

KALAMAZOO SCOTTISH FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION



Kalamazoo Scottish Festival Association

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Dear Sir/Madam,

We cordially invite your participation as a Exhibitor at the 2023 Kalamazoo Scottish Festival and Highland Games, on Saturday, September 9, 2023, at Kindleberger Park, 650 S. Riverview Drive, Kalamazoo, MI 49004. The City of Parchment is again our host and Festival hours will be 9 AM until 4 PM.

The Kalamazoo Scottish Festival Association is excited for our 2023 Festival! This day-long, family-friendly event is free to the public. Last year over 3,250 people attended. As we promote the Festival through many avenues we expect an even greater turnout this year! The Festival, will feature Clan Tents, Music, Pipers, Exhibitors, Educational Talks, Kids Games, Food Vendors & Craft Vendors, and, of course, Highland Games.

We hope that you will join us! There is no fee for Cultural Exhibitors or local Non-Profit Organizations who wish to set up a 10 x 10 booth at the festival. Please complete the attached Exhibitor Registration Application and send it to our P.O. Box listed below. If you have any questions about the Festival or your participation, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Ethan L. MacDonald, FSA Scot
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Group/ Business Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ (Mobile or Landline?)

Email: _____

Description of Exhibition or Demonstration: _____

Dimensions of Display Unit (Tent, Trailer, Booth, etc.) _____

(10'x10') free (Other-Please Email Ethan MacDonald)

Need for electricity/water or other services? _____

Tables and chairs are available for rent if needed. Will you be needing them? Y/N _____

Do you intend to sell any items? Y/N ____ If yes, you will need to complete a Vendor Registration Application available on the web page or email Ethan MacDonald for assistance.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date of Application _____

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Hold Harmless/Waiver Form

This Hold Harmless Waiver Form should be signed by the primary person leasing space during the Kalamazoo Scottish Festival and Highland Games but is intended to cover signee and any staff/volunteers they engage during the event.

I am acting as an exhibitor at the Kalamazoo Scottish Festival Association Festival and Games and do understand and agree that I will hold the said Event and its insurance carrier harmless in the event that I or any other noted representative of my business, personally, suffer any injury or accident during the performance of our duties as an Exhibitor at the festival. I also understand that this waiver applies ONLY to me or my representatives personally and not to the General Public who may be injured or suffer an accident within this same area. I agree that I or my representatives will underwrite any medical costs or other costs related to me or my representatives' injury or accident personally and/or in conjunction with me or my representatives' personal insurance carrier, and that in accordance with this waiver, I or my representatives will not file a claim against the Kalamazoo Scottish Festival Association or their insurance carrier at some later date for such injury or accident.

I acknowledge that this Hold Harmless/Waiver applies only to me or my representative's activities within my Exhibitor space. When I am attending other events or activities during the Festival and Games I will be treated like any other member of the general public.

Furthermore, I grant full permission to the Kalamazoo Scottish Festival Association to use any photographs, videos and other types of recordings of me in any advertising, trade or any commercial purpose in accounts and promotions of this Event. I waive the right to inspect versions of my image used for publication or the written copy used in connection with the accounts and promotions of the Event.

Effective for the period of September 8 - 10, 2023

Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Province: _____ Country: _____

Zip Code: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

This form must be completed, signed and included with your registration and payment.

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Rules and Regulations Governing Exhibitor Activity

1. Exhibitors will set up and confine their business to their assigned areas. KSFA will plan to provide “air space” between vendors.
2. Setups may begin at 9 A.M. on the day before the Festival and continue until 5 P.M. Overnight security will be available, although exhibitors assume all responsibility for their own materials, equipment and other property. We recommend unloading and setting up merchandise the morning of the Festival.
3. All exhibitor space locations will be designated by the Festival Committee and set up for the exhibitor spaces as noted on the registration request.
4. Setups continue on the morning of the Festival and must be complete by 8:30 A.M.
5. On the morning of the Festival, Exhibitor vehicles must be unloaded and moved into an assigned parking area by 8:30 A.M.
6. Entrance is free of charge to the Festival site.
7. Exhibitors shall keep their sales or display units (booth, tent, canopy, trailer, etc.) and the immediately surrounding area neat, clean, free from accumulating refuse or debris and in safe condition and shall conform with all federal, state, or county regulations relevant to sanitation and safety.
8. Exhibitors may conduct business or otherwise exercise their contract rights through delegation to their employees or to their own chosen volunteers. Such delegation shall not relieve exhibitors of any liability for their obligations under this contract.
9. Exhibitors may begin closing shop by 3:45 P.M. on the day of the Festival and must remove all their equipment, merchandise and other property from the Festival site by 8:30 P.M. on that day.