

Hours of Festival Food Operations, (Hours Subject to Change)

Food Vendors must remain open

Thursday, July 25 th	5:30pm-10:30pm
Friday, July 26 th	5:30pm-11:30pm
Saturday, July 27 th	1:00pm-11:30pm
Sunday, July 28 th	1:00pm-6:00pm

The New Lenox Community Park District will assign your booth location and set-up time. Vendors can set-up Wednesday afternoon or Thursday morning. **Please Note:** Trailer Vendors will be contacted with an assigned time to drop off your trailer on Wed., July 24th after Noon.

Insurance

You must furnish a certificate of insurance to the Park District office at time of registration.

- No Exception! The insurance certificate requirements are as follows:
- The insurance company shall have a minimum Best Rating of A-1.
- The minimum limit of liability shall be \$1,000,000.00.
- The policy coverage shall be Comprehensive and on an Occurrence form.
- Under Certificate Holder, **New Lenox Community Park District**, 701 W. Haven Ave., New Lenox, IL 60451 and **Menards Inc.**, 5101 Menard Dr. Eau Claire, WI 5403 shall be named as Additional Insured.

Will County Health Department

Each food vendor must apply for the required Will County Health Food Permit. You are required to submit and pay the inspection fee directly to Will County Health Department. **You will need to make a copy of your permit and send it to the Park District by June 1st.** All booths must abide by the Will County Health Department rules and regulations at all times. Will County Health Department requires all food vendors who set-up tents must have Plywood or Tarp underneath their area, NO EXCEPTION. Will County Inspections will begin promptly at 1:00pm on Thurs., July 25th.

Booth

- You will NOT be allowed to expand beyond your allotted space, before submitting an application make sure all of your equipment can be set-up in a 10ft. x 16ft. booth.
- VENDORS with Trailers, you are required to submit the Trailer Booth Layout Form and pictures of your trailer from bumper to hitch with serving windows open.
- All booths shall be painted and trailers shall be in good repair.
- Booths must display a prominent sign above the service window, which identifies the business/organization by name. The sign shall measure a minimum of 3 feet long by 10 inches high.
- All booths shall be equipped with fire extinguishers.
- Use of sound systems, glass bottles and loud generators are prohibited.

Menu

A uniform price for soft drinks is set. Cans of pop \$1.00 and 16.9oz. bottle water for \$1.00. The types of foods are limited to avoid duplication, first come first serve. The menu items identified on this application must be adhered to with no additions or deletions after the application deadline. Menus and prices are to be displayed on front of booth.

Food Vouchers

The Park District gives out complimentary food vouchers to Band Members, Soundworks Production Staff and the Electrician on duty. They are allowed to redeem these coupons at all food vendors. The Park District will reimburse you for these coupons 30 days after the event; a check will be mailed to you. On Thurs., July 25th you will receive an empty envelope from the Park District, use this envelope to store the redeemed food vouchers throughout the weekend. A Park District Staff member will come to you on Sun., July 28th to collect the vouchers and give you a receipt total. We are not responsible for lost food vouchers and will only reimburse you for each voucher.

Electrical Service

Electrical service is included in your vendor fee. There is an additional cost of \$100 for any vendor that requires hardware installation. Electrical service inside the booth must be #12/3 wire (not 14, 16 or 18) suited for 20-amp service and is the responsibility of the food vendor. Electric Hook-up is not guaranteed until Thurs., July 25th at 1:00pm. If our electrician is ready beforehand, you may hook up earlier but do not come on site and demand electricity. You will need to submit a picture of your wire hook for our electrician.

Waste Removal/Garbage Pick Up

Disposal of grease upon festival property is strictly prohibited. You are responsible for disposing your grease. Grease disposal is located in the northeast corner of Walmart lot. The Park District Staff will pick up garbage throughout the weekend.

Water and Ice

A shared outside water faucet is available. Vendors must provide their own Health Department approved food service hose and/or containers to carry water. Ice is available to purchase from the Park District for \$5.00. We except cash only, no running tabs. Ice will be located by the bar underneath the Entertainment Tent. At night, it may be difficult for you to get through due to the crowds, if this happens go to the Information Booth. NLCPD Staff will radio the Bar Staff and we will bring the ice to the Information Booth.

