24th Annual FREE Sunflower River Blues and Gospel Festival

(Lineups are subject to change – visit website: <u>www.sunflowerfest.org</u> for updates

The 2011 Festival is celebrating the lives of our 'Sunflower Family' – musicians/ artists/ key contributors in our history for more than two decades until their recent deaths. James Alford, Michael James, Wesley Jefferson, Big Jack Johnson, Sarah Moore, and Foster "Tater" Wiley.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 2011 – MAIN STAGE – Adjacent to the Delta Blues Museum

4:15 – 4:45 p.m. – Delta Blues Museum Band 5:00 – 5:45 p.m. – Richard "Daddy Rich" Crisman 6:00 – 6:45 p.m. – Deuce & Quarter Band 7:00 – 7:45 p.m. – TCB Blues Band 8:00 – 8:45 p.m. – Josh "Razorblade" Stewart 9:00 – 10:00 p.m. – David Brinston 10:00 –11:00 p.m. – Nathaniel Kimble

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 2011 - MAIN STAGE

- 1:00 1:30 p.m. Neicy Kayinessa
- 1:45 2:30 p.m. Terry "Harmonica" Bean
- 2:45 3:30 p.m. All Night Long Band
- 3:45 4:30 p.m. Dr. Feelgood Potts
- 4:45 5:30 p.m. Terry "Big T" Williams and Family Band
- 5:45 6:00 p.m. Tribute to Blues Legends
- 6:15 7:00 p.m. Bill "Howl-N-Mad Perry
- 7:15 8:00 p.m. Earnest "Guitar" Roy
- 8:00 –8:15 p.m. –Presentation of Early Wright Blues Heritage Award and Julius Guy Gospel Heritage Awards
- 8:15 9:15 p.m. Johnny Rawls
- 9:30 10:30 p.m. Dorothy Moore

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 2011 – ACOUSTIC STAGE NO. 1

- 9:00 a.m. Arthneice "Gas Man" Jones
- 9:45 a.m. Robert Belfour
- 10:35 a.m. Eddie Cusic
- 11:20 a.m. Pat Thomas
- 12:00 noon T-Model Ford
- 12:45 p.m. Shardee Turner & Rising Star Fife and Drum Band

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 2011 – ACOUSTIC STAGE NO. 2

1:00 p.m. - Mellow Blues
1:35 p.m. - Charles Fowler
2:10 p.m. - Anthony Sherard
2:45 p.m. - Lucious Spiller
3:15 p.m. - Bill Abel & Cadillac John
3:50 p.m. - Kenny Brown
4:30 p.m. - Jimmy "Duck" Holmes
5:05 p.m. - Johnny Lowe Bow

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 2011 – GOSPEL FESTIVAL- CLARKSDALE CIVIC AUDITORIUM

5:00 – 5:30 p.m. – Chris Coleman 5:45 – 6:30 p.m. – Chapel Hill Male Chorus 6:45 – 7:30 p.m. – The Myles Family 7:45 – 8:45 p.m. – TBA

The Sunflower River Blues and Gospel Festival is produced by the Sunflower River Blues Association – a 501 c 3 non-profit organization – composed of bi-racial volunteers – 50 percent African-American – 50 percent Caucasian - who donate their time and services all year to showcase the unique cultural heritage of Mississippi Delta blues and gospel music. New members are welcome to join and attend meetings at the Delta Blues Museum. Membership dues are \$15 per year. Tax-exempt donations are welcome, needed, and may be mailed to the Sunflower River Blues Association, Box 1562, Clarksdale, Miss. 38614. Many thanks. For additional information, view www.sunflowerfest.org