



**2019 APPLICATION**

**Applications are due April 22<sup>nd</sup> 2019** along with a \$50 deposit. The remainder of the fees is due June 7<sup>th</sup> 2019. **No refund of vendor fees after May 15<sup>th</sup>.** Vendors will be notified by May 3<sup>rd</sup> about acceptance to the market. Vendors who apply after April 22<sup>nd</sup> will be notified as soon as possible about acceptance.

**The Meaford Farmers' Market will take place Fridays, 3 – 7 p.m., June 7<sup>th</sup> - October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019, at the Meaford Harbour Pavilion.**

**NAME(S):** \_\_\_\_\_ **NAME OF FARM/BUSINESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CITY / TOWN:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**POSTAL CODE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CELL PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-MAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_ **WEBSITE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**LIST NAMES & RELATIONSHIPS OF PEOPLE STAFFING YOUR BOOTH:**

Space required for set-up: each vendor is guaranteed one 8ft. long space. Depending upon availability, more space may be granted. Describe your requirements. Please specify whether you would like a space under or outside of the pavilion.

**MARKET FEES:**

PLEASE ITEMIZE YOUR TOTAL COSTS

**FOR STANDARD 8 FOOT SPACE (FOR 4 FOOT SPACE, THE FEE IS 50% OF THOSE LISTED)**

**FULL 19 WEEKS @ \$240.00 (\$40 for youth ages 12-17)** \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**FOUR WEEK BLOCK(S) @ \$80.00 EA** \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**LIST DATES:** \_\_\_\_\_

**WEEKLY @ \$30.00 EA (\$5 for youth ages 12-17)** \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\* FOR EACH EXTRA 8 FOOT SPACE REQUESTED (SPACE DEPENDS ON AVAILABILITY)**

**FULL 19 WEEKS: ADD \$100** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**FOUR WEEK BLOCK: ADD \$25 PER BLOCK** .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: THE ABOVE PERTAINS ONLY TO SPACE IN THE PAVILION. OUTDOOR SPACES, REGARDLESS OF SPACE REQUIREMENTS, WILL BE COVERED BY THE STANDARD FEE OF \$240.**

**YEARLY MEMBERSHIP DUES: \$10.00** \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**ELECTRICITY:** Please indicate if you require access to electricity. YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_  
Vendors must supply their own heavy duty 100 ft. extension cord. Due to limited electricity access at the pavilion, there is a limit of 2 items requiring electricity per vendor.

**OUTDOOR MARKETS:** There will be 2 markets outside of the pavilion. Will you be attending market these weeks?

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| 1. Rotary Fish Fry, July 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2019         | YES _____ | NO _____ |
| 2. Scarecrow Invasion: September 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2019 | YES _____ | NO _____ |

**VENDOR CATEGORIES**

Fully itemize/describe products to be offered for sale in each category. Information will be used for management and promotional materials for the Farmers' Market.

**AGRICULTURE**

List of crops/products to be sold: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Origin of produce/products: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of farming (please circle):

- Non-organic
- Organic
- Certified organic
- Naturally grown

Greenhouse/Field Combination: Yes / No

If greenhouse/field combination, please indicate percentage of each: \_\_\_\_\_

**BAKING** \_\_\_\_\_

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**FOOD CONCESSION** (Vendors of prepared foods must follow the Grey/Bruce Health Unit regulations):

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**ARTS & CRAFTS:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**NAME OF OFF-SITE VENDOR(S) AND THEIR PRODUCTS INCLUDED IN YOUR 25% PORTION:**

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Please describe the Federal and/or Provincial health inspection requirements for your operation.

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The Vendor Application Forms are reviewed by the Vendor Selection Committee. All products are separated in Primary and Secondary Vendor categories. A Primary Vendor is defined as one who grows or raises his/her product and a Secondary Vendor is defined as one who makes something for sale that they did not grow or raise the primary materials or ingredients, including prepared foods, arts and crafts. The Meaford Farmers' Market does not accept vendors re-selling items.

Primary Vendors are reviewed to ensure their products are:

- produced by the applicant and within the 100 kilometer radius;
- of high quality; and
- do not upset the balance of similar products offered by other vendors.

In addition to the factors listed above, products of Secondary Vendors are reviewed according to:

- Craftsmanship, quality, creativity & originality of concept; and
- Value-added to original or natural materials used in the finished product.

\*All primary producers will be required to complete an informal farm inspection carried out by two members of the farmers' market board of directors.

We ask that vendors arrive at the market at least half an hour before opening and remain at the market until closing at 7 p.m.

**Upon signing, the Vendor acknowledges and agrees to take full responsibility for any loss, damage or accident occurring at the Market as a result of negligence or willful default on the part of the Vendor or their employees. Having paid the appropriate fees and having read and understood the operational rules as outlined in the MFM Handbook, I hereby agree to comply fully with these and other Federal, Provincial and Municipal laws that apply.**

**Signature(s) of Vendor(s):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cheques payable to: Meaford Farmers' Market. Please mail or take applications and cheques to the Meaford & District Chamber of Commerce, 13 Nelson St. W., Meaford, ON, N4L 1N1 (Hours are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Monday to Friday.)**

**The Meaford Farmers' Market is a non-profit co-operative.**

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