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# Holiday Market 2024 Rules, Regulations & Contract Provisions

## Market Rules

All wares displayed must be handmade by the member. Products must meet all Saturday Market standards and guidelines as outlined in the Market Standards & Craft Specific Guidelines Handbook or as stated in any Board approved regulation, and be approved by Nov. 6, 2024 by the Standards Committee. All members must comply with all applicable local and state fire codes, ordinances, laws and regulations pertaining to health, fire prevention, public safety and all other matters.

## Market Membership

All members must be current members of Saturday Market in good standing and must sign a 2024 Membership Agreement. Members are responsible for reading the 2024 Membership Agreement and the 2024 Holiday Market Rules, Regulations and Contract Provisions. Any questions regarding any of these provisions should be resolved well in advance of the Holiday Market season.

## Booth Assignment

Members agree to occupy the space assigned and to be open and staffed during all regular Market hours. In the event that a member does not occupy an assigned space, the Market is authorized to use that space in the best interest of the Market without any refunds to the member and without releasing the member from any liability. Members agree not to sublet their space or to employ any sales agents or employees

except in compliance with Market rules and regulations. While it is intended that all booth assignments made as a part of the sign-up process will be honored, Saturday Market reserves the right to reassign booth spaces at any time in the best interests of the Market as determined by Market staff and the Board of Directors. The Saturday Market is under no obligation to rent any specific booth space to any specific members in future years. Spaces will be allocated according to policies and guidelines approved by the Board of Directors.

## Cancellations/Refunds

Exhibitors canceling by October 11, 2024 are entitled to a refund of all booth fees paid in excess of \$25. Exhibitors canceling after October 11, 2024 are not entitled to any refund. In case of special circumstances, members may apply to the Board of Directors for partial or full refunds.

## Booth Sizes and Structure

Booth sizes are limited to 4'x6', 6'x8', 8'x8', 10'x8', and 10'x10' as indicated on the Holiday Market site map. In no instance will members be allowed to exceed the authorized dimensions of the booth space they occupy. **This space limitation includes stock, member chairs and any fixtures. No member may sit or place a chair in the common aisle space.** Members must bring their own structures and seating. All structures and displays must be of sound construction and in good repair. **Major booth construction, i.e. use of power saws, etc.,**

**must be done outside the building. No roof is allowed on any booth structure, in accordance with fire regulations.** Booth height is limited to a maximum of 10 ft. in both halls. Signs in the Evergreen Hall may extend to 12 ft. high. All aisle overhangs must be at least 7 ft. off the ground. No signage or merchandise is allowed to hang from overhangs or extend into the aisles, everything must be within the border of your booth space. Blind space adjoining a booth structure may be used with a flat fee of \$50 per weekend for storage only. Please come to an equitable decision regarding shared space with booth neighbors. Any use of blind space for display will result in additional fees based on your assigned booth (i.e. assigned an 8'x8' plus the use of blind space for storage will result in being charged an 10'x8' price). **Booth structures MUST BE DISASSEMBLED** before moving from one space to another.

## Loading In and Out

Overnight security is in place between load-in days and the end of each selling block. **All stock must be removed at the end of each selling block.** For reasons of security, access to the Evergreen & Holiday Halls before and after hours is limited. Members may use the east (back) and south (side) doors. There is no loading in through the front of the building. Members may not park in posted restricted areas at any time. This includes the fire lane on the south side of the building. Cars may be towed from these

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areas. A few carts are available for limited member use. Members will not be permitted to load or unload through the front lobby during Market hours. **The building is not accessible during non-Market days.**

### **Electricity**

Each craft booth is limited to a total of 500 watts of electric power, from a single outlet at the power source. The Fire Marshal requires that your lights and other electrical items be connected to the electricity in a specific way. If they are not properly connected, you **WILL NOT** be allowed to use them. All booths will be inspected. See the "Important! Electrical Info!" flyer for more details.

### **Fire Regulations**

There shall be no flames or any other 'lit' items in the building. This includes, but is not limited to, incense, candles, and lanterns. Each booth (craft or food) shall have a portable extinguisher; the minimum size must be a U.L. classification 2A10BC. Extinguishers shall have been serviced within the last 12 months and shall have a current service tag. Extinguishers shall be visible and accessible in the booth at all times. All full wall decorations and side walls of booths are required to be fire resistant and you must be able to show proof of meeting the requirement. Table coverings and stock are not required to be fire resistant. Wood less than 1/4" thick shall be treated with a flame-retardant coating. No propane tanks are permitted inside the building. Food members are not permitted to deep-fry or barbecue any foods inside the building.

### **Hours of Operation**

Selling hours for each Market day are 10 AM–6 PM except for December 24th when the Market closes at 4 PM. In all cases members are required to be set up and ready to sell no later than 5 minutes before opening and are not permitted to close their booths until the stated Market closing time.

