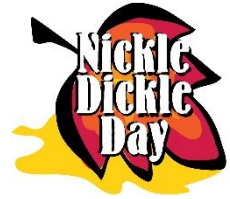


Nickle Dickle Day - Arts & Crafts Vendor FAQs



When is Nickle Dickle Day?

Nickle Dickle Day takes place annually on the **second Saturday after Labor Day from 8AM-5PM** in downtown Waconia.

REGISTRATION & APPROVAL

How do I apply?

Applications must be completed online, including payment and submission of the ST-19 form.

Is payment required to reserve a space?

Yes. The application is only complete once full payment is received and the ST-19 form is submitted. If both are not received, your application will not be considered.

Are walk-in vendors allowed on event day?

No. Walk-ins are not permitted. All vendors must apply and be approved in advance.

When will I know if I'm approved?

If your application is not approved, we will notify you and issue a refund in August.

If you are approved, you will receive:

- An email confirming your approval
- A booth map with your assigned space mailed via USPS by the end of August

If you do not receive a map with a booth location, you are not approved for the event.

What happens if I cancel? Are refunds available?

Refunds are not available.

BOOTH SPACES

Can I request a specific booth location?

If you are a returning vendor from the previous year, you have first dibs on your spot from last year. If you are a new vendor or were not in last year's show, you may submit a request, but specific spaces are not guaranteed. The event team assigns booth locations.

Can I reserve a double booth space / multiple booth spaces?

Yes, if space is available. You must register and pay for two+ booth spaces. Multiple booth spaces are extremely limited. If you register for two or more booths and multiple conjoining booths are not available, you will be refunded for one of the booths.

Can I bring a trailer?

Trailers are not permitted. If you transport your product in a trailer, you must park it on the street at least two blocks from City Square Park on streets that are approved for event day parking.

What size is a booth space?

Standard booth spaces are typically **10' x 10'**. Keep in mind, booths are in a park and the ground is natural grass and may be uneven and/or not level.

PRODUCTS & VENDORS**Can multiple vendors sell similar products?**

While we try to maintain variety, similar products may be allowed. However, only one of an MLM vendor will be allowed. (For example: One each Avon, Pampered Chef, Tupperware, etc.)

Do products need to be handmade?

Nickle Dickle Day prioritizes arts, crafts, and handmade goods, but final approval is determined during the application review process.

Can my business participate if I don't sell a physical product?

No. The Arts & Crafts vendor area is reserved for vendors selling products or handmade goods. Businesses or organizations that are promoting services only are not permitted in the arts & crafts vendor area, and should instead contact the Waconia Chamber about sponsorship or other promotional opportunities.

SETUP & EVENT DAY**Is the event rain or shine?**

Yes. Nickle Dickle Day takes place rain or shine. Refunds are not issued for inclement weather.

When can vendors set up?

Vendors may set up during the following times only:

- Friday: 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM
- Saturday: 5:45AM - 6:30AM

Setup outside of these hours is not permitted.

Can I arrive early on Friday?

No. Arriving before 4:00 PM on Friday is not permitted. Failure to follow event policies may affect eligibility for future shows.

Where should vendors park after unloading?

Vendors will be supplied with a parking map. Parking is street parking at least two blocks from the park. You may unload your car at the park and then move your vehicle.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**Will electricity be available?**

Electricity is not guaranteed and must be requested in advance if available. If you requested electricity, you must provide your own power strips and extension cords. The Waconia Chamber of Commerce will not provide supplies to vendors.

Can vendors bring generators?

No, generators are not permitted.

Are tents required or allowed?

Yes, tents are permitted and must be staked or weighted. The park is marked for utilities prior to vendor setup. Please take note of these markings when staking your tent.

Do vendors need to stay for the entire event?

Yes. Vendors are expected to remain set up for the full duration of the event. The event is 8AM-5PM. Teardown may begin at 5PM.

Are food vendors allowed in the craft area?

Cottage bakers with product packaged to take home are permitted to apply as an Arts & Crafts vendor. All other food vendors should apply as a food vendor. Contact the Waconia Chamber of Commerce to be added to the food vendor contact list.

QUESTIONS?

For additional questions, contact: **Waconia Chamber of Commerce**



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