ANNAPOLIS FREEDOM FEST 2023

The 36^{th} annual Freedom Fest, sponsored by the South Iron Community Betterment Association, will be held October 6^{th} & 7^{th} , 2023. This year's Freedom Fest will feature a Parade, Festival Vendors With Food, Crafts & Various Merchandise, Cute Kid Contest, Live Music, Exciting Kids Games & Much More! All individuals, businesses, religious and school groups are encouraged to participate in Freedom Fest.

On Friday, October 6th, Vendors may begin setting up at 9:00am. We ask that you be ready to open at 12 noon. Because of limited lighting, Vendors will be allowed to stay open until dusk. S.I.C.B.A. will not be responsible for any merchandise but will allow vendors to store boxed merchandise inside the building overnight if needed. Other activities for Friday evening will include a Ham & Bean Dinner @ 5pm followed with Cake Walks and Fun Bingo. The 23rd annual Pet Show will also begin at 5pm.

Saturday morning will kick off with Biscuits & Gravy at 7am. The parade lineup begins at 9am and the parade starts at 10am.

Booths will be set up on the grounds at the Annapolis Community Center. No drugs, alcohol or pets will be permitted. Please return the application below with payment by October 2, 2023.

Send registration form with payment to	FREEDOM FEST 2023 SICBA P.O. Box 180 Annapolis, MO 63620	(For more info call: 573-315-9789 or 573-747-7009)
Name:		
Address:		
Phone # (Home): (Cell):	Email:
Vendor Type: (Circle One) Food Cra	fts General Merchandi	se
Number of Spaces Needed:	(Price Includes Bot	h Friday & Saturday)
10'x10' Booth - \$30 - Without Electric: A	mount Enclosed:	
10'x10' Booth - \$40 - With Electric: Ame	ount Enclosed:	
Food Wagon - \$60 - Amount Enclosed	:	
(Fish Fry Vendor - \$50 plus \$50 depo	osit – deposit refundabl	e if clean-up rules are met)
Make checks payable to: South Iron Community Betterment Association		
Description of craft/type of food/merchandise (your application will not be approved without a description):		
I have read the Policies and Procedures for vendors/participation, and I agree to follow the guidelines, rules and regulations of this event. I hereby waive and hold harmless the organizers and members participating in the event and state they shall not be held liable for any personal accidents, injuries, exposure to any viruses, theft or damage of property in any way.		

Date

Signature

Freedom Fest Vendor Policies and Procedures

Space Sizes: Spaces will be 10'x10' for the event (10'x20' for food wagon vendors). For craft & food vendors with 10'x10' spaces—you may bring a shade cover for your space; however, it must fit within your 10'x10' space. If it is outside your 10'x10' space, you will need to pay for another space or take it down. You may bring tables, chairs, decorations, etc. for your booth. You are responsible for removing/cleaning up all items at the end of the event. Food wagon vendors: your ancillary items (coolers, freezers, etc.) <u>must</u> fit within your 10'x20' space. Otherwise, you must pay for an additional space. You must indicate how many spaces are needed on your registration form.

Taxes: Each vendor is responsible for determining their liability for collecting and remitting any sales tax that may be collected/required by law.

Security Policy: South Iron Community Betterment Association, County of Iron, nor the City of Annapolis shall be held liable for any property loss or damage, nor any merchandise damage or theft. No bullhorns, music or loudspeakers may be used without permission obtained <u>prior</u> to the event.

Space Assignments: The application and its acceptance constitute a contract to use an outdoor space. The committee reserves the right to reassign or change a space if necessary. Spaces are not transferable by vendors. First come, first served. Special needs/handicapped access will be given special consideration.

Closing Time: Vendors will be permitted to keep their shops open until dusk on Friday and Saturday or until the crowd disperses. Please note that electricity is only available to those vendors who have signed up for electric connections.

Loading/Unloading: Absolutely NO VEHICLES are allowed on the lawn of the Community Center. Vendors may use the street and park by the sidewalk in front of the Community Center for unloading on Friday prior to 11:30 a.m. On Saturday vendors should be unloaded by 8 a.m. Your vehicle must be well out of the sidewalk area PRIOR to the time indicated for unloading. You may not park on the street east of the Community Center—that street is reserved for Freedom Fest activities (Bounce House, Games, Etc.).

Pet Policy: Pets are not allowed in the booths at Freedom Fest. Exceptions will be made for service animals only.

Confirmation: The committee reserves the right to refuse any vendor application. Applications received without a description of merchandise to be sold will be returned. We use the description to be sure we don't place booths with like items beside each other, and also to be sure that items sold are in accordance with policies set for our event.

Refunds: There are no refunds—the festival is held rain or shine.

For further information, questions or concerns, please contact:

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