

IT firm takes centre stage at festival

AWARD-Winning IT solutions consultancy, Ramsac in Godalming, has been appointed to provide wirelessly enabled internet and e-mail access at this year's V Festival.

This is the third time that the company has secured the contract for the Virgin Mobile sponsored festival which takes place in Chelmsford

next month and features a some of the biggest names on the UK music scene.

Each of the 80 acts scheduled to appear over the weekend have individual production teams requiring access to internet and e-mail.

Ramsac will be setting up a secure connection for the organisers to connect to their office via a Citrix enabled net-

work. The work will also ensure that three out of the four live music stages have wireless access backstage for production teams to access information from their dressing rooms.

"We have a dedicated support team on hand throughout the weekend to ensure that all technical problems are rectified as soon as possi-

ble," said Ramsac's technical consultant, Paul Mew.

"Some of the supporting acts only have limited in their dressing rooms, so it is essential that they are able to access the internet and their e-mails instantly." Director of the V Festival, Bob Angus said: "It is very important that the production teams of the headline and supporting acts

have internet access and as the festival promoters, we must have access to our company network to co-ordinate all event logistics.

"Ramsac has provided excellent backstage IT support for the past two years and we're happy that they have decided to accept the challenge for the third year running."