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Subject: Re: SXSW

Posted by [Aaron Allen](#) on Sat, 04 Apr 2009 06:25:01 GMT

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nah, no idea how much. Lost interest in that years ago.

AA

"James McCloskey" <[excelsm@hotmail.com](mailto:excelsm@hotmail.com)> wrote in message  
news:49c568f7\$1@linux...

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> I think SXSW, is now getting diluted. They have major acts and touring

> acts

> steeling the thunder from the little guy trying to make it. Now it's

> about

> showcasing an established act. This is like The independent film

> festivals,

> at one time it was a chance for the little guy and his camera to get

> noticed

> and get a deal. Now all of the independent film festivals are full of

> multimillion

> dollar budget films filled with top motion picture movie stars. How is

> that

> independent?

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> It becomes hard to even get in to these festivals now. I can only imagine

> what it costs a band to go to SXSW and play. Has anybody played SXSW, or

> knows what it costs?

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> <http://apnews.excite.com/article/20090321/D9728PP80.html>

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