

SALINE FAIR 2016 GENERAL VENDOR INFORMATION

Hello and welcome to the Saline Community Fair for 2016, **our 81st year!!!!!!!**

Dates: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 to Sunday, September 4, 2016.

- **Set up times/dates:** Monday, August 29, 12 p.m. to 6 pm, Tuesday, August 30, 12 p.m. to 8 p.m. and between 8 am and 10 am on Wednesday, August 31, when the building opens up to the public.

- **Take down, exit times and dates:** Start take down at 10 pm, exit building at 11 pm on September 4, and before 11 am on Monday, September 5.

- **Merchant building hours during the fair:** 10 am to 10 pm Wednesday to Sunday. Merchants need to be in their booth at least 5 hours a day which includes the opening hours of opening day and the closing hours of the closing day unless other arrangements have been made.

- **Carnival Dates:** Wednesday, August 31, to Monday, September 5, 2016

- **Special events and changes for this year:** Everyday jam packed with events all day. The fair parade will be held on Bennett St. in town, on **Tuesday**, August 30 at 6:30 pm. There will be a pet show before the parade. The pets and owners will be invited to join the parade. Animal judging will be held all day on **Wednesday**. The Miss Saline Contest will be on Wednesday night. **Thursday** will be Hero's day honoring our military, police and all first responders. This will include an ice cream social. The rodeo will return on Thursday night. The livestock auction will also take place Thursday evening. A Princess/pirate tea party will be held **Friday** morning. Ladies day events will be Friday afternoon. Horse pulling on Friday morning and the diesel truck pull will be Friday evening. Look for the pie auction Friday evening. **Saturday** is Children's health and safety day. Super stock tractor pull will be Saturday night. **Sunday** is Taste of Agriculture day. Sunday night will feature our USA Auto Cross Endure. **We will have a hypnotist will be here Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Our beer tent is once again on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday evening.** This is just a sampling of the events going on.

Rates for Vendors for the entire week of the fair

Inside booth rates: 8 x 10 for \$150.00-- 8 X 20 - \$275.00

Outside space rates: start at \$150 to \$200 for a 10 X 10 space; contact us for rates on larger spaces.

Electric Rates: 110 volt \$25.00 for inside or outside—220 volt outside only \$75.00

Liability insurance rate rider: \$25.00

Table rates: \$10.00 a table for 8 ft, or 6 ft.

Deposit: \$25.00 will hold your spot, full payment due by August 1, 2016

Fair Passes: Each booth and outdoor space receives 2 entry passes; additional passes are available at the rate of \$25.00 per pass.

Parking Pass: (front area) each booth and outdoor space receives one. Additional parking passes cannot be purchased but additional free parking is available in the free lot next to fair grounds.

Merchant Building information: We will once again be having a contest to choose the grand champion booth. Three winners will be chosen: first place \$100 and a banner, second place \$50 and a ribbon, and third place \$25 and a ribbon. The colors chosen for the building drapes this year will be **RED and WHITE.**

We encourage all booths to give away free items if possible, it can be most anything, but please **NO INFLATED BALLOONS.** They play havoc with the ceiling fans.

Booth Raffle: We encourage booths to have items to raffle at the fair. This is a great way to get contact information. The winners of your raffles will be chosen at the end of the fair on Sunday night at 9 pm

Ladies Day: The organizers are requesting any merchant or vendor that can do so, to donate one special item or small items (200) that could be placed in the ladies day giveaway bags. All ladies that attend the festivities are given a bag of items from local area merchants to take home. This is another way to get your name out, please contact us if interested.

Request for fair sponsors: If anyone is interested in becoming a fair sponsor or a sponsor of the merchant building, with any size donation, please contact us for more information.

Contract information: Please complete and sign the contract, return the 1 copy to the address below. If liability insurance is needed, fill out the form and return it also. (The fee for the rider is \$25) All merchants and vendors inside and out must have liability insurance to participate at the fair. We must have a copy of the liability insurance by the start of the fair in order for you to set up.

If you are not participating in this year's fair, please let us know ASAP so we do not hold a space for you. If you are participating this year and are interested in updates, please send us your email address with your contract or send it to this email address cindyfair2013@yahoo.com.

Thank you,

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