



Food Vendor Rules and Regulations

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

PLEASE READ

Thank you for your interest in Boggy Fest. There are 90 spaces available for food vendors. Each space is 10 feet on the front by 20 feet deep. You may purchase as many spaces as necessary to operate your business. However, if you purchase a single 10-foot wide space and your trailer tongue or tie downs exceed the width of the space, then you will not be allowed to encroach on an adjacent assigned space. If the door of your booth opens out, you must allow for that also. The reason for these constraints is that there is no room between the booth spaces. The side boundary of your space is the side boundary of the adjacent space. For this reason, the public may not have access to the side of your booth.

Vendors are selected based on the attached criteria.

Our goal is producing the best festival on the Gulf Coast. All booth operators who are selected to participate must abide by the following rules. If you cannot do so, then do not return the application fees.

RULES

1. No booth or part of any booth may be sublet to any other person or organization, whether profit or nonprofit. There will be no exceptions. You will sell only menu items which have been listed on the application or have been otherwise approved in writing by the Festival Council. Chips, candy, and condiments are not required to be listed. Violation of the above could result in your ejection from the festival. In addition, any unauthorized sub-tenant will be ejected.
2. Boggy Fest has designated the **Buffalo Rock / Pepsi-Cola** Bottling Company as the official Soft Drink Sponsor for Boggy Fest. **NO OTHER SOFT DRINK COMPANIES** or vendors will be allowed to advertise or sell their products.
3. Boggy Fest reserves the right to all beer and wine sales. No drink of any kind will be sold in glass containers.
4. All booths are responsible for collecting and remitting sales tax to the State of Florida.
5. All booths must be set up by 7:00 p.m., Thursday, October 17. Set up times will begin no earlier than Tuesday, October 15 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Booths and trailers must be removed by Tuesday night after the festival. Hours of operation are: 12:00 p.m.- 12:00 midnight Friday, 12:00 p.m. - midnight Saturday, and 12:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Sunday. Food booths may be open at any hour during the day and must be open during the hours listed above.

6. Vehicle parking in or behind the food booths is subject to the following instructions. One vehicle may be parked behind your assigned booth, provided there is space available. A camper or small truck may be parked behind your booth if the vehicle is necessary for storage of cold food. Other campers must park in the area adjacent to festival site which is designated for vendor parking.
7. If your booth requires electricity, then you must make sure that you do not overload your circuit. Indicate your voltage and amperage requirements on the enclosed application and do not exceed these figures in your operation. Any camper parked behind your booth shall not plug into Boggy Fest power during festival hours. If an unauthorized camper violates this provision, then your power cord will be confiscated.
8. Vendors using any type of oven, grill, deep fat fryer, a flame operated appliance, or stove are required to have minimum of one 5lb. 2A 10BC fire extinguisher. Vendors doing deep fat frying are also required to have a type K extinguisher. All extinguishers must be up to date and have a certification tag on each extinguisher per Florida Statute 633.071. Any vendor not complying with this rule will not be able to operate until the violation is resolved.
9. If you will be using electricity, then you must supply a 50' heavy-duty, all weather extension cord. Cost of electricity is included in your booth fee (see attached application).
10. Boggy Fest provides water, but you must supply your own 50' water hose.
11. Booth waste water must be contained (see attached Health Regulations).
12. No sound amplification devices or audio equipment may be used (i.e. bullhorns, PA systems, etc.).
13. No advertisements or signage for your booth will be placed outside your booth space.
14. No booth operator, profit or nonprofit, will be allowed to hawk his wares by walking through the crowd. You will sell only out of your assigned booth space. The first violation of this rule will draw a warning. Upon the second violation, we will close your booth for the duration of the festival.
15. Please make sure that your equipment and fixtures fit inside the space or spaces that you have reserved. This includes tie downs, tarps, flaps, tables, signs, trailer tongues, BBQ grills, side openings, etc.
16. All food booths must comply with State Health Rules.
17. No grease or deep fat fry substances will be dumped on the ground. All waste grease will be disposed of in the proper recycling container located near your booth. **Violation of this requirement will result in immediate expulsion.**
18. No pets, no glass containers, or firearms will be allowed in the site at any time.

All applications must be returned no later than September 29, 2019.

All fees, including insurance fees or certificates, must accompany the application. If you are selected to participate in Boggy Fest, you will be promptly notified after receipt of completed application. If you are not accepted, you will be placed on a waiting list, and will be notified immediately if a cancellation exists. Lease fees will not be refunded after September 22, 2019.

It is not the purpose of the above listed rules to deny anyone a chance to participate in Boggy Fest. The rules are based on common sense and over 40 years of experience. The primary purpose of our rules is to ensure a safe and enjoyable experience for the thousands of folks who are our guests.

For more information, call (850)-642-8292

