

Carbondale Mountain Fair

41st Annual

Food Vendor Application

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Carbondale Mountain Fair
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July 27, 28, 29, 2012

Applications Postmarked
by April 6, 2012

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Dear Food Vendors,

We'd like to invite you to apply to the Carbondale Mountain Fair. This is our 41st year and the celebration will attract over 20,000 people. Last year our attendance and sales tax revenue was up, which is very positive in these economic times. We expect this year to grow even more. We appreciate healthy, well-made unique and popular foods. We present 120 Arts & Crafts booths, 22 different food booths, free entertainment, games, contests and amusements for young and old alike.

The Mountain Fair benefits the entire community, artists, and many non-profits.

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General Information

The Carbondale Mountain Fair is an experience like no other. It is a beloved event with Green Practices in place and large crowds. We will open at noon again this year due to the positive response. Additional pluses of the Fair are a "Family Area" with lots of interactive, creative experiences, and entertainment and competitions that run the gamut from cake baking to wood splitting and free admission.

2012 Dates & Deadlines

Application Postmark - April 6th
Notifications - April 27th
Cancellation with Refund - May 24
3 PM Booth Set Up - July 26th
Fair Starts at Noon - July 27th
10 a.m. to 8 p.m. - July 28
10 a.m. to 5 p.m. - July 29

Member of the Colorado Artist Tour
Over 30 Colorado juried Arts & Crafts
Fairs in one mailing: (303) 678-9089

Rules and Regulations

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 BOOTH # _____
 \$10 \$100
 Deposit \$250 (For-profits only)
 SASE
 Garfield County Health Regulation Form

1. ELIGIBILITY: Any individual or organization selling ONLY its own hand-prepared food or beverages is eligible to apply. **NO BOTTLED WATER. NO vendor may sell bottled water. NO STYROFOAM CONTAINERS ALLOWED, NO GLASS CONTAINERS TO BE SOLD.** All vendors must use compostable utensils, cups and plates. For more information please contact us if you have any questions. Paper is compostable. All applications will be judged by the Board of Directors of the Carbondale Mountain Fair. Criteria for judging include quality, sale ability, and uniqueness of items(s). Approximately 22 food booths will be selected. Decision of the jurors are final. All applications will abide by Garfield County Health Regulations for Special Events.

2. FEES: Checks or money orders, made payable to Carbondale Mountain Fair. The fees must be paid in TWO SEPARATE CHECKS. Do not staple.

- \$10 non-refundable handling charge, deposited immediately.
- \$100 Space Fee - deposited upon acceptance.

NOTE: Upon acceptance, the Booth Space Fee is non-refundable after May 24th. If you are not accepted into the Fair, your fee will be returned.

3. \$250 DEPOSIT REQUIRED: Deposited upon acceptance into the fair. (Local non-profits are exempted.)

4. COMMISSION AND SALES TAX: Each booth, including non-profits, must remit 15% of gross receipts and 8.4% COLORADO SALES TAX to the Carbondale Mountain Fair. (No exceptions.)

5. REQUIREMENTS: A complete menu (no genetically modified products) to be offered for sale at the Fair. NOTE: No additional items may be added to the menu without prior approval of the fair Director. Food samples are encouraged; call for details. Include a self-addressed stamped envelope (SASE); use only a business size envelope. Please write the word FOOD on the lower left-hand corner of the envelope that includes your application.

6. BOOTH SPACE: A 10' 4" X 10' booth space ONLY is provided, (with room out the back for storage and prep work.) NO VEHICLES, TRAILERS, ETC. PERMITTED. BOOTHS ARE ERECTED ON SITE. Small aesthetically pleasing trailers are permitted with approval of the Fair Director.

Any unique features about your food ? _____

Beverages (NO BOTTLED WATER, STYROFOAM OR GLASS CONTAINERS) _____

FOOD VENDORS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ADHERING TO STATE HEALTH CODES AND FOOD SERVICE LICENSE. List previous food vending experience.

Food Vendor Application

Name _____

Phone _____

Business Name _____

Number of Employees (including yourself) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Please contact me by email.

Have you been accepted in previous Carbondale Mountain Fairs?

yes _____ (years) no never applied

Menu and Prices (Use an additional page if needed.)
 SAMPLES ARE ENCOURAGED. CALL FOR DETAILS
 970.963.1680.

ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS - VERY IMPORTANT!
 Electrical Service is limited. Refrigeration needs have top priority. YOU MUST LIST YOUR APPLIANCES AND TOTAL VOLTS AND AMPERAGE REQUIRED. (This information is listed on your appliances.)

NOTE: I do hereby certify that I have read and understand the Fair information and procedures contained in this application, including the 15% commission owed to the Mountain Fair, and a \$250 deposit upon acceptance (local non-profits exempted) and all utensils, cups and plates will be compostable. Also NO GLASS FOR PUBLIC, and will adhere to same. I understand that refusal to abide by the Fair regulations may result in my disqualification from the Carbondale Mountain Fair.

Signed : _____

Date: _____