



The Marshall Area Farmers' Market Community will be mixing it up a little this season.

Summer Market opens on Saturday, May 7 with the hours from 8:00am to 1:00pm. This year, the group is introducing “**2nd Saturday ART at the MARKET**”, which will be held on May 14, June 11, July 16, Sept. 10 and Oct. 8. ***“Marshall’s Area Farmers’ market recognizes the opportunity to support the areas artisan vendors.” Market Manager, Pam Wolfersberger said. “This is a wonderful way to provide space for our artisan community to showcase and sell their creations.” “You can shop the farmers’ market vendors for your fresh produce, meats, breads eggs and more! Then have another local shopping experience by visiting the artisan booths to see the product of their amazing talent, available for purchasing.”***

Please note that this is a juried program. Our goal is always to make sure we have a broad representation of media, so that everyone has a fair chance to participate and have successful days. **2nd Saturday “ART at the MARKET” is striving to highlight a good variety of high-quality artisan products.** To accomplish this the number of vendors selling like products in each of the following categories may be restricted:

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| Fiber Arts/Clothing | Artwork | Live Plants | Photography/Paper Products |
| Ceramics/Pottery | Jewelry | Home Decor | Mind/Bath/Body |
| Floral Wreaths | Fabric Arts | Leatherwork | Metal & Wood Media |
| Prepared Foods | | | |

Artisans are persons who craft with their own hands the products they offer for sale. Artisans must create their craft products in Michigan. All works must be original to the artisan. Twenty five percent or less may be made by another family member but must be declared when selling. **Please disclose on vendor application.**

Due Dates:

- March 15** ...Start date for submitting applications
 ...Completed and signed application with your selection of date(s)
 ...\$25 Registration fee
 ...Four photographs to represent current work, clearly labeled, and describe on Work Description Form.
- April 15** DEADLINE for application submission
- April 22** Notification of acceptance - upon acceptance you are required to submit the following by April 29:
 Check/cash for # of market days you will attend: Circle # and Am't
 1 - Sat. \$30 2 - Sat. \$60 3 - Sat. \$90 4 - Sat. \$120 5 - Sat. \$150

April 29 **Deadline for Required paymen**

May 5 **ALL vendors notified with any last-minute information**

2ND SATURDAY - ART AT THE MARKET DATES

May 14 - June 11 - July 9 (Aug. NO "ART at the MARKET") Sept.10 - Oct. 8

****\$25.00 registration fee will be refunded if applicant does not receive Booth assignment.**

Important contacts:

Market Manager - Pam Wolfersberger - pam.mafm@gmail.com

Program Coordinator - Kathy Miller - kmiller540@sbcglobal.net

Advisory Board Chair - Patty Parker - parkerpatty@yahoo.com

****Any questions, feel free to contact any of the above.**

VENDOR RESPONSIBILITIES - RULES

- **Vendors are responsible** for acquiring all necessary licenses for the sale of their products. All vendors must abide by safe food handling guidelines set by the State and County Health Departments. All licenses should be available for inspection. Questions concerning these guidelines should be directed to the market manager.
- **All vendors who wish to erect canopies or umbrellas** at the Farmers Market 2nd Saturday "ART at the MARKET" sites **are recommended** to have 24 lb. weights on each leg to secure canopy.
- Booth spaces are 10' wide 18' deep. 10' x 10' canopies are allowed

SET UP: (Please follow the traffic pattern when entering and exiting)

- **6:30am to 7:45am SHARP! - All booths must be set up and ready for the 8:00am opening bell!**
- Vendor vehicles may come into the Market site and park at assigned booth space to unload. Once all materials are unloaded, ***vehicle should park at the Marshall Middle School parking lot.***

BREAKDOWN: (Please follow the traffic pattern when entering and exiting)

- **No vendor should breakdown before 1:00pm**
 - 1:00pm - Vendor Vehicles may come back to booth for loading
 - Vendors are expected to inspect and clean their booth space before leaving.
 - Vendor **MUST** haul away all trash from their booth space.
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Sign and return with your application

I have read the Vendor responsibilities and understand what is expected.

X _____
Signature Date Signed

I hereby consent to the use of photographs of my works for publicity and promotional purposes (including publications, presentation or broadcast via newspaper, internet, or other media source.) YES _____ NO _____

X _____
Signature Dated Signed

Print Name: _____

MY DATES ARE CHECKED OFF BELOW:

May 14	2nd Saturday "ART at the MARKET"	Yes	___	No	___
June 11	2nd Saturday "ART at the MARKET"	Yes	___	No	___
July 9	2nd Saturday "ART at the MARKET"	Yes	___	No	___
Aug.	NO "ART at the MARKET"-----				
Sept.10	2nd Saturday "ART at the MARKET"	Yes	___	No	___
Oct. 8	2nd Saturday "ART at the MARKET"	Yes	___	No	___