



Dear Prospective Exhibitor,

Islandfest is BACK! We are excited to invite you to participate.

Our weekend event features arts & crafts, children's activities, a midway, live music, a parade, classic car show, Saturday evening fireworks, historical tours, aircraft displays, and so much.

We are now accepting exhibitor applications for the 2026 Islandfest which will take place May 29, 30 & 31.

All applications will be reviewed and exhibitors will be notified via email. Please provide a valid email address to be considered. We are requiring all prospective vendors to complete and return the enclosed application by May 15, 2026 or until spaces are sold out. All applicants will be notified of acceptance no later than May 18, 2026. Grosse Ile Township along with the Recreation Committee, reserve the right to make the final decision on who will be participating in the event.

If you are interested, please fill out and return the attached application along with all the other required documentation notated within the application. Incomplete applications without payment will not be considered. Please note that there are no refunds after acceptance.

If you have questions or require further information about the Islandfest, please visit www.grosseileislandfest.com or call Grosse Ile Recreation at (734) 675-2364. We appreciate your interest.

Sincerely,

Zaid Beeai, Recreation Director

Chad Novak, Recreation Commission Chairman

Grosse Ile IslandFest

P.O. Box 185 Grosse Ile MI 48138

Phone: (734) 675-2364

www.grosseileislandfest.com



EXHIBITOR APPLICATION

2026

Friday, May 29 4:00pm- Midnight
Saturday, May 30 11:00am- Midnight
Sunday, May 31 10:00am- 4:00pm

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Rcvd _____

Accepted _____

Space # _____

Application Deadline May 15, 2026

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS APPLICATION WITH PAYMENT AND A PHOTO OF YOUR DISPLAY. ONLY COMPLETED APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED. THIS APPLICATION DOES NOT IMPLY ACCEPTANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN ISLANDFEST.

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Business Name: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email (Required) _____

License plate of vehicle used at show _____ Federal Tax ID _____

We often receive calls from the press or potential customers. May we give them your name and number? Yes _____ No _____

FEE SCHEDULE

(Circle your choice)

Center Aisle (per 10 x10 space) with electrical \$250

Booth fee (per 10' X 10' space) with electrical \$200

Fee (per 10' X 10' space) without electrical \$175

Non-profit rate (per 10' X 10' space) with electrical \$125

Non-profit rate (per 10' X 10' space) without electrical \$100

Total \$ _____

Comments on booth placement (if possible, we will comply): _____

Description of items that will be available for sale and/or demonstrated in your exhibit space during the festival:

IN CONSIDERATION OF INCLUSION AS A PARTICIPANT IN ISLANDFEST AND OTHER GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION RECEIPT WHICH IS HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGED, PARTICIPANT AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS GROSSE ILE TOWNSHIP, THE RECREATION COMMISSION, ITS MEMBERS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, REPRESENTATIVES, ASSIGN FROM AND AGAINST ANY AND ALL LIABILITY, LOSS, COST, DEMANDS, CLAIMS, FINES, DEBTS, OR JUDGMENTS THAT PARTICIPANT OR PARTICIPANT'S MEMBERS, PERFORMERS, EMPLOYEES, INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS AND/OR VOLUNTEERS MAY SUSTAIN AS A RESULT OF OR ARISING FROM PARTICIPANT'S INVOLVEMENT IN ISLANDFEST.

ACCEPTANCE: I HAVE READ, UNDERSTAND AND ACCEPT ALL INFORMATION REGARDING PARTICIPATION IN ISLANDFEST AND I AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE RULES AND REGULATIONS.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

*Note: Submission of a signed application shall constitute agreement with all the terms and conditions of this application. Please keep a copy of this sheet for your records. Applicants will be notified of acceptance no later than May 18, 2026. **No refunds after acceptance.***

Mail completed application and payment to: GROSSE ILE ISLANDFEST P.O. BOX 185 GROSSE ILE, MI 48138

EXHIBITOR RULES & REGULATIONS

APPLICATIONS: All applicants must qualify under applicable state, county and township laws and regulations and must obtain any and all required permits, licenses, and certifications.

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO BE CONSIDERED COMPLETE:

- All applications must be submitted with payment no later than 5pm on May 15, 2026.
- Photo of your display.
- Include all electrical requirements.
- All information must be current, "SAME AS LAST YEAR" will not be accepted.

ACCEPTANCE: The applicant acknowledges decisions with request to applications, will be necessarily subjective and applicant specifically waives, releases, and hold harmless, the Recreation Commission, Grosse Ile Airport Commerce Park Commission and Grosse Ile Airport Advisory Committee, and Grosse Ile Township, from any claims, actions, or damages arising out of an application denial.

ASSUPTION OF RISK: All vendors participating in the festival do so at their own risk. This assumption of risk includes that associated with wind, rain, hail, lightening, floods, or other acts of God. Therefore damage to property, illness or injury, by vandals, patrons, fellow participants, or sponsors are at the vendors own risk. The Recreation Commission, Grosse Ile Township, Grosse Ile Municipal Airport, and its elected officials, employees, agents, and volunteers shall not be liable for any damages to or losses of property, injury to persons.

BOOTH MAINTENANCE: Vendor must keep the area clean and free of debris around their booth. There will be a minimum charge of \$100 if the Recreation Commission has to clean your space. An additional \$100 will be charged to vendor for dumping grease or waste directly into the sewers. It is the vendor's responsibility to secure all trip hazards (i.e. electrical cords, hoses, ropes, etc.).

CHECK-IN/DELIVERIES/VEHICLE TRAFFIC: Upon arrival check-in at the information booth located at the front of the airport hangar. Set-up will take place Thursday, May 28. 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. No vehicles will be allowed in the hangar. Please bring a dolly, wagon, etc. Assistance will be available. All exhibits/concessions must be set up by Noon on Friday. Vehicles will not be allowed on festival grounds for delivery or storage during festival hours. Arrangements should be made in advance for the storage of vehicles and trailers. ALL deliveries coming after the opening of the festival each day need to be brought in by hand. Vehicles parked in unauthorized areas will be ticketed or towed at the expense of the owner. Parking permits must be visible in the windshield of your vehicle.

LIABILITY: No insurance will be provided by Grosse Ile Township

SANITATION: Port-a-toilets will be provided throughout the festival area.

SECURITY: Security will be provided for observation only after festival closing hours.

USE OF SPACE: You are allowed to sell from your booth only - there is no walking around selling goods or distributing literature. Amplifying devices are limited to official use only. NO gas generators will be allowed. Diesel or electric generators will be allowed by the Grosse Ