



UNICOI STATE PARK & LODGE

The **45th Annual Fireside Arts & Craft Show** will be held February 15th and 16th, 2020. Unicoi State Park and Lodge is excited about the show and is certain it will be a tremendous success. As a change to previous years the show will be opened to a larger variety of artistic mediums.

The participation fee is **\$150.00** per booth for those who book between **Now and October 31, 2019**. If booking **November 1, 2019 thru December 15, 2019** the cost per booth will **\$175.00**. The fee for exhibiting in the show for returning artists that participated in our 2019 show is **\$125.00** (The booth fee will not include lunch, but lunch will be offered for an additional fee on both Saturday and Sunday).

All vendors are encouraged to demonstrate their work during the duration of the show. There is no cost for the public and there will be 4 different locations for the show- Unicoi State Park and Lodge, The Helen Arts and Heritage Center and the Sautee Nacoochee Cultural Center and Hardman Farm.

A special rate is available to all vendors who decide to stay here with us at Unicoi, if you book your room(s) between **Now and October 31, 2019** you will receive the “early bird” rate of **\$89.00** per night, plus tax and lodging fee. After **October 31, 2019** the vendor rate will be **\$90.00** per night, plus tax and lodging fee.

The approximate booth size is 10'X10'. **We will do our best to meet your requests.** If you would like a double booth (20'x20'), then you must **purchase** two spaces, **TWO BOOTH MAXIMUM (20'X20')**. Unicoi will provide tables and chairs upon request (please indicate on your application). We **DO NOT** provide **extension cords or power strips**. Please indicate if you need electricity on your application, as well as any other special requests (floor preference, near the loading dock, next to a friend's booth, etc.) ***Please understand we will do our best to meet your request however it is a REQUEST.***

Although, it is an indoor show, lighting throughout the building varies and is not always conducive to the needs of the vendors.

We are excited for you to join us and make the 45th Fireside Arts & Crafts Show the best yet.

Kind Regards,

Karen Lovan
Coordinator
Fireside Arts & Crafts Show

GENERAL INFORMATION

The 45th Annual Fireside Arts & Crafts Show will be held
Presidents Day Weekend 2020

UNICOI FIRESIDE CRAFT/ART SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS

In fairness to all artist/crafters that are accepted into the Fireside Craft/Art Show and to insure a quality show for our visitors, we require that all participants comply with the following rules. All show rules will be enforced. Failure to abide by these rules can result in non-acceptance in future years.

- (1) Craft or Art work must be the direct product of artist. Items created from kits will not be considered. Kits or How-To products will not be permitted for sale.
- (2) Only one (1) craft/art category will be allowed per booth.
- (3) Original art must occupy at least 50% of the booth display. The remainder 50% of the booth must also be the direct product of the applicant. Medium not included in the application will not be permitted.
- (4) Applicants taking advantage of the special participant rates MUST pay full booth fee to Unicoi State Park at the time that the application is submitted. Applicants must provide own Booth/Display.

****** Booth fee is non-refundable.**

- (5) Booths are required to be completely set up and ready to open
By 10:00 am Saturday, February 15, 2020.
- (6) Booths must remain set up until 4:00 pm, Sunday, February 16, 2020.
There must be enough products to sell through the entire show.
- (7) Application forms must be signed to be considered.
- (8) Artists/Crafters need to remain with their booths from open to close each day of the show, with the exception of breaks, and/or emergencies.
- (9) We will have a "Best of Show" booth competition on Saturday, February 16, 2019. A confidential jury will vote on **overall booth presentation**, and not on the quality of artwork or craftsmanship. Prizes will be awarded for the top three booths.
- (10) This year Fireside will be accepting food vendors that are unique to the area and have unique products.

Booth Application: Fireside Arts and Crafts Show- February 15th and 16th 2020

Name _____ Telephone # _____

E-mail _____

Address _____ City _____ State/Zip _____

Type of Medium: _____

*Please assist us in our promotions by giving us a more detailed description of your craft or art. This will also help the jury to better understand your product for selection: _____

Price Range Arts or Craft? \$ _____ to \$ _____ Demonstrating at the Show? YES ___ NO ___

Require Electricity? YES ___ NO _____

*Note that electrical cords and additional lighting will not be provided

- Requirements: Chairs _____ # Tables _____ *Tablecloths will not be provided.

I will need ___ name tags for _____

*Note, the nametag ensures access to the exhibit area when the show is closed

If I am selected as an exhibitor for the Unicoi Fireside Craft/Art Show, I agree to abide by the rules and regulations governing the show as shown on the previous page.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: December 7, 2018

Mail Application and booth fee to:

Unicoi State Park and Lodge
Attn: Karen Lovan
1788 Hwy 356
Helen, GA 30545

UNICOI FIRESIDE CRAFT/ART SHOW LIABILITY RELEASE FORM

Exhibitors shall be solely responsible for operating facilities in a safe and proper manner. Unicoi State Park & Lodge shall have no duties or responsibilities for operating, or supervision of said facilities.

Exhibitor shall and does hereby agree to occupy, use and enjoy the leased premises at its sole risk shall pay, protect, indemnify, release, save, and hold Unicoi State Park & Lodge and its employees and agents harmless from and against all liabilities, damages, cost, expenses (including all attorney's fees and expenses incurred by Unicoi State Park & Lodge and any of the Unicoi State Park & Lodge employees or agents), causes of action, suits, demands, judgments and claims of any nature whatsoever (excluding those based upon the negligence of the Unicoi State Park & Lodge, but not including those caused in whole or part by the negligence of the Exhibitor, its officers, agents, employees, customers, invites or licensees), arising from, by reason of or in connection with: (I) injury or death of persons or damage of property (a) on the premises or (b) in any manner arising from use, non-use or occupancy of the Exhibitors officers, agents, employees, customers, invites, or licensees or © resulting from a condition of the premises, excluding any conditions of the premises for which Unicoi State Park & Lodge specifically is responsible under the Agreement, if any: (ii) violation of any agreement, representation, warranty, provision, term of condition of this Agreement by Exhibitor of any of Exhibitor's officers, agents, or employees: or (iii) violation of any law affecting the premises or the occupancy or use of the premises.

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____