## STONINGTON VILLAGE FAIR ARTISAN ROW GUIDELINES

- 1. All exhibits will be juried into the show. Please include the URL of your website on the application and/or three photos with your application, including two of your craft and one of your overall booth or display, as supporting materials. This is for all applicants, including returning vendors.
- 2. Spaces are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis, so please include your top three spaces when registering. We will try our best to honor your space requests. Priority will be given to vendors with hand-crafted items and/or original artwork.
- 3. If your application is not selected, payment will be refunded to you promptly in full. Multiple similar product entries and space constraints impact selection.
- 4. The COMO will provide all advertising designed to promote this popular event.
- 5. Exhibitors may check in for set up no earlier than 7:00 a.m. on the day of the Fair. Fair sales may begin at 10:00 a.m. and end at 4:00 p.m. To maintain the integrity of the Fair, all selected vendors are required to remain open for sales until the 4:00 p.m. closing time. There will be NO loading/unloading from the library driveway. Exhibitors must provide their own table, chairs, displays, and tents.
- 6. There will be a 10-minute unloading zone from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. for registered artisans at the 2024 Village Fair. No traffic will be allowed on High Street after 9 a.m. In order to help streamline this process, we are requiring a vehicle make, model and license plate number on your application. This will help identify you as a registered vendor on the day of the event.
- 7. Exhibitors may set up tents and table/chairs on the green beginning the Friday before the fair after 3 p.m. Tents must be staked and all set-up is at your own risk.
- 8. The Stonington Village Fair is a rain or shine event. Payments for jury accepted vendor spaces are non-refundable. We encourage you to bring a tent for shade or inclement weather as none will be provided.
- 9. The entry fee for the one day show is \$140 for a 10'x10' standard space and \$160 for a 12'x12' premier space. Please make payment online or your check payable to the Stonington Community Center and mail with your application and photos to:

The Stonington Community Center, Inc.

28 Cutler Street, Stonington, CT 06378

Attention: Village Fair

10. All exhibitors who sell products within the State of Connecticut must possess a valid CT sales tax permit. If you do not have one, please contact the Dept. of Revenue Services –Registration Division at (860) 297-4885 or (860) 566-7437. Crafters who do not have a tax permit will not be considered for the Fair.

- 11. All exhibitors and patrons are required to follow all CT State mandated COVID-19 safety protocols that are in effect at the time of the Fair. Failure to comply with COVID-19 safety protocols will result in the vendor being asked to leave without refund.
- 12. If the event is cancelled due to state mandates, your reservation will be applied to the 2025 Village Fair Artisan Row.