Parking

No Parking Vehicles behind or near your booth during hours of operation, you will be required to park in designated parking areas. A site map will be sent to you prior to the festival.

Closing Procedures:

- Sunday, July 28th, starting at 6:00pm you may start breaking down your booths.
- You may walk your items to your car if you are on a time constraint.
- ABSOLUTELY NO vehicles allowed in food vendor area until NLCPD Staff notifies you that it is clear of all festival pedestrians.
- NO Trailers are allowed to leave the Festival Site on Sunday until NLCPD Staff says it is clear of all festival pedestrians.

Any questions should be directed to Kelly Matson, at 815.485.1737 or kmatson@newlenoxparks.org.

The New Lenox Community Park District reserves the right to be selective to assure quality and diversity. For the success of this community event, we reserve the right to refuse and/or discharge a vendor from participating in Proud American Days upon the vendor's compliance with these guidelines.

The New Lenox Community Park District, the Village of New Lenox and members, volunteers and employees thereof, will not be held responsible for any loss, damage, injury, and death or otherwise in connection with this fair. It is agreed that vendors, employees, volunteers, owners and acquaintances of any kind will hold these persons harmless from any loss, damage, injury, death or otherwise which arises from vendor's negligence.

I hereby agree to abide by all terms, rules and regulations stated on this application form.

Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Office Use ONLY

Cash Received: Check Number: Credit Card:

Approved by _____ Date _____

Business Name: _____

Number of Booths: _____

Amp Service Needed: _____

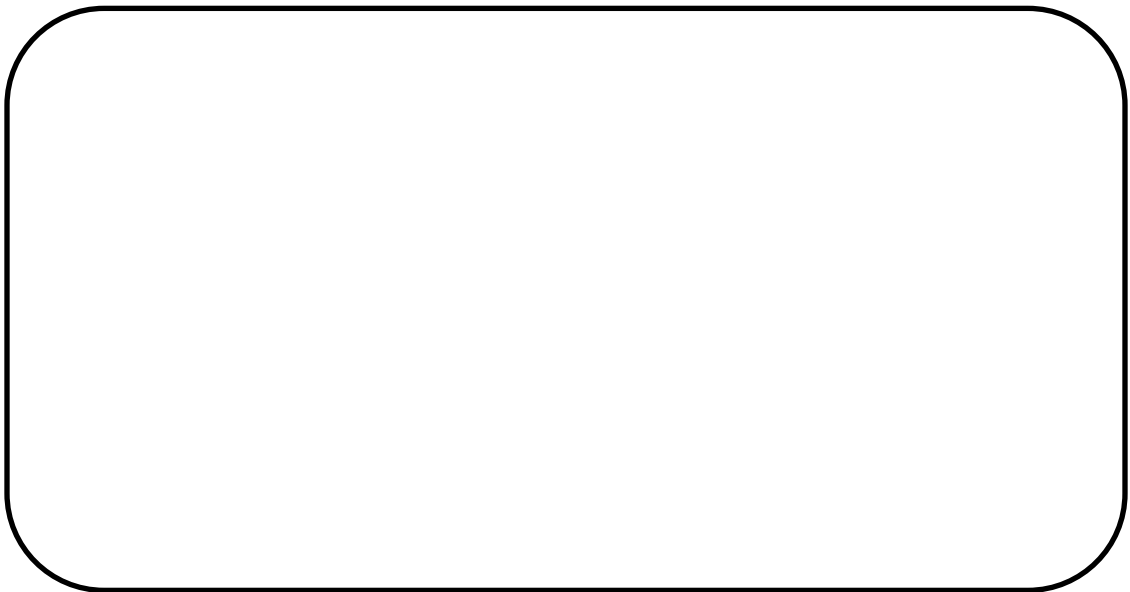


Draw the following in the trailer picture below:

- Location of Serving Window(s)
- Location of Hitch
- Location of Electrical Plug
- Location of Electrical Panel
- Exact Dimensions of trailer, including hitch to bumper and all Open Serving Windows.

_____ x _____

Booth is 16 Ft. Deep



Booth is 10 Ft. Wide

