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Christine Archibald
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Dear Ms. Archibald,

The Miles Nadal Jewish Community Centre and the Bloor Annex BIA are hosting the 13th. Festival On Bloor on Sunday, June 14, 2009.

Bloor Street West will be closed to traffic between Spadina Avenue and Bathurst Street. The Festival runs from 12 noon to 6 PM and provides live entertainment, stage, bands, and over 80 artisans and craft people.

The restaurants participate in the festival through sponsorship. In addition, some opt to have a temporary extension of a liquor license. These restaurants extend their patios out in front of their establishments to the curb of the sidewalk as per L.L.B.O requirements.

It will be their responsibility however to obtain any specific licenses required by the City for their individual businesses. None of the restaurants have shown an interest to date, and in the past years only one or two have actually taken advantage of this.

We are requesting blanket permission for restaurants between Spadina and Bathurst to serve alcohol on the sidewalk on June 14, 2009, between 12 noon and 6 PM, and would appreciate it if you would include our request on the agenda for the next committee meeting.

We hope the Community Council lends their support to our festival again this year.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Landriault
Fundraising Events Coordinator
Miles Nadal JCC
By fax



