

Dear Craft, Craft/Commercial and Commercial Vendors,

The 21st Annual McHenry Highland Festival will be held Saturday, June 7, 2008, at the Garrett County Fairgrounds on Route 219 in McHenry (Deep Creek Lake), Maryland. We hope you will consider participation as a vendor. The commercial, craft and Celtic vendors are important facets of the Festival's success. We have requests coming in already, so it is time to consider your participation.

All vendors will have access to electricity and will be under roof, unless an outdoor tent space is preferable. In that case, the vendor must supply their own tent or canopy. Vendors may camp at the fairgrounds the night prior to the event, free of charge.

Ornamental edged weapons are legal for sale; however, full double-edged dirks (boot knives) and butterfly knives are not. The Scottish ornamental dirk and sgian dubh are considered legal, as one edge is flat and unsharpened.

The fee for Craft Vendors is \$60.00 for a 10' x 12' Space. For Commercial Vendors it is \$125.00 for a 10'x12' space. If, as a Craft Vendor, you also offer commercial products, the fee is \$95.00 per space. Included in this fee are your space and two entry tickets to the festival. As has been our past practice, parking is free. Tables and chairs are available for a rental fee as noted on the application. To ensure your space, please complete the enclosed application and return it together with the appropriate fee payment as soon as possible. Spaces are assigned according to the order in which we receive the paid applications. We will make every attempt to ensure that duplication of vendor offerings will be held to a minimum.

Information regarding lodging close to the fairgrounds is available by phoning the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce at 301-387-4386 or by visiting their website, [www.garrettchamber.com](http://www.garrettchamber.com).

Details regarding set-up and your advance tickets will be sent at a later date. If you have any questions, please contact me by e-mail at [odettelueck@hotmail.com](mailto:odettelueck@hotmail.com). For general Festival details, continue to visit the Festival website at [www.highlandfest.info](http://www.highlandfest.info)

Sincerely,

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