

Los Fresnos Rodeo

Food Vendor Application/Agreement Contract

Thank you for your interest in being part of our Los Fresnos Rodeo Food Vendor Exhibit! We are looking for vendors that are creative, unique, original and are willing to make this event a complete success.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

Agreement Contract must be turned in by January 31, 2023 to: jerrybruce@email.com (first come first serve in assigning your space). We will review all applications as they are submitted and carefully choose those that best fit our event. Please submit a list of products that you intend to display and sell. The Los Fresnos Rodeo reserves the right to ask you to remove any goods that are not consistent with the submitted description of goods/products provided to us through the application. Los Fresnos Rodeo has the required permits for this event so your booth will fall under our umbrella. Each vendor will be required to follow proper health guidelines when handling food and be subject to inspection by the City Health Department and Fire Marshal.

FOOD VENDOR ASSIGNMENTS:

The food booths held in conjunction with the Los Fresnos PRCA Rodeo will be on Friday, February 17th through Sunday, February 19th, 2023. This is an outdoor event and is located within the midway in the designated food vendor area.

All approved food vendors must enter at Gate 2, Service Entrance, with (1) vendor parking pass displayed and clearly visible through windshield.

SET UP AND BREAK DOWN SCHEDULE:

Friday, February 17th – Set up time is any time between 9:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. Remember, you must enter at Gate #2 and you may drive your vehicle to the food vendor area to unload and once unloaded, you must park your vehicle in the designated vendor parking lot. Again, only one parking pass will be issued per vendor. Additional vehicles must park in general parking (\$6.00). You must be set-up by 4:00 P.M. **NO VEHICLES WILL BE ALLOWED TO ENTER EXHIBIT AREA AFTER 4:00 P.M.** If you are not able to set-up before 4:00 P.M. you will have to park in the designated parking area and you will then have to manually transport your product(s) in a wagon, dolly, or similar method.

SAFETY FOR ALL IS IMPORTANT. Help us maintain a safe environment for everyone. Please see the Rodeo & Concert Schedule.

Friday, February 17, 2023 (7:30 pm - 12:00 am Midnight)

Saturday, February 18, 2023 (7:00 pm – 12:00 am Midnight)

Sunday, February 19, 2023 (3:00 pm – 6:00 pm)

For everyone's safety, vehicles will not be allowed in the midway/vendor areas until the crowd clears, which will be about 12:00 A.M. (midnight). Once the area is cleared and safe for you to retrieve your vehicle you may load your product(s) into your vehicle.

If you must leave earlier than midnight, you may transport your products manually to your vehicle. As an option and **AT YOUR OWN RISK**, you may choose to leave your booth set up. If you choose to leave your booth set up, we recommend you take precautionary measures to secure it. Security will be on site 24 hours daily but will be patrolling and covering all of the fairgrounds and not exclusive to one area.

Saturday, February 18th – Vendors can enter fairgrounds and access the food vendor area any time after 8:00 A.M. **You must be set-up by 12:00 P.M. (noon)**. Enter through gate 2, Service Entrance. Once unloaded, you must move your vehicle to the designated parking area. No vehicles will be allowed in the vendor area after 12:00 P.M. (noon). Tear-down will be at approximately 12:00 A.M. (midnight) once all pedestrians have cleared the area.

Sunday, February 21st – Vendors can enter the fairgrounds and access the food vendor area any time after 8:00 A. M. **You must be set-up by 12:00 P.M. (noon)**. Enter through Gate 2, Service Entrance. Once unloaded, you must move your vehicle to the designated parking area. No vehicles will be allowed in the vendor area after 12:00 P.M. (noon). Tear-down will be about 6:30 P.M. once all pedestrians have cleared the area.

VENDOR FEES:

*Make checks payable to: Los Fresnos Rodeo. ALL SALES FINAL - NO REFUNDS.

Prices determined by space utilized. Call for prices and available sizes

For further information contact: Jerry Bruce at (956) 536-7771 or jerrybruce@email.com

OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

- Vendors must remain open and operational for the entire time of the event.
- Vendors will be responsible for providing their own equipment set up.
- Please be sure to clean up your area each day before leaving.
- Only 4 persons allowed at your food booth.
- **NO SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES WILL BE ALLOWED UNDER THIS AGREEMENT.**

EVENT EXPOSURE:

Carnival:

Carnival will be open Thursday, February 16th through Sunday, February 19th from 12 noon until 11:30 PM. (subject to change depending on Carnival Directors).

Cameron County Livestock Show:

The Cameron County Livestock Show will have multiple events throughout the day on Friday, February 17th thorough Sunday, February 19th.

Activities & Events

There will be family oriented attractions, food & beverage vendors, and live music throughout Friday, February 17th, Saturday, February 18th and Sunday, February 19th on the rodeo grounds.

If you have a social media page we would love your help with spreading the word! Rodeo time is a fun time and we want to thank you for your interest in being a food vendor at our “Biggest Little Rodeo in Texas”!

2023 FOOD VENDOR APPLICATION/AGREEMENT CONTRACT

Business name: _____

Contact name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Facebook (Optional): _____

Website/Link (Optional): _____

Primary Phone: _____ Secondary Phone: _____

Please describe the items you plan to sell:

Please describe the size and type of set up you will have (Trailer, tent, etc.):

Other Comments: _____

I, _____ (vendor), have read, understand, and agree with and agree to uphold and abide by the guidelines and requirements outlined and set forth in this contract.

Signature

Printed name

Date