

# Granite Falls Merchants Association

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## **PLEASE ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE IN THE GRANITE FALLS “FESTIVAL ON MAIN”**

To be held on the square in downtown Granite Falls, Saturday, September 17, 2011, from 2:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Granite Falls Merchants Association is looking for vendors with handmade items, ceramics, wood and tin workers, etc. along with wineries and food vendors to join this year's festival.

A NON-REFUNDABLE ENTRY FEE of \$50.00 must be paid by August 20, 2011 to guarantee selling space for the artist or craftsman. We cannot accept any entries after the 26th of August because we need time to prepare the spaces for September 17<sup>TH</sup>. All entries must supply their own tents, tables, chairs, etc.

Exhibit spaces will be numbered on a first come, first served basis after the pre-registration and receipt of your entry fee. Spaces will be approximately 12 feet x 16 feet. All exhibitors are asked to please send a photograph of their work along with their entry fee. Spaces will be assigned and a map of your space will be mailed to you.

Check-in time the day of the Festival will begin at 12:00 pm, PLEASE, NO EARLIER. You may arrive any time that is convenient to you but PLEASE do not park in the square area of the downtown, we have provided you spaces as close as possible to leave your vehicles after setting up. You may use this area if you arrive prior to 12:00 pm. It will be marked EXHIBITORS (across the railroad tracks). The town maintenance department will not start blocking the streets until 12:00 pm. Set-up time will be from 12:15 pm to 1:45 pm. Vehicles must be outside of the exhibit area by 1:30 pm. We ask that you PLEASE KEEP YOUR BOOTH OPEN UNTIL 8:00 PM. This is for your safety as well as others.

**ALL PARTICIPANTS (EXHIBITORS, DEMONSTRATORS, SELLERS, ETC) AGREE NOT TO HOLD GRANITE FALLS MERHANTS ASSOCIATION OR ANY INSTITUION OR GOVERNMENT AGENCY RESPONSIBLE FOR LOSS, INJURY, DAMAGE OR THEFT OF THEIR PROPERTY OR PERSONS.**

ALL VENDORS WILL BE APPROVED BY A COMMITTEE. If you are not sure of the nature of your craft or if you have a combination of accepted work and non-accepted work, PLEASE CALL US. Be assured we will work with you in any way possible. We need you, your exhibit is the reason we will be successful

**IF YOU HAVE A NEED TO CANCEL, WE MUST HAVE YOUR REQUEST IN WRITING BY SEPTEMBER 4, 2011. WE CANNOT ACCEPT CANCELLATIONS BY PHONE. REMEMBER, REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.**

You can look for updates on our website [www.granitefallsmerchantsnc.org](http://www.granitefallsmerchantsnc.org) or on facebook.

Thank you,

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