

Christkindlmarkt Vendor FAQs

General Information

- This year's Christkindlmarkt is Dec 11 & 12, 2026. This event proceeds rain or shine.
- Returning vendors may apply starting June 3rd using the Jotform link you received in your invitation email
- New vendors may apply starting July 1st using the link on our website
- We will advertise this event in a number of ways and will ask that you also advertise your participation on your social media accounts
- No registrations will be accepted after Oct 31st or once we are full (whichever comes first)
- Merchants with handcrafted items/art will be given preference
- Vendor partners must provide their own tents/canopies, tables, chairs and lighting
- While open areas have some lighting, selling spaces are not lit. Our merchants have used a variety of battery-operated lanterns and lights to highlight their wares. If this is your first time with us and you have questions about lighting, please let us know
- Electrical outlets are not available in any area.
- Unloading will be available thru the front gates or via the Rt 15N parking lot before the event opens to the public
- Parking will be available at both 35 Greenbriar Lane and behind the Dollar General for vehicles and trailers
- The use of dumpsters and trash receptacles is limited to consumer-generated trash only. You are responsible for the removal of all trash from your booth

Outdoor spaces

- Outside spaces are approximately 10 feet square and will be marked with spray paint (or chalk on the brick patio) along with the space number for your convenience
- No vehicles may occupy an event space
- We have included approximately 5 feet between outside vendors for customers to access vendor stands from the sides, as well as the front. This space is for use by customers to view your goods. You may not use that space for wares. All wares must be within the reserved space/s and signage may not obstruct walking accessibility or other vendor spaces.
- If multiple spaces are requested, they will be adjacent to each other, unless otherwise requested
- Requests for particular locations or proximity to another merchant will be honored to the extent possible but cannot be guaranteed
- Generators must be kept within your space and must not be loud or disruptive to neighboring vendors. If your generator causes issues with your neighbors, you will be asked to turn it off. Safety is paramount! Trip hazards must be secured
- Vendors selling alcoholic beverages must submit an expo permit to our office no later than Oct 31st

Indoor spaces

- Our indoor spaces are very unique and set within the historic rooms of Dills Tavern and the adjacent Log Barn
- No space in the tavern is quite the same
- Even during daylight hours the indoor spaces are somewhat dark. Please consider this when designing your displays as lighting will be needed throughout the length of the event
- The Tavern is heated by wood fires so heating may not be consistent and those with allergies or sensitivities should be aware. Soft goods or fabric products may not be best suited to the Tavern

FOOD Vendors

- FOOD vendors are required to have a retail food license and insurance. Your license must be displayed, and you must submit a valid copy of your insurance to our office no later than Oct 31st