

WHAT: Music on the Green Concert Series WHERE: Riverside Park Bandshell (corner of Main St. and River St.) in Saranac Lake WHEN: Wednesdays from 7 to 9pm

## History

In 2014, the Village of Saranac Lake established the Downtown Advisory Board (DAB), a group comprised of downtown business and property owners, downtown event representatives, and downtown residents who volunteer their time to make recommendations to the Saranac Lake Village Board of Trustees. One of the first actions of DAB was to form a committee to breathe new energy into the downtown concert series in Saranac Lake and help to establish the village as a cultural hub. This is how Music on the Green (MOTG) was born. The MOTG Summer Concert Series provides free weekly concerts during the summer thanks to volunteer support, business sponsorships, and grants. In the past, Berkeley Green in Downtown Saranac Lake served as the venue, while today, the bandshell in Riverside Park is the MOTG stage.

## Overview

Performers are recruited that showcase local, regional, and national talent as well as the diversity within the music scene. For each concert, one group will be chosen as the performer and is expected to play for the duration of the evening (with one set-break). Set up for each concert will take place in Riverside Park, rain or shine, up to 4 hours prior to showtime. Sound production is provided. The at concert amenities are limited, but can be discussed at time of contract. Groups are welcome to share logos, photos, and other graphics that they would like to see used for promotion. Each concert is free, family friendly, and attracts anywhere from 70 to 300+ people. This is an annual series, so please get in touch for the following year if it does not work out for the upcoming season.

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