trucks are allowed on the main camping ridge. This area is reserved for tents only. Portable generators will **NOT** be allowed in the tent camping areas. Soil conditions permitting, cars and trucks are allowed to drive onto the ridge for unloading/loading purposes only.

MMNG encourages attendees to come up with creative, self-sustaining ways of doing lighting. There are many types of solar lights and units available to provide decoration, lighting and entertainment. Some attendees have even charged large batteries during the day to bring into the camping area for use at night.



Party 'til you drop?

With respect to those who are "morning people" and local ordinances, loud late night music and other noisy activities will end by 11pm or midnight depending on the night. Attendees may do quiet activities as late as they wish. We hope to provide an enjoyable experience for all attendees. Please realize that on the bluff your voice will carry, so remember to "tone things down" after 11pm. You can be up all night if you wish but please respect the rights of others to get some rest.

Wanna be in pictures?



Still-photo cameras are welcome at MMNG. Attendees may choose NOT to be photographed during the gathering and will be identified with a special red nametag. Non-photo attendees will **not** be allowed to take pictures of other attendees. Video cameras will not be allowed on camp grounds. Digital cameras with minimal video capacity will be allowed but you are asked to refrain from using video features. The video capability of cell phones should also not be used. Please respect the privacy of all the attendees. Guys with red nametags should NOT be photographed.

The use of a camera at MMNG is a privilege and can be revoked or limited by MMNG staff at any time. All attendees have the right to ask any photographer not to photograph them at any time. When using a camera at this private event, photographers agree that the images taken are for personal use and will not be used or displayed in any public venue or publication without specific written permission from those pictured. We are happy to report that in the past attendees have been very respectful of these guidelines.

There will be a private "MMNG 2017 Attendees Only" Yahoo group with an online photo album available after MMNG for attendees to display the photos they took at the event. Information on accessing this album will be provided in your packet of materials when you arrive at MMNG. Please share your photos with everyone in the group.

Come early and stay late!

MMNG officially runs from 9am Wednesday through NOON Sunday, but you are welcome to arrive early or stay late. The pre-gathering period from noon Sunday through Tuesday is very popular. MMNG will have exclusive use of Camp Gaea from 8am on Monday until Sunday at noon. The camp is open for business before and after the event for non-

exclusive use at Gaea's regular camping fees. If you arrive before Sunday or wish to stay after MMNG, check in and pay at Phoenix Hall. MMNG will collect camping fees for Sunday thru Sunday and pay Camp Gaea the appropriate fee. This year the main camping ridge is rented out to another group who has exclusive use of the ridge until noon, Sunday June 11th. While all other areas of the camp are open for camping during this weekend, MMNG campers can begin setting up on the ridge only after Noon, Sunday June 11th. MMNG wants to promote a spirit of friendship to others who use Camp Gaea! Please be patient as you wait for a favored campsite to open up. You can view Camp's website and calendar of events at: gaearetreat.org Many wonderful and interesting people camp at Camp Gaea each year. Coming early and staying late is a great way to get a feel for what camp is like during non-MMNG time.

Register early!

Only 200 registrations will be accepted. If a sell-out occurs, excess applications will be returned when received. No registrations will be accepted after May 31st or at the gate. Space cannot be held without full payment. An option to pay with Visa, MC, or American Express via PayPal is available with an additional \$10 service fee. A confirmation letter and/or email will be sent shortly after a registration is accepted, and then all registrants will receive a final information packet with detailed directions and other information in mid to late May.

For security reasons, you will need a legal photo ID when you arrive at camp and must sign a Ticket for Entry when you register. If you leave the camp, you may be asked to show your nametag to regain entry. During MMNG you are not required to stay overnight at the camp but exit and re-entry may be limited.

So what's this gonna cost me?

MMNG is a not-for-profit endeavor. Fees are set to cover expected/planned costs including very modest host fees. Excess funds raised are distributed to gay/naturist causes that benefit all of us or to improve the camp and MMNG in the future. Here is the MMNG 2017 fee schedule which has increased since last year:

Regular Registration Fees		
	check/money order	credit card(PayPal)
Arriving Sunday (noon or after):	\$260	\$270
Arriving Monday:	\$250	\$260
Arriving Tuesday:	\$235	\$245
Arriving Wed., Thur., Fri., or Sat:	\$220	\$230

We do **NOT** offer a one-night or day-only rate during the event since we want to encourage attendees, even local ones, to stay as long as possible to enhance the full gathering experience.

