

Forks of the Wabash Pioneer Festival Pioneer Village Application

FESTIVAL TIMES: Saturday, 10:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Sunday, 10:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

PLACE: Hier's Park (547 S. Briant Street), Huntington, Indiana 46750

I WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE FESTIVAL THIS YEAR: _____ YES _____ NO

I WILL NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE FESTIVAL THIS YEAR, BUT PLEASE CONTACT ME NEXT YEAR: _____ YES _____ NO

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR INDIVIDUAL _____

PIONEER CRAFT BEING DEMONSTRATED _____

CONTACT PERSON FOR EXHIBIT:

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

BEST WAY TO CONTACT YOU: _____ HOME PHONE / CELL PHONE / EMAIL

NUMBER OF YEARS YOU HAVE PARTICIPATED IN THE FESTIVAL: _____

FESTIVAL FEES: \$25.00 for demonstrating and selling your items (If you are demonstrating **ONLY**, this fee does not apply)

NUMBER OF EXHIBITOR PASSES NEEDED: _____

Please request only enough tickets for those who will be working at your exhibit on a full time basis.

REQUEST PARKING PASS FOR SWINDLER LOT: _____ YES _____ NO

(Only one pass given for each participant – please only request if necessary)

I HAVE READ THE FESTIVAL REQUIREMENTS (UNDER DROP BOX “VENDOR INFO”) AND RULES (LISTED BELOW) FOR PARTICIPATION AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE POLICIES AS STATED. I AGREE THAT I AM LIABLE FOR LOSS, DAMAGE OR INJURY TO MYSELF OR MY PROPERTY DURING THE COURSE OF THE FESTIVAL.

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

Please return this application and your fee (if applies) no later than August 15th to: Forks of the Wabash Pioneer Festival, Attn: Heather Clampitt, 3973 E 300 S, Markle IN 46770, FAX (attn: Heather Clampitt (260)483-2133) OR EMAIL (heather.clampitt@ja.org). You will receive a confirmation and your passes by mail in September. Make checks or money order payable to: Forks of the Wabash Pioneer Festival.

Pioneer Village Rules

FIRE CODE:

If you need a fire for your demonstration, the tent needs to be fire proofed and a small label attached stating such. If you do your own fire proofing, you need to have the bottle there for the fire chief to see. You must have a fire extinguisher, and your fire must be at least 10 feet away from your tent. Remember, all trash, including all corn stalks, straw bales and weeds, etc. must be removed from the park. You can use straw for decorations if you have no fire, but straw cannot be used under a roof. **You must bring your own straw for your booth for decorations**, the festival **DOES NOT** provide you with straw to decorate your booth. There are dumpsters near the cattle barn (SE corner of park) to put your cardboard in.

SETUP:

You can set up your exhibit on Friday afternoon, or you can begin at 7:00 a.m. Saturday. No tear downs can begin before closing time on Sunday. Exhibits will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday from 10:00 a.m. till 5:00 p.m. All vehicles are to be out of the area by 9:45 a.m. each day of the festival. No vehicles will be allowed back into the park until 15 minutes **after** the festival closes each day to allow visitors to leave the festival.

PARKING:

Parking is available in any festival parking area. A limited number of passes are available for vendors to park in the Swindler lot area off of Evergreen Road by the cattle barns. Please indicate interest for this pass on your Application form (only one vendor parking pass will be given out to each participant).

COSTUMES:

All Participants must be dressed in Pioneer costumes (1890 era). We suggest a long dress or skirt and blouse of Calico, small print or Homespun look cotton material. Duster caps, sun bonnets, aprons and shawls are nice accessories for the women and pants of canvas, denim overalls or cotton material for the men. Good colors would be brown, black, or tan. Shirts of white, calico or neutral color cotton are also appropriate to wear. **PLEASE, NO ALUMINUM CHAIRS** in the park. A small wooden chair would be in better taste. Try to be as AUTHENTIC as possible with your display.

FEES:

Those persons who will be demonstrating a Pioneer craft will not be charged to participate. Those of you who will be selling your items will be assessed a \$25.00 fee by the festival. If you are selling items, you must have a sales tax number, and submit the 7% tax on your sales to the State. Please let us know if you have questions.

ADMISSION:

Admission into the festival is \$3.00 per adult, \$1.00 for students. Children 5 and under are free. An exhibitor will be issued one day passes for you and your workers (normally four (4) passes are given to each exhibitor). The workers' pass will be collected at the gate each day and your hand stamped for you to re-enter during that day. On your Application form, please indicate how many you will need, keeping in mind that passes are valid for one day only.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call Mary Brooks at (260)344-1146 or Heather Clampitt at (260) 224-3706 or email heather.clampitt@ja.org. The Pioneer Village registration DEADLINE will be August 15th. We appreciate your cooperation and we are pleased that you will be participating in helping to make the Pioneer Festival one of the finest in the State of Indiana. We hope it will be fun, yet knowledgeable to all age groups. As always, we hope that the weather will be cooperative this year.

Sunday morning worship service will begin at 9:00 a.m., and breakfast will be served at 9:00 also, on the grounds. There is a charge for the breakfast.

FESTIVAL REQUIREMENTS

Please read carefully the Festival Requirements located on this website under the drop box "Vendor Info". By signing your application you agree to follow these requirements as well as any others stated by the committee.