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FRIDAY NIGHT MARKETS

Every last Friday night of the month starting Friday 31st July 2020 @ 5pm til late Failure to comply with the below clauses will result in the cancellation of your site rental contract and forfeiture of any charges paid.

1. Site Payment & Terms

Site fees must be paid in full before the commencement of the Friday Night Market. (See application for payment options)

Payment not received by the due date will authorize the Townsville Show Society to cancel the booking. The site holder would forfeit the deposit and the booked site would be rebooked to another site holder.

2. GST

All businesses must ensure their ABN is shown on the application form so that you can claim the full amount of the GST applicable to your site costs.

Please note – A GST tax invoice will be provided.

3. Set Up Times

Every last Friday of the month @ 3.00pm all stall holders and food vans are permitted to enter the grounds via the Kings Rd gate entrance only and may park their vehicle *temporarily* to unload and set up their stalls until 5pm when all vehicles, trailers, trucks etc. must relocate to the assigned parking areas.

Sites must be set up by 5.00pm on every Friday Night Market or until told otherwise.

4. Operation Times

Once the Night Market has commenced you are required to have your site operational by 5.00pm until late, approx. 9pm or until told otherwise.

Every Friday Night Market operational times will remain the same until notified otherwise.

5. Pull Down Times

Displays, sites or fixtures **MUST NOT** be dismantled, or goods or materials be removed before 9.00pm or BEFORE PATRONS VACATE THE GROUNDS/MARKET AREA.

Sites must be cleared by 10.00pm on every Friday Night Market or until told otherwise.

6. Vehicles & Parking

All vehicles may enter via the Kings Rd gate entrance to unload and set up their sites. Any vehicles may then park in the designated parking areas. (See map)

Under no circumstance can any vehicle be operated within the stalls area for the duration of the market. Once vehicles vacate from the stalls area you must not re-enter until close or until such time is granted by security personnel.

7. Security

Security will be present on the grounds from 3.00pm until close of night markets. For any urgent assistance please contact the Showgrounds Office on (07) 4771 4964.

8. Electrical Leads

Included in your site fees is only 1x 10amp lead. This lead is used for lighting only. If you wish to use additional power, we advise to all stall holders to bring their own generator to plug into. No 3 phase is allowed to be plugged into the Showgrounds unless you have permission by Management/Committee. There is adequate lighting surrounding the market area as well as around the entire Showgrounds.

9. Public Liability

There is no Insurance Fee for the Friday Night Markets as the Showgrounds has obtained Public Liability.

10. Alcohol Consumption

The Townsville Showgrounds is a fully liquor licensed premises, no alcoholic beverage is permitted to be sold or consumed for the duration of the markets unless authorization is given by Management/Committee.

11. Storage

Storage space is not available on the grounds. Stall holders are responsible for the removal and storage of all packing cases and materials.

12. Sub-Letting

The allocated space is to be used and solely for the purpose specified on the application and by the person or firm to whom it has been allocated. NO SUB-LETTING or SUB-DIVIDING will be permitted without the written permission of the Manager/Committee.

13. Raffles/Gaming

Permission must be obtained from the Manager/Committee and must meet Government Regulations.

14. Space & Selling Restrictions

Stall holders must confine his/her business to the purpose accepted on the space application. No selling, canvassing, hawking or distribution of printed or other matter will be permitted outside the area allocated or in walkways or public places. The Association reserves the right to forbid the sale of any line for which specific application has not been made or in contravention with traditional Night Markets lines.

15. Stall Holders' Conduct

The exhibitor and/or employees are to conduct themselves in an orderly and respectful manner while they are on the Showgrounds. Alcohol must not be consumed on display stands unless the stand is approved for display and sampling of alcoholic beverages approved by the Manager/Committee.

16. Food Stalls

Any applicant proposing to sell food & beverages must have their vans/stalls inspected by the Health Department of the Townsville City Council prior to the Markets opening. All food stall applications must supply a copy of the Food Certificate of Currency as well as Public Liability.

17. Fire Extinguishers

Each stand is to carry at least one fire extinguisher of approved type and suitable for use on display.

18. Offensive Material

The Manager/Committee of the Association shall have power to enter display areas ad remove any article, sign, pictures, or printed matter which in his/her opinion may be a cause of offence to the public.

19. Advertising Signs

The display of approved advertising signs of any description is restricted to the area occupied by the exhibitor.

20. Display Fastenings

Under no circumstances shall an exhibitor excavate, dig, or place pegs in his area without first obtaining authority from the Manager/Committee. Securing of floor covering to the ground is to be used by tape only.

21. Display Outlay

The Association undertake to rent the space and building thereupon in their present condition. All subsequent plumbing, carpentry and electrical requirements will be the responsibility of the exhibitor. Erection of structures of a permanent nature is not permitted. All erections are to be temporary in nature and removed at the conclusion of the Market Night.

22. Sound System

PA Systems, Projectors and Sound Units must be governed so that their volume is not objectionable to other exhibitor or market patrons. The Manager/Committee of the Association is empowered to order objectionable systems disconnected on receipt of a legitimate complaint.

23. Loss or Damage

It is agreed that the Association will not under any circumstance be held responsible for any loss of or damage to the stock in trade or any part thereof of any space holder or exhibitor from any cause whatsoever.

24. Indemnity

The Townsville Show Society will not be responsible for any accident which may be caused through or by the site holder, or which may happen in connection with his/her business and the site holder shall save the Townsville Show Society harmless and indemnify it against any legal proceedings arising from every such accident.

25. Camping

There will be no camping permitted on the grounds. Any non-local stall holders may book and arrange their own accommodation through the Town & Country Caravan Park located adjacent to the Showgrounds.

Any campers not on an approved site will be removed from the Showgrounds.

26. Animals

PLEASE KEEP ALL PETS AT HOME unless you have an approved animal nursery for the Night Market. No dogs are permitted on the grounds, any dogs on the grounds will be removed without notice by officers of the city council.