



15TH ANNUAL IRISH FESTIVAL MARCH 2ND & MARCH 3RD, 2019

FOOD VENDOR APPLICATION

Please mark your calendars for the 15th Annual Irish Festival of Cape Coral. The fest will take place on Saturday, March 2nd, & Sunday, March 3rd, 2019. On Saturday the festival hours are 12pm to **8pm**. On Sunday, the festival starts at 12pm and continues until **8pm**. The venue for the festival will be at the Bavarian Gardens of the German American Social Club which is located at 2101 SW Pine Island Road, Cape Coral, FL. We intend to be the same family oriented fest we have always been. The German American Social Club is a great venue in which many events have been held in the past. There is permanent fencing and two admission gates which promotes security for the vendors. There is a huge amount of free parking available which is organized and well maintained. The location of the fest is very easy to find. The park has some electricity available but it might be wise to provide your own generator.

We ask that your booth space be eye-catching and if possible fit the theme of Irish culture. Site set-up: Vendors who are coming from a distance should make arrangements for overnight accommodations. No vendor will be allowed to stay overnight on festival grounds. No exceptions. The park will be locked at close of festival hours on Saturday night. Vendors may set up after 12pm on Friday, March 2nd. Early tear downs are prohibited. Each vendor will be given a site space and number. Because we want to ensure that our vendors achieve maximum sales, we will be limiting the number of vendors offering the same items to the consumers. No site will be held without application form.

IRISH FESTIVAL RULES

- *No space will be assigned without receipt of application.
- *Application must be received by Saturday, Feb. 16, 2019. There will be a \$25 late charge for application received after Feb. 16, 2019.
- *The festival will take place rain or shine.
- *Vendors must comply with state tax laws. Cape Coral Irish American Club does not assume responsibility for tax payments.
- *You may not move from your assigned site.
- *Vendors are responsible for providing their own equipment and set-up for the sale of their food.
- * This is a ticketed event. All food prices must be in \$1 increments.
- * You may not sell water, soda/pop or alcoholic beverages.
- * Vendors **must not** dispose of any grease/cooking oil in dumpster or garbage cans. There is a specific receptacle for grease disposal on site. Please check with us.

The Fifteenth Annual Cape Coral Irish Festival
March 2nd & March 3rd, 2019
Food Vendor Application

Vendor Information:

- ✓ Space will be assigned in advance.
- ✓ The CCIAC will receive **20%** of all sales based on food tickets, and you will receive a check for 80% issued on **Sunday, March 3rd**, after close of festival. Tickets must be wrapped in \$50 bundles and submitted to the command center office at close of each day of fest. Vendors assume sole responsibility for their tickets. The CCIAC is not responsible or accountable for any lost and/or stolen tickets. This is a ticketed event. All food prices must be in \$1 increments. **Cash sales are not permitted.** Any vendor accepting cash will be **immediately** closed down and removed from the festival.
- ✓ The CCIAC *does not* withhold any taxes from food vendor participants, and any taxes associated with Irish Fest participation are the responsibility of each individual Food Vendor.
- ✓ Food Vendor menus will be approved on a first come basis.
- ✓ You must provide your own electricity.
- ✓ Vendors may choose to provide tables and chairs for their patrons to eat.
- ✓ All vendors should be prepared to set up on uneven ground.
- ✓ Vendors are required to stay the full hours of the festival on each day.
- ✓ We will distribute badges that are meant to be worn by vendors throughout the festival to maintain security.
- ✓ Vendors may not sell water, soda/pop or any alcoholic beverages.
- ✓ Vendors must not dispose of any grease/cooking oil on festival grounds.
- ✓ Must provide signage for prices of all items to be sold. Prices must be in \$1 increments.
- ✓ Security will be provided on Friday and Saturday nights.
- ✓ You must provide a \$1,000,000 Liability Insurance Certificate naming the Cape Coral Irish American Club and the German American Social Club as additional insured. The certificate must be received by the club prior to the festival or you will not be allowed to participate.

Registration Information (Please print legibly):

Business Name _____

Contact Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Cell _____

Fax _____ Email _____

Type of Food to be Sold _____

Number of Feet needed _____

Date application received _____ Current Tax Number _____

Signature _____

Complete your application and send form to:

The Cape Coral Irish American Club

PO Box 101511

Cape Coral, FL 33910

If you have questions call Mary @ 239-540-2161 or email Application maryoneill6@yahoo.com

Dead line Feb. 16, 2019