The IMPACT FEE and Electrical Usage Fee, as described earlier, is in addition to this Regular Registration Fee. See the Registration Form for details about payment using a credit card as well as a new option - online registration at MMNG.org

Fly on in?

The good news is that airline ticket prices to Kansas City International Airport are usually reasonable. The bad news is that the camp is nearly an hour away and we do NOT offer a shuttle bus service. Your options are to rent a vehicle or to arrange a ride with friends. MMNG will distribute a list of attendees who plan to fly in so you can arrange to share rental vehicles and will also organize volunteer pick-up drivers. Please indicate on your application if you wish to be included on these lists. If you do arrange a ride, it is suggested that you pay your volunteer driver \$25 each way.

Fun and Friendly Vendors

MMNG is a place for fun and for some, fun always includes shopping in the KC area. In the past few years several guys have asked if they could sell their wares, so each year we offer them the chance. We don't want the event to resemble a flea market, however, so anyone attending the event that plans on selling merchandise or services must get approval from the MMNG Coordinator **PRIOR** to the event. Vendors are expected to register and pay full registration fees. MMNG does not charge a vendor fee; however, we do expect that each vendor will make an appropriate donation of items to be used in either MMNG activities or the MMNG Auction. MMNG retains the right to limit selling to specified areas and times. MMNG also retains the right to deny or restrict sales and vendors as desired.



Nudity is required!

Camp Gaea allows nudity in limited areas (the ridge and beach) most of the year. Prior to 8am on Monday when MMNG begins exclusive use of the camp and after noon the following Sunday, nudity is limited to those areas. You may wear sarongs, towels and skimpy items. Starting at 8am Monday, MMNG attendees are welcome to use the entire facility nude or clothed (some newbies need time to adjust). Beginning Wednesday, when MMNG formally begins, complete nudity is **mandatory** unless weather or safety issues require clothing, since MMNG is a nudist, not a clothing-optional event.

Regarding sexual expression...

While many people equate nudity with sex, naturists know that these are two different things. We are not prudes, but we know there is much more to enjoy about being naked than just sex! During MMNG we allow attendees to make up their own minds about their personal behavior. We ask that you respect the rights of other attendees wherever you are and adjust your private behavior appropriately. Do not be offended if asked to move your activity to a more secluded location. Play areas with equipment should be located in secluded spots or surrounded with privacy screening. Also, please remember that "NO" means "NO" and any sort of harassment or intimidation will not be tolerated. As always, if you do play, play safe! We want to see you around for many years to come!

Now for the Fine Print...

- Fees include cabin, tent or RV site, scheduled meals, snacks, coffee, iced tea, lemonade, full use of camp facilities and an MMNG mug.
- You must wear your MMNG nametag at all times. If you lose your nametag a new one will be made.
- Cancellation Policy: Individual notice of cancellation prior to May 1st will receive a full refund. Cancellation received May 1 through May 31st will be refunded all fees minus a \$30 service charge. There will be no refunds after May 31st (including no-shows).
- In the unlikely event of a full gathering cancellation, ALL fees would be refunded.
- **PETS, FIREARMS, FIREWORKS** and **VIDEO CAMERAS** are **NOT** allowed at this event.
- Special accommodations for individuals who are physically challenged are limited. Please contact us if you have any concerns.
- Abuse of alcohol or use of illegal drugs will result in eviction without refund of fees.
- This gathering is a nudist – NOT a clothing-optional – event so, within the limits of safety, nudity is required.
- Footwear is essential for safety and should be worn most times.
- Parking and driving of RV's, cars, vans, trucks and trailers may be restricted to specific locations in camp.

Four ways to get in contact with MMNG:

1. E-mail (Justin Osadjan., MMNG 2017 Coordinator): MidwestMaleNaturistGathering@gmail.com
2. E-mail (Bruce Anderson, MMNG 2017 Treasurer): bakc9182@gmail.com
mail: 46 E 52nd St, KC, MO 64112
3. E-mail (Jerry Gendah, MMNG 2017 Registrar): mmng@thornhill-farm.com
4. Website: www.mmng.org

Registration, activity, and vendor forms on next pages

For over 20 years, Mike Donais, Doug Marth, and Terry T. served our MMNG community tirelessly, and we thank them for creating a wonderful legacy. 2016 was a hallmark year for MMNG because we were a brand new group of coordinators. This year we hope to have fewer hiccups and look forward to a fun camping event! We will have an information meeting during the event for those interested in offering their help for MMNG 2018. A new MMNG tradition is forming to take us down the road, and YOU can be a part of it!

