

YWCA MDI YMCA 4<sup>th</sup> of July Craft Fair/Marketplace  
Held on Thursday, July 4, 2019  
**9am to 3pm**

YMCA Front Parking Lot (beside the YMCA)  
**APPLICATION DEADLINE May 15**

**The YWCA and YMCA** will be sponsoring a craft fair/marketplace on Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup> **beside the YMCA in the front parking lot.** This is a fund raiser for both organizations.

Attached is your application for this year's **4<sup>th</sup> of July Craft Fair.** We encourage you to send it back quickly!

**PLEASE KEEP THIS LETTER** as it contains needed details.

**A Note to All Participants:**

We at IAA have had the privilege of having outdoor fairs on MDI for 44 years. We are a part of this community and our sponsor the YWCA is a big part of this community. Our supporters are friends, business owners and other local crafters. To have our outdoor fairs we must seek approval from these communities.

Each year we must go before a town board of these folks and agree to follow the rules, which we ALL must follow:

- Set up only during designated hours
- Tear Down during Designated Hours
- NO Stakes --- use weights for all canopies
- NO generators
- No parking around the fairs - after unloading, please move your vehicle
- No mass-produced items - all items must be made by you or your partner
- Table clothes are required
- Stay in Assigned space – if you have requests please make us aware before the fair, and please note these cannot always be honored, but we do try our best
- Stay within your Designated space – do not spread out beyond the 10x10 space provided
- No alcohol during the fairs
- All applications should be sent with their own corresponding check for record keeping purposes – please have separate checks/apps for those you are applying for

Some other very important key notes that also need to be addressed are the following:

- If you do not arrive within 30 minutes before the fair, you will lose your space
- If you have not received confirmation that you have been accepted for the fair, you cannot show up and expect a space to be made for you

We also ask that IF you are selling your product wholesale to a local business, you talk with that store owner and agree not to sell the same product at a reduced price OR that you will sell your items that are not available in a local establishment.

***When you sign your application this year you will be agreeing to the above statements. Failure to adhere means not being invited back for future fairs.***

**Membership** – Remember that to qualify as a member your membership application and dues must be received by March 31, 2019. No membership applications will be accepted after that date.

**NO MASS PRODUCED ITEMS!** – All items in your booth must be hand made by you or your partner.

**Parking.** Limited parking will be available in the lot **behind** the YMCA.

**Set up time** will be 7am Wednesday and we need to clear the area by 4pm. The fair will be from 9am to 3pm. Activities on the adjacent athletic field will stop at 2pm.

**Booth spaces** are 10x10. Fees are \$60 for members and \$90 for non-members. No water or electricity available. No refunds. You may bring canopies but no stakes are allowed.

**If you are planning on sharing the space** please have both folks fill out an application and note with whom they are sharing.

**No Cancellation or Rain Date** – IAA assumes no responsibility for loss, damage, or injury

**Cleanliness** – Please leave the area cleaner than we found it!

**The old rules remain:** please find a sitter for the little ones, please no pets or tvs, we expect you to remain at the fair until closing (barring bad weather), A positive attitude is greatly appreciated! Enjoy the fair and your neighbors. That energy helps the whole event.

**Any other guidelines** will follow with acceptance or non-acceptance letters

**Applications** with payment (payable to Island Arts Association) should be mailed to: IAA, PO Box 92, Hull's Cove, ME 04644. We're looking forward to seeing you there!

**Questions?** Email [islandartsassociation@gmail.com](mailto:islandartsassociation@gmail.com)

Thanks,

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Please check here \_\_\_\_\_ if you are a member of Island Arts Association.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Business \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of your craft/item – handmade crafts only

\_\_\_\_\_

I will be sharing my space with (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a member and I would like to be in the fair. Enclosed is \$60.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a non-member and I would like to be in the fair. Enclosed is \$90

\_\_\_\_\_ I sell my items wholesale to a local shop

Shop: \_\_\_\_\_

Items sold at shop: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the guidelines and will uphold the rules and spirit of the fair. Please sign below

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**Mail application and fees (make checks payable to Island Arts Association) to IAA, PO  
Box 92, Hulls Cove, ME 04644**

Thank you!