

## **CRITERIA AND RULES FOR PARTICIPATION**

1. Merchandise and services displayed and sold should not present a hazard to the public. Items such as sparklers, fireworks, knives, firearms, canned string, fart sprays, drug paraphernalia, etc. will not be permitted. Knives may be permitted depending on packaging and will be the up to the committee as to accept the items.
2. The Festival Committee reserves the right to limit the number of vendors selling any type of merchandise and to exclude any display or merchandise for any reason.
3. You will receive verification that your booth has been accepted into the show by email only therefore it is important for you to include your email address on the application or you will not receive the verification.
4. Booths accepted for participation must fit within the space purchased. This includes tie downs, trailer tongues, pop-up windows, etc. Encroachment on adjacent spaces is not permitted.
5. Only items which have been listed on the application and approved by the Festival Committee will be allowed for sale or display at your booth. Food items are allowed for sale only in designated areas.
6. Subletting a booth or any part of a booth to any other person or organization not listed on the application is strictly prohibited and could result in expulsion.
7. Vendors are responsible for collecting and remitting appropriate sales tax to the State of Florida. Non-profit organizations must include their tax exemption number issued by the State of Florida on their application.
8. If electricity is needed it must be noted on the application and fee paid. Vendors must furnish a 75' heavy duty, all-weather extension cord and must be sure the circuits are not overloaded. Trucks, campers, or vans are not allowed to plug into the electricity during festival operating hours.
9. Vendors are permitted to sell within their booth space and are not allowed to sell merchandise outside their assigned area (i.e. walking through the crowd unless approved beforehand by the committee).
10. No advertisements or signs for vendors are permitted outside the designated booth space. Use of sound amplification devices and audio equipment (bullhorns, P.A. systems) is strictly prohibited within the booth areas.
11. Some booths may have no parking allowed behind them. If you must park behind your booth please note this on your application and we will make every effort to accommodate you.

12. The deadline for setting up booths is 7:00 AM on Saturday (the day of the show). Hours of operation are 8:00 am till 4:00 pm on Saturday. If you are not set up by 8:00am Saturday morning your space and money will be forfeited.

13. No pets or firearms are allowed.

14. The Blountstown Rotary Club recommends that vendors carry an adequate amount of liability insurance. In the event the Blountstown Rotary Club is unable to hold Goat Day by reason of war, insurrection, or act of God or nature, then no refund shall be made, and it is agreed that all contracts are null and void, and there shall be no responsibility for liability on the part of the Blountstown Rotary Club, for losses sustained by any person caused by such event.

15. The Blountstown Rotary Club reserves the right to prohibit or close any vendor's booth not in compliance with the rules and criteria set forth in this application.