



10TH ANNUAL IRISH FESTIVAL MARCH 1ST & 2ND, 2014

To our Vendors—Past and Future—Welcome!

Please mark your calendars for the 10th Annual Irish Festival of Cape Coral. The fest will take place on Saturday, March 1st and Sunday, March 2nd, 2014. On Saturday the festival hours are 11am to 10pm. On Sunday, the festival starts at 11am beginning with a Catholic Mass and continues until 8pm. The venue for the festival will again be The Bavarian Gardens of the German American Social Club located at 2101 W. Pine Island Road, Cape Coral, Fl. Due to the severe cold weather during the weekend of our last Irish Fest our attendance was down slightly from the previous fest held in 2012 which surpassed 10,000 people. The vendors who did participate said they did remarkably well despite the weather. The Bavarian Gardens are a major component to the success of our previous five festivals which were held on the grounds. The Gardens are well kept with many trees which offer much needed shade in a park like setting and include both permanent fencing and permanent admission gates. This promotes security for the vendors. There is seating for over 1500 people with tables and umbrellas and fold-up chairs provided. There is a huge amount of free parking available which is very organized and well maintained. The location of the fest is very easy to find. The park has electricity available and overhead lighting for the evening hours of the festival.

We ask that your booth space be eye-catching and if possible fit the theme of Irish culture. Site set up—Vendors who are coming from a distance should make arrangements for overnight accommodations. No vendor will be allowed to stay overnight on festival grounds. No exceptions. The park will be locked at close of festival hours on Saturday night. Vendors may set up after 8AM on Saturday, March 1st. Vendors may remain open the entire festival hours or may close early but must secure their own booth if leaving early. Early tear downs are prohibited.

Each vendor will be given a site space and number. Because we want to ensure that our vendors achieve maximum sales, we will be limiting the number of vendors offering the same items to the consumers. Those vendors not accepted will have their money refunded. No site will be held without application form and payment.

IRISH FESTIVAL RULES

- *No vendors will be allowed to sell bottled water or pop/soda.
- *No space will be assigned without receipt of application and payment.
- *Payment and application must be received by Friday, Feb. 21, 2014. There will be an additional \$25 late charge for application received after Feb. 21, 2014.
- *The festival will take place rain or shine. **No refunds will be made if vendor decides not to participate.**
- *Vendors must comply with state tax laws. Cape Coral Irish American Club does not assume responsibility for tax payments.
- *You may not move from your assigned site.
- *Vendors are responsible for providing their own tent, table or shelving, and set-up for the sale of their items.

**The Tenth Annual Cape Coral Irish Festival
March 1st & 2nd, 2014
Vendor Application Form**

Vendor Information:

- Numbered spaces measuring 10 feet by 10 feet will be assigned in advance.
- The booth fee is \$80 per day or \$125 for both days which includes electricity.
- All exhibitors should be prepared to set up on uneven ground.
- All objects on display must be neatly arranged and prices clearly marked.
- We will distribute badges that are meant to be worn by vendors throughout the Festival to help with security.
- There will be security provided on Saturday night.

Registration Information (Please print legibly):

Business Name _____

Contact Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Cell _____

Fax _____ Email _____

Business Description _____

Number of Spaces _____ Amount enclosed _____

Date application received _____ Current Tax Number _____

Signature _____

Make checks payable to
Cape Coral Irish American Club
& return the completed form to:

The Cape Coral Irish American Club
PO Box 101511, Cape Coral, FL 33910
If you have questions call Mary @ 239-540-2161 or email maryoneill6@yahoo.com
Application deadline Feb. 21, 2014

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