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Arts & Crafts Vendor Rules Fire Ant Festival 2024 March 22-23, 2024

- 1. Official deadline for food and Arts + Crafts vendor applications will be March 8, 2024. A signed application must be received by 3:00 PM. Any application that is not signed will not be accepted. No refunds are given after Feb. 23, 2024. There is no rain date.
- 2. The Fire Ant Festival Committee reserves the right to limit booths. If accepted, you will receive written confirmation.
- 3. By being a vendor at the Fire Ant Festival, you assume the risk and hereby releases and agrees to release the Fire Ant Festival, its members, and all persons organizing, sponsoring, or assisting the festival from any and all liability, losses, and or claims arising out of participation in the Fire Ant Festival.
- 4. Exhibitors may not sublease, assign, or apportion their assigned space without express, written approval of the Festival Committee. No more than one organization may exhibit in a single space.
- 5. Exhibitors shall conduct business from within the confines of their assigned space.
- 6. Exhibitors will be required to keep their space neat and attractive. They will be responsible for picking up their own trash.
- 7. CHILDREN MUST BE SUPERVISED AT ALL TIMES.
- 8. No pets allowed.
- 9. Exhibitors are responsible for collecting and paying Georgia Sales Tax and reporting earnings to IRS.
- 10. Offensive subject matter will be removed from the show. No radios, tape players, offensive noise, or distractions are permitted in booth spaces. THERE WILL BE ABSOLUTELY NO FIRECRACKERS, POPPERS, FLATULATION SIMULATORS, FAKE CIGARETTES, TOY GUNS, SILLY STRING, BRASS KNUCKLES, GUNS OR WEAPONS (including pocket knives) OR ANYTHING OF THIS NATURE SOLD AT THE FESTIVAL. VENDORS VIOLATING THIS RULE WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE FESTIVAL AND ESCORTED OUT BY LAW ENFORCEMENT WITH NO REFUND.
- 11. <u>Set up will be on Friday, March 22, 2024 from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.</u> There will be entertainment in the park beginning at 7:00pm and the carnival will be open Friday night so plan accordingly. Alternative <u>set-up time is on Saturday, March 23 from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 am.</u> Vehicles must be out of the vending area on Saturday, March 23 at 8:00am.
- 12. You are not allowed to drive into the vending area any time before the festival is closed due to the safety of those in attendance. <u>The earliest you may have a vehicle to load out is 6:00 p.m.</u> Please leave your space as you found it clean of ALL trash and debris.
- 13. Absolutely no generators will be permitted at the festival. If you require electricity, please pay for a booth with electricity. We do not supply any cords for the vendors. Please bring at least 150' of cord.