MMNG 2017 REGISTRATION FORM

Please **TYPE** or **PRINT** clearly and provide **ALL** information. One person per form. Photocopy and give to friends!

First Name		Last Name	
Street Address			
City		State	Zip + 4
Phone Number with Area Code		Email Address	
Name on Nametag		Partner's Name (if applicable)	



- Please check your age category. 21 to 35 36 to 49 50 to 64 65 and up
 - How do you want to receive your registration information and final packet?
 - Send via email listed above Send via the US postal mail
 - Do you belong to a "local" naturist/nudist group?
 - No Yes? Which group: _____
 - How did you find out about MMNG 2017?
 - Attended previously MMNG Web Site Gay Naturist Group
 - Friend News article or Ad Other: _____
 - **Accommodation:** I plan to stay in a:
 - Cabin Tent Pick-up Camper Van/SUV
 - Camper Trailer RV/motor home/Bus Pop-up Camper
- RV size: Length _____ Ft. - Plug-In Needs None 15amp/medical 20amp 30amp 50amp
- RV, Camper, Bus or Pop-up Trailer = **ONE** attendee in your group must pay the MMNG Impact/Electrical Fee

Person Paying Impact/Electrical Fee _____

- **Registration Fees:** Sunday arrival NOON or later. MMNG formally opens on Wednesday at 9am.

	Day of Arrival:	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday		
A.	Registration	<input type="checkbox"/> \$260	<input type="checkbox"/> \$250	<input type="checkbox"/> \$235	<input type="checkbox"/> \$220		
B.	Vehicle Impact Fee (Only one fee per unit)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0 Cabin/Tent/or if another person is paying impact fee	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0 Car, Small Truck, Van, SUV	<input type="checkbox"/> \$20 RV, Camper trailer, Pop-up Camper, Pickup Camper, Bus, Motor Home, etc Camping vehicles with one axle or greater			
C.	Electrical Fee (Only one fee per unit)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0 If another person is paying electric fee	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0 Cabin, RV, Camper, Bus, or Tent (no electricity)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 15amp/110v plug-in tenting area (only medical use)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$20 15amp/110v plug-in RV/Camper area No A/C allowed	<input type="checkbox"/> \$35 30 amp RV outlet RV/Camper area 1 A/C unit allowed	<input type="checkbox"/> \$55 50 amp RV outlet RV/Camper area 2x A/C units allowed
D.	Payment Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0 Check/Money Order *			<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 Credit Card via PAYPAL **		

Calculate Your Total Fee Using Amounts From Chart Above:

A. _____ + **B.** _____ + **C.** _____ + **D.** _____ = _____
 (Registration) (Impact Fee) (Electrical Fee) (Payment Fee) **Pay This Total**

*Make your check or money order (U.S. funds only) payable to **Bruce Anderson**

****Go to www.paypal.com and make the payment to the account of: bakc9182@gmail.com**
You must mail your paper registration form, register online, or email a copy to **Bruce before May 31st, 2017**

➤ **Additional Information:** Please check any that apply.

- I expect to be flying in to KCI. Please add me to the Flyer List.
- I would be happy to pick someone up at KCI Airport. Please add me to the Driver List.
- I desire a vegetarian menu. Specify needs: _____
- I do **NOT** want to be photographed or take pictures. (Your name tag color will indicate this.)
- I do **NOT** want my contact information released to other MMNG attendees or to receive their contact info.
- Medical concerns/needs (Allergies, etc.). Please specify. _____

Do you want this information put on your nametag? Yes No

Please specify any other special needs while at camp: _____

➤ **Helping Hands:** To keep event costs low we need all MMNG attendees to pitch in to make this festival what it is: a community run event. We need at least 2 hours of volunteer help per attendee, and the more hours worked the merrier! Gate security on Monday and Tuesday is important and key to getting our event up and running each year. Volunteering is fun and a great way to get to know other attendees. There will be signup sheets at the registration table in the Dining Hall when you arrive. Men at the entrance gate can direct you there when you arrive.

➤ **Emergency Contact:** Please note that an emergency **OFF-SITE, non MMNG attendee contact** is required. If you have privacy concerns, please seal the information in an envelope and leave it with us when you register. We will open it only if an emergency occurs and this info will be destroyed at the end of MMNG. Please print clearly.

