

2023 CONTRACT - DEMONSTRATORS
53rd ANNUAL COUNTRY HARVEST OF ANTIQUES AND CRAFTS

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Held Rain or Shine

FESTIVAL HOURS: Saturday, October 7, 2023 ~ 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Sunday, October 8, 2023 ~10:30 AM to 4:00 PM

SET UP TIMES: Thursday, October 5, 2023 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Friday, October 6, 2023 **Demonstrators - 9:00 a.m. - until completed.**
Security (Erie County Sheriff) on premises from 5 p.m. Friday through the end of the Show.

Please Print the following:

Demonstrator's Name: _____

Name of Demonstrators Shop Date Telephone #

Street Address City State Zip

Written confirmation will follow approximately 2 weeks prior to the Show with your space location, wristbands, and other information in a packet. If you have any questions, please contact Coni at (440) 965-4653 from 9-3 p.m. Tuesday thru Thursday, 9 - 12 Friday or via email at birmoffice@gmail.com or Facebook.

Demonstrators will have their displays open to the public: 9 am - 4 pm on Saturday, 10/7/22 and 10:30 am - 4 pm on Sunday, 10/8/22 No articles shall be removed from display or packaging of articles begun until 4 p.m. except for sold items. Any demonstrator packing up before 4 p.m. will not be invited back to future shows.

All vehicles must be removed from the show grounds no later than 8:30 AM on Saturday and 10:00 AM on Sunday. For the safety of other vendors and attendees, **NO** vehicles are allowed to be moved from or onto the show grounds during show hours. **Our only exception:** In the event we have extreme weather conditions, and loss of tent or merchandise, permission may be granted to leave the show, but to be invited back, permission must be received from the vendor chairperson. Additionally, to address safety concerns, staff must guide vehicles in and out of the show, and it will be done in an orderly fashion, so patience is required.

All display equipment must be furnished by the demonstrator, including tables and chairs. No electricity is available. Due to fire regulations, no electrical/kerosene fueled heaters are permitted in any tent, building, lawn, or porch areas. Infraction of this law will result in immediate closing of your booth and your vacating the premises. **No pets** are allowed.

Any insurance coverage must be paid by the demonstrator as Birmingham Methodist Church will not provide insurance and will not assume responsibility in connection with the safe-keeping of the properties of the demonstrator while on Church grounds. This contract is non-transferable and may **not be sublet**.

Demonstrators shall indemnify and hold Birmingham Methodist Church, as a church and as individual members, harmless from any and all damages, losses, accidents, or liabilities resulting from any claims, demands, suits, or other legal actions based on, or arising out of vendors occupation or use of exhibit space, installation, operation, or removal of exhibits, including, but not limited to all claims and demands of vendors or any third party, their agents, employees, representatives, customers, and guests, for injury to persons or property, including theft or disappearance of property, arising by virtue of any occurrence in

the exhibit space or show site, including all parking areas in proximity to the show site during the terms of this contract and any period during which vendor is moving into or out of the show site.

I have read, understood, and agree to abide by this contract in its entirety

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Please Help Us Promote the 2023 Show!

Enclosed you will find promotional flyers and advertising cards for you to use during your 2023 show season. Please pass them out to your faithful followers and your new clients who may not be aware of our wonderful Antiques Festival. In this way, we can make sure that our 53rd Antiques and Harvest Festival at BMC will be our best and more importantly **YOUR** best show ever. Bless you all and I hope to see you in October; so we can celebrate together 53 years of success.

Pastor Dick Kretchmar

*Thank you for sharing your talent
and demonstrating your craft at our show!*

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