### **Booth Sharing**

Booth spaces may be shared by a maximum of two members. Both members must be Market members in good standing. The primary booth holder must assume the responsibility for the payment of all fees. The booth partner must complete a Booth Partner Application and pay \$5 per weekend (up to \$20 max) and a \$40 work deposit. Both partners must be in the booth at all times except for reasonable breaks.

### **Use of Employees**

At Saturday Market the maker is the seller. The use of employees as sellers is limited to ten percent of the total number of Market days attended during the current Market year. For a person selling at all Markets, this privilege would amount to five days for the entire Market season including Holiday Market and Park Block selling days.

### **Work Deposit**

As a member-led organization, all members are required to sign up for a minimum of two hours of work in support of Holiday Market. Shifts include security and security sweep, setting up and taking down the Market, etc. Contact Market staff to set up your work shift. Only two hours of work are required from each member (i.e. partnership, family). A \$40 work task fee will be added to Holiday Market space fees if a work task is not completed. Members are responsible for signing in and out at the on-site Membership Services office when completing their task, or will be charged the \$40 work task fee. The work requirement and deposit are waived for members over 65 years old and/or they serve on the Board, a Committee, or Task Force.

### **Parking**

During the hours that the Market is open all members must park in designated member parking areas which are located to the east of the Exhibit Hall (in the rear) or over the bridge on the south side of the exhibit hall. Member parking is specifically prohibited in the areas directly to the south and the west of the Exhibit Hall. These spaces are for your customers. Cars are vulnerable to break ins, remove all valuables before leaving your vehicle for the day.

### **Alter-Abled Parking**

Should you require a reserved handicapped space, please contact the office. Indicate whether you need a van accessible space. The Market will issue you a Holiday Market Alter-Abled Parking Permit which will correspond to a numbered space for the weekend.

### **Decorations**

Members are encouraged to festively decorate their booths. Colored or white lights are permitted but they must be secured with insulated staples or tape and they must not come in contact with any metal surface. No cut live greens are permitted. Bring an appropriate fire retardant backdrop to cover up unsightly electrical lines and storage that may be behind your booth space.

### **Scent, Sound & Lights**

Members whose products have an impact beyond the confines of their booths (scent or sound) are asked to be sensitive to the impact of their products on other members and the public and to cooperate with mitigation requests. No neon signs or bright flashing lights are allowed. If mitigation is not successful, the member will be asked to leave.

### **Radios, TVs and CD Players**

The use of radios, CD or DVD players, or TVs during Market hours is not permitted.

### **Food Sales**

No food of any kind may be sold or given

away from any craft space unless they meet all the standards for prepackaged foods as found in the Market Standards & Craft Specific Guidelines Handbook, and are approved by the Standards Committee.

### **Hawking**

Members are not permitted to 'hawk' or otherwise aggressively merchandise their goods.

### **Supervise Your Children & Teens**

If you bring children and/or teenagers (ages 0-13 years of age) with you, it is your responsibility to keep them under your direct care. Do not let them freely roam the Market, even during times when the Market is not open to the public. They should be restricted to your booth area and not hinder or disturb other members' businesses, staff, or Market operations.

### **Smoking & Vaping**

There is no smoking of any kind permitted anywhere inside the Holiday Market, including e-cigarettes/vaping. Members are not permitted to use the areas in front of public entrances as smoking areas. Approved member smoking areas are located only on the east side of the Exhibit Hall.

### **Optional Day Off**

Any member who signs up for and pays for all fifteen selling days of Holiday Market is entitled to take any one of those days off provided that a letter is submitted to the Board of Directors by October 2nd, 2024 and subsequently approved and that booth and all stock is removed for the day off. Members choosing this option will not be entitled to any refund of fees.

### **Disciplinary Action**

Violations of Saturday Market or Holiday Market rules and regulations are subject to disciplinary action. If a Market rule is blatantly disregarded by a Member, they will be issued one written warning from the Market Manager. Subsequent violations of the same rule will result in loss of one point from the Member's record per violation.

### **General Disclaimer**

Saturday Market accepts no liability whatsoever for damage, injury, or loss of any kind incurred by the exhibitor or for liabilities incurred by the exhibitor, including loss by fire or theft. Saturday Market will provide a night watchperson and otherwise exert reasonable care to physically safeguard the goods and possessions of the exhibitor during specified times without thereby assuming a bailment or any other form of financial responsibility. Saturday Market is not liable for refunds or any other liabilities whatsoever for failure to fulfill this agreement due to reasons beyond their control, including, but not limited to, fire or other calamity, acts of Nature, strikes, statutes, ordinances, or other acts of legal authority.