December 3-5, 2021

Winterfest

DOWNTOWN GONZALES

FOOD VENDOR APPLICATION PACKET

The magic returns with the 2021 Gonzales Winterfest Celebration! Winterfest 2021 is a community celebration featuring fun-filled winter themed family entertainment, shopping, carriage rides, live entertainment, snowmazing children's activities, Christmas parade and all the holiday magic one would expect with historic Gonzales Main Street as the backdrop.

We are currently seeking a limited number of food vendors for our signature event activities. Please review the enclosed details and consider joining us for Winterfest 2021!

Date: Saturday, December 4th

Time: 10:00 AM to 9:00 PM

Attendance in 2020: 5,000+

Location: Downtown Gonzales

Fees: $175

Vendor Requirements: Health Permits, Sales Tax Reporting, Adherence to Rules & Regulations & Holiday Spirit

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FOOD VENDOR RULES & REGULATIONS

Gonzales Main Street and the Winterfest Event Organizers have the right to refuse any vendor and/or the right to refuse any particular item the vendor desires to sell if the item is not deemed appropriate for the event. You will receive confirmation from our offices two weeks prior to the event.

Vendors will be provided a 20' x 20' area. Vendors must contain their display/trucks/trailers within the dimension of the space rented. (One tent/unit per space) You are responsible for your own canopies, tables, lights, etc. If you are bringing a trailer that does not fit in the designated area we provide you will be required to rent additional spaces.

Vendors will be permitted to enter the festival closure area and set up at 7 a.m. Any ehicles, trailers or tow units that are not a self contained food truck MUST BE removed from the area by 9:45 a.m. SHARP and will not be allowed to return to load up until 9:30 p.m. Absolutely NO EXCEPTIONS.

No parking inside or around Independence Square. You may park in Texas Heroes Square, Church Parking Lot on St. Paul Street or behind the Courthouse. Do Not Park in the 400 block of Saint Lawrence Street. The Fire Department needs to have easy access to exit in case of a fire.

All refuge is the responsibility of the vendor. You must properly dispose of any byproducts and garbage that you create.

No staking of tents or canopies will be permitted, either in the asphalt or in landscaped areas.

If electricity is requested and available, vendor must provide their own heavy-duty outdoor extension cords. Electrical needs not provided on the vendor application form cannot be accommodated. If you use more power than requested your circuits will not be functional.

Your vendor application will not be processed until payment is received in full. Returned checks are subject to a $35 NSF fee.

Vendors are responsible for collecting/paying Texas State Sales Tax as applicable to their product.

Submission of application does not guarantee acceptance due to limited space.

THERE WILL BE NO RAIN DATES and refunds are not given.

FOOD Vendors are required to obtain local approval from the City of Gonzales building inspector and fire marshal prior to the event. Copy of such approval must be provided to Winterfest organizers. All vendors must adhere to health and sanitation best practices throughout the duration of the event. Food vendors must provide a fire extinguisher at their vendor spaces.

Booth space locations will be provided at Vendor Check In at 7:30 a.m. on Saturday, December 4th.

Gonzales Main Street retains the right to prevent future participation of any vendor for conduct deemed, in GMS sole discretion, unacceptable and/or detrimental to the mission and reputation of GMS and the event. The vendor releases the Gonzales Main Street and the City of Gonzales from any liability due to breakage, theft, injury, or bodily harm while at Gonzales Main Street sponsored event. The vendor also agrees to the rules and regulations of Gonzales Main Street.

_____ Initials

If any of these rules and regulations is violated, the vendor and all equipment will be escorted from the property immediately, not permitted to sell or setup, and NO refunds will be given. I have read and understood all the above rules and regulations set forth by Gonzales Main Street, and agree to comply. If I do not comply I understand that I will be escorted from the event, not permitted to sell or setup and no refund will be given.

_____ Initials

Please return an executed copy of this page and keep a copy for your records.

Gonzales Main Street
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2021 FOOD VENDOR APPLICATION

You must acknowledge receipt of the Vendor rules and regulations and you must sign and return this acknowledgement along with your Food vendor application, Food Handler Permit, Department of Health License, Sales Tax ID and your vendor fee in the amount of $175 in order for your application to be considered complete. Winterfest Event Staff will notify you of your applications acceptance once it has been reviewed.

I have read and understand all Vendor rules provided by Winterfest Event Organizers.

Vendor Signature _____

Date: _____

Responsible Party Contact Name:_____

Food Vendor Business Name:_____

Tax ID #:_____ **State:** _____

Physical Mailing Address:_____

City/State/Zip:_____

Cell#:_____ **Emergency Contact #:**_____

E-mail address: _____

Business website or social channel handles (if applicable):

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Specific Food Items to be sold (be specific only items listed here and approved by the event will be allowed):

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Electrical Needs: (please list any and all items fans, coolers, lights and approx voltage)

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Please return this page, supporting documentation and your vendor fee to:

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