

2010 Arts & Crafts Vendor Application

\$5,000 awarded to Fine Arts Competition Winners!

Great crowds, big money...come join us!

Name: _____

Business/Studio Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: Business/Studio: _____

Home: _____

E-mail: _____

Fine Art Competition: _____ OR Arts & Crafts: _____

___ Painting (Oil, Acrylic, Watercolor)

___ Mixed Media, Graphics, Drawing

___ Photography

___ Sculpture and Pottery

___ Hand-made Jewelry, Wood, Glass, Fiber

Type of Work to be Exhibited:

(List all items you plan to display and please include a photo and prices)

Will you demonstrate your craft? _____

List the previous years you have participated in the Prairie Arts Festival. _____

Do you have any special circumstances or handicaps we need to assist you with?

ALL VENDORS MUST STAY FOR THE ENTIRE EVENT.

MAIL TO: Prairie Arts Festival
510 East Broad Street
West Point, Mississippi 39773

LOCATION:

The Prairie Arts Festival will be held in downtown West Point, Mississippi, Saturday, September 4, 2010. The Prairie Arts Festival Vendor Booths will open Saturday at 9 a.m. and close at 5 p.m. Booth Set-up will begin on Friday, September 3 at 5p.m.

BOOTH SPACE:

Each booth space will be 10' x 12'. Electricity is available but can not be guaranteed; first come, first serve basis by application's post-mark. A limited number of double booth spaces are available based on entry postmarked.

ENTRY DEADLINE AND BOOTH FEE:

Arts & Crafts:

\$50.00 post-marked before July 16

\$65.00 post-marked between July 16 and July 30

\$75.00 conditional acceptance dependant upon availability after July 30

Fine Arts Competition:

\$75.00 post-marked before July 16

\$90.00 post-marked between July 16 and July 30

\$115.00 conditional acceptance dependant upon availability after July 30

*\$10 added for booths needing electricity. Must be paid the day of the event.

Reason needing electricity: _____

ENTRY:

An accepted application is a commitment to the show. No refund will be made for cancellation after August 13, 2010. All cancellations must be made in writing to the Director. No fees will be refunded in case of rain.

ARTIST SELECTION AND STANDARDS:

The selection panel reviews applications on the basis of a photograph of your booth and of the items made exclusively from commercial molds. All items for sale will be reviewed and a letter will be sent if you are accepted. The selection of vendors is at the discretion of the Prairie Arts Festival Committee. If you sell items not listed on your application you may be asked to take those items down or to leave the show area.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

The Prairie Arts Festival has been awarded numerous awards by the Southeastern Tourism Society and was named in the Top 20 Events in the Southeast. Vendors are responsible for all equipment used for their exhibits. Displays should be flexible and should not have canopies that overhang the 10' x 12' booth. We require if you have canopies or awnings that they be secured by weights. The Prairie Arts Festival is not responsible for the loss or damage of items. Each exhibit must be manned at all times during festival hours. Each vendor is responsible for collecting Mississippi state sales tax (7%) as required by law. We will provide the tax envelopes and sales tax will be collected 30 minutes before the show is over.

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ACCEPTANCE NOTIFICATION:

Vendors will be notified before or after August 6, 2010.

NUMBER OF BOOTHS AVAILABLE FOR ARTIST:

Approximately 250

RULES TO FOLLOW:

The sales or display of firearms (including antiques), live ammunition, bows and arrows, knives longer than 6", and fireworks of all types is strictly prohibited at the Prairie Arts Festival. No pets or live animals may be sold. If you sell items not list on your application you can be asked to take down or leave the show area. Violators will be required to leave the Festival area immediately and will not be accepted at any future Prairie Arts Festivals.

GENERAL RELEASE:

The undersigned does hereby and forever discharge the Prairie Arts Festival, the Growth Alliance, and the City of West Point of and from all manner of actions, suits, damages, claims and demands whatsoever in law or equity, from any loss or damage to the undersigned's property, while in possession, supervision, or auspices of the Prairie Arts Festival, the Growth Alliance, and the City of West Point's agent, representatives, or employees.
The undersigned has read and complies with all rules printed in this brochure.

Applicant Signature: _____

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Call (662) 494-5121 or email info@westpointms.org.

www.WestPointMS.org

Howlin' Wolf Blues Festival – The Year of the Wolf
Friday, September 3, 2010
5:00 p.m. at the West Point Civic Center

In conjunction with the Prairie Arts Festival will be a Antique Car Show
Saturday, September 3, 2010
9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at the Mossy Oak Outlet

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