



2019 Plain Township Farmers' Market Youth Vendor Guidelines

The Plain Township Farmers' Market is seeking local school aged children to share their talents with the community on **Wednesdays** from 4:00-7:00pm. The market is located at **Veteran's Park**, at **1714 Schneider Street NE ~ Canton, OH 44721**.

Becoming a Youth Vendor is a great opportunity for our next generation to learn about marketing and handling money, while selling their handcrafted or homegrown items in a fun and safe environment.

As long as they help create/produce the items to be sold, children are invited to sell:

- Arts & crafts
- Baked goods (*Cottage Food Laws apply!!!*)
 - Jewelry & accessories
- Home grown produce, plants & fresh cut flowers

Dates: The Pavilion will be open on 2 market dates for dedicated **Children's Markets: June 19th & July 24th**. Should parking spots be available on any other market date, Youth Vendors are welcome to set up in such. (*Apply to all dates interested and availability will be confirmed upon confirmation of acceptance.*)

Space: Youth Vendors are welcome to set up on a provided **6 foot picnic table** under the **pavilion** or by bringing a table, chairs and tent (*if desired*) and setting up in the **parking lot**. If a tent is utilized, it must be secured by weights at all times. Spots are available on a first come, first served basis. **The non-refundable cost is \$5. (FREE with proof of active 501-c3 status)**

Parking: Parent/guardians can park **in the grass behind the pavilion** (*along the tree line*) to unload your vehicle and/or for the duration of the market hours or within an assigned parking spot. **All vehicles must be parked by 3:30pm and displays set up by 3:45pm in order to participate. Please use EXTREME CAUTION when driving in the grass/pavilion area. Vehicles are not permitted around the Splash Pad.**

General Guidelines:

- Vendors must display a sign identifying their name/products.
- All vendors must stay set up for the duration of the market. No early booth breakdowns or departures.
- It is the responsibility of the vendor to price all sale items and bring cash to make change for customers. **Parent/guardian supervision required for each child.**
- Vendors must comply with all laws, ordinances and regulations of the United States, State of Ohio, Stark County and Plain Township.
- Vendors must wear proper attire and keep their area clean and free of debris during the market and promptly remove all personal items and dispose of all trash at the conclusion of each market.
- **Vendors are encouraged to assist in promoting the Plain Township Farmers' Market.**
- The Plain Township Parks Director has the discretion to approve or deny vendor applications, so to ensure the integrity of the market is maintained.
- Plain Township is not responsible for any damage, loss, injury, theft, harm or altercation that may occur before, during and/or after the market. Liability of Plain Township is strictly limited to its employees and maintenance of the park.
- **Open RAIN or SHINE, but not in inclement weather.** The market will not be cancelled in advance due to unfavorable forecasts. Should inclement weather occur in 44721 during market hours, it will close early out of respect for everyone's safety.
- **All vendors must be self-sufficient, as the market does not have spare tents, weights, tables or chairs to offer.**

The Farmers Market of Plain Township Stark County Inc. is a non-profit public benefit 501(c)(3) corporation and is operated exclusively for educational and charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue code.



2019 Plain Township Farmers' Market Youth Vendor Application

To join the market as a youth vendor, please fill out the form below and submit it to:
Plain Township Board of Trustees
 2600 Easton Street NE
 Canton, OH 44721

Vendor application must be received prior to the start of the market. \$5 fee per market can be made on site when a township employee comes around to collect.
Vendor fees are non-refundable.

Applicant Name & Age:	
Parent/Guardian Name:	
Parent/Guardian Email:	
Parent/Guardian Phone:	
Parent/Guardian Address:	
Products to be sold:	
Wording you want utilized to promote your participation:	

Do you acknowledge all of the youth vendor guidelines and accept responsibility for abiding by such? YES NO

Dedicated Children's Markets will occur on June 19th & July 24th.

Note all dates that you would like to participate as a Youth Vendor:

May 1 st	June 5 th	July 3 rd	August 7 th	September 4 th
May 8 th	June 12 th	July 10 th	August 14 th	September 11 th
May 15 th	June 19 th	July 17 th	August 21 st	September 18 th
May 22 nd	June 26 th	July 24 th	August 28 th	September 25 th
May 29 th		July 31 st		

Preferred Type of Spot

Pavilion Picnic Table

Parking Lot

Applicant Printed Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Printed Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Questions:

- You can visit us at **Plain Township Hall – 2600 Easton St NE ~ Canton, OH 44721**
- Call our main office at **330-492-4689**
- Email: KnowYourRootsOhio@gmail.com
- Message via Facebook at www.facebook.com/PlainTownshipFarmersMarket/

Upon receipt of your application, you will be contacted within 7 days by KnowYourRootsOhio@gmail.com to confirm the acceptance of your application and dates available.