

Autumn Arts & Craft Fair



APPLICATION AGREEMENT
RIVER RIDGE PTO 21ST ANNUAL
AUTUMN ARTS & CRAFT FAIR
Saturday and Sunday, October 6 & 7, 2012
(Always Columbus Day Weekend)
At River Ridge School, Hanover, IL (located between Hanover and Elizabeth)

NAME: _____ BUSINESS NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____ E-Mail _____

TYPE OF CRAFT WORK. **Include photos of all crafts to be sold as they are being made (“Craft in Progress” photos) and their finished product**

FEES: 10' x 10' space (\$100 each) _____

 Corner space (\$110 each) _____

 Outside (\$100 each) _____

 Electrical hookup (\$10 each) _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED _____

Requests for the limited corner booth space and electrical hookup will be accepted on a first come basis as applications are received.

Return this application before March 1, 2012, to: River Ridge Craft Fair, 4141 Highway 84 South, Hanover, IL 61041 *To be considered by the jury, be sure to include a LARGE DOUBLE-STAMPED, SELF-ADDRESSED ENVELOPE, LABELED PHOTOS AND FULL PAYMENT WITH THIS COMPLETED FORM. If accepted, photos will be held until the show and returned at the show. If you do not include a stamped envelope, no information will be returned to you.**

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The River Ridge PTO is pleased to announce it is now accepting applications for the 21st annual *Autumn Arts & Craft Fair*. Exhibitors with **HAND-CRAFTED** items are invited to apply. Below is detailed information regarding this top-notch show. All Proceeds benefit the students of River Ridge.

DATES: Saturday, October 6, 2012 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 7, 2012 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

LOCATION: River Ridge School, 4141 Highway 84 South, Hanover, Illinois
(Located between Hanover and Elizabeth, Illinois)
*Excellent location on heavily traveled route
*Exceptional sales opportunities as dates coincide with Galena Country Fair
*Ample free on-site parking
*Indoor show with outside spaces available

FEE: \$100.00 per 10' x 10' space (\$10.00 extra per corner booth space)
\$100.00 per outdoor booth
\$10.00 electrical hookup request

JURIED: "Craft in Progress" labeled photographs (returnable) **are required** and must accompany your application. If accepted, these photos will be returned to you at the time of the show. Crafts will be judged on uniqueness, quality, originality, and being made by the crafter. We will look for a variety of crafts, with as little duplication between exhibitors as possible. Acceptance in previous years **DOES NOT** guarantee you a spot for this year's show. **Each year, the jury is comprised of different people who may or may not be familiar with your work**, this is why quality photos are so important when submitting your application.

NOTIFICATION: Acceptance/denial letters will be postmarked by **March 21, 2012**. If your application has been accepted, there are no refunds. Crafters not selected will have their checks and photos returned. All vendors must include a self-addressed envelope with their applications or they will not be notified of the decision made/ have their photos and check returned to them. All decisions are final.

PUBLICITY: Event announcement on local radio stations. Extensive advertising in several tri-state area newspapers. A listing in the Galena/Jo Daviess County Visitors Bureau Calendar of Events brochure. Our "trademark" roadside signs on Highways 20 & 84. Poster & flyer distribution of 8,000.

FOOD: A food court featuring various snacks, sandwiches and much more!
If you have any questions, please feel free to contact either
Amiee Martelle or Merri Sevey
815-990-9494 815-291-7092
riverridgecraftfair@hotmail.com

We look forward to receiving your application and hope to see you at the *Autumn Arts & Craft Fair* in 2012!