

## Michigan Fiber Festival Vendor Information & Guidelines

The Michigan Fiber Festival is a non-profit organization dedicated to servicing and promoting the fiber industry and fiber arts. We are organized and run by volunteers. It is a five day family oriented event which begins Wednesday, August 12, 2020 with numerous workshops on a variety of fiber related topics. **Vendors start selling August 14<sup>th</sup> -16<sup>th</sup> with hours being:**

**Friday and Saturday 10:00am to 6:00pm; Sunday 10:00am to 4:00pm**

**All vendors will be juried every year to insure greater variety in product, adherence to guidelines, and appropriate behavior. Vendors whose behavior (including that of employees or family members) is disruptive to MFJ participants, other vendors or Fair Ground Staff will not receive an invitation to return and may be asked to leave during festival if deemed necessary.**

Current Vendors that wish to return the following year may pre-register to receive a discount. Form and payment must be turned into the Festival Office no later than 3:30 pm on Sunday. Pre-registration **does not guarantee** a booth for the next year. Pre-registered vendors will be notified within 60 days with an acceptance or denial by email.

Booth space is limited to exhibitors whose products and services contain fiber or are fiber related. Booths in building 8A are 10'x10'; outside and expo are 12'x12'. Limit of two booths per business, unless grandfathered.

New vendors will be selected from the juried list, with the focus on a balanced show.

All cancellations must be in writing. Refund amounts are as follows: before June 30<sup>th</sup> 90%, July 1 through 31 @ 75% no refunds after August 1<sup>st</sup>.

### PRODUCT GUIDELINES

Appropriate products for vendor display include but are not necessarily limited to:

1. Natural fibers, roving, batts, yarns.
2. Fiber supplies, dyes, spinning wheels, looms, and accessories.
3. **Items produced from natural fiber by the vendor.**
4. Visual art or informational products related to fiber animals and/or fiber arts.

We reserve the right to refuse items deemed inappropriate, at any time before or during the show.

**NO MORE THAN 20% OF PRODUCT CAN FALL OUTSIDE THESE GUIDELINES**

If you are uncertain if your product(s) or service(s) fit these categories, please inquire by calling the office at 269-948-2497.

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