Name _____ Daytime Phone (_____) _____

Address _____ Nighttime Phone (_____) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Relationship to Attendee _____

If you are gay/bi, does this person know you are gay/bi? Yes No I am NOT gay/bi

Does this person know you are attending a nudist event? Yes No

➤ **Release of information to Earth Rising, Inc.:**

Earth Rising, Inc. is the nonprofit organization that owns and operates Camp Gaea. While Camp Gaea is rented to MMNG exclusively during our event, camp is open for use and has events taking place year round. Information from this form may be reviewed by ERI.

➤ **Waiver of Liability/Release:**

I hereby waive any and all claims for personal injury, property damage, or any other injury, of any kind or character whatsoever, against Earth Rising, Inc./Camp Gaea and the organizers of the Midwest Male Nudist Gathering, their officers, directors, agents, employees, and volunteers and hereby release the foregoing from any liability and claims which may arise from, or occur as a result of my participation in and attendance of the 2017 Midwest Male Nudist Gathering.

I have read this Waiver, Release, and Indemnity in full. I fully understand and comprehend the risk of personal injury, property damage, or other injuries due to my participation in and attendance at this event and hereby agree to assume such risk.

In further consideration for the opportunity to participate in and attend the 2017 Midwest Male Nudist Gathering, I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless Earth Rising, Inc./Camp Gaea and the organizers of the Midwest Male Nudist Gathering, its officers, directors, agents, and volunteers from and against any and all claims of third parties for personal injury and or property damage which may result from or be caused by my own intention, deliberate, or grossly negligent conduct. This indemnity shall survive my participation in and attendance of this event.

I also understand and comprehend that the camp is subject to all local, state, and federal laws, that Earth Rising, Inc./Camp Gaea, nor the Midwest Male Nudist Gathering condones or encourages the violation of these laws, and that Earth Rising, Inc./Camp Gaea, nor the Midwest Male Nudist Gathering is to be held in any way responsible should individuals or groups of persons act on their own behalf in violation of any local, state, or federal law.

And finally, I will abide by all guidelines and policies presented to me by Earth Rising, Inc./Camp Gaea and the organizers of the Midwest Male Nudist Gathering and will leave the property of Earth Rising, Inc./Camp Gaea immediately if asked without requirement of notice, refund or any compensation of any sort.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Please mail completed application and total registration fee made payable to **Bruce Anderson** to:

Bruce Anderson, 46 E 52nd St, Kansas City, MO 64112-2848

You will receive further information via email or U.S. Mail shortly after acceptance (or denial) of this registration. A final packet with detailed maps and directions will be mailed in **LATE MAY**.

Help Create MMNG Fun !!

My Group/Business/I would like to help out with:

Cocktail Party Host(s): Up to \$300 reimbursement for food & beverages

Groups or businesses who would like to host a cocktail party or social during MMNG can get some help paying for the food and drink they will serve. Groups must purchase, prepare, set-up and serve their own food and drink and clean up afterwards. There are a limited number of these socials and they must be pre-approved by MMNG. This is a great way to show off your group or business and support MMNG.

Activity, Workshop, Demonstration, or Game Leader: Up to \$100 reimbursement for supplies (Must be pre-approved in advance to receive reimbursement.)

Activity Examples: Volleyball, Croquet, Bocce Ball, Bingo, Body Painting, Talent/No-Talent Acts, Nude Exercises, Nature Hike. Workshop Examples: Massage, Body Casting, Relationships, AIDS Awareness, Painting, Photography, Beading, Rainy Day activities.

Please describe: _____

Other: _____

Name _____ Group Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone (____) _____ E-Mail _____

Mail this info in with your registration form

OR e-mail it to: : bakc9182@gmail.com

MMNG Vendor Request Form

MMNG will allow a limited number of individuals or businesses to sell products or services during MMNG. Vendors are expected to be paid attendees of the event and thus must register like everyone else. MMNG is not charging a vendor fee; however, we do expect that each vendor will make an appropriate donation of items to be used in either activities or the MMNG Pink Elephant Auction. MMNG retains the right to limit selling to specified areas and times. MMNG also retains the right to restrict sales and vendors as desired. The MMNG Coordinator must approve all vendor requests.

Name _____ Business _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone (____) _____ E-Mail _____

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