**Art in the Park Artist Market**

**The How’s and What’s of the Market for Vendors**

Mission Historical Park, Fort Smith, Saturday September 11, 1-4 pm

Registration deadline is Thursday, September 9

**South Slave Artists and Craftspeople**

We are busy planning for Art in the Park for September 11, 1pm to 4 pm and we would love to have you come sell your creations to the people of Fort Smith.

Registration fee will be $20 per table. Please complete the registration form and return with your payment. We request you pay for your table before the event. If you are having connection problems, or can’t walk in to see us in person, please phone us and we will take your information over the phone.

For vendors not living in Fort Smith, or its near environs, there is a travel and accommodation stipend of $300. You will receive this stipend by cheque at the event.

**The Venue and the Day of the Sale**

The Mission Historical Park venue will open at 11:30 am for set up and we ask that you have set up completed by 12:45 pm. The public will be welcomed in at 1 PM.

You will be able to use the Elders and Accessible Parking area to unload anything you need for your booth. When you have unloaded please park your vehicle across the street at the cathedral so this area is available to those with restricted mobility.

All tables will be assigned. Please ask Jeri or Shandi to show you to your table.

Due to COVID19 restrictions and the current situation, we need to limit the number of vendors inside the pavilion. We will have sheltered and unsheltered areas just outside the building also. We ask all vendors to wear masks and comply with the recommendations and orders of Protect NWT and GNWT Public Health. People coming to the event will be asked to wear masks also. If the situation changes for the worse, we may need to cancel the event. We will give you as much notice as possible.

**Some other things you may be interested in**

Desnede Farmer’s Market will be held on Sunday, 1-4 pm. We encourage you to sign up with them also and make a weekend of it.

We will have live music playing at the event. Local musical acts will be performing for vendors and visitors

We also have three artists offerings short workshops over the course of the weekend. You might want to participate and learn a new skill or enjoy the stories around the table). These are listed below. For more information, please call us.

Polymer Clay Pendants (intended for children over 8 years old) -Saturday Sept. 11 @ 10am

Alcohol Ink Mugs –Sept. 11 1-4pm @ Misson Historic Park

Beaded earrings –Sept. 11 @ 6pm

Beaded Windchimes (intended for the over 8 crowd) (but you’d love it too)-Sunday Sept. 12 @10 am

Diamond Willow Walking Stick- Sept. 12 @ 1pm

**Art in the Park registration information**

September 11th, 2021

1:00 – 4:00 pm

Table registration $20.00

**Name of Artist (and Business Name if applicable):**

**Contact phone #:**

**Email address:**

**Payment type:**

for more information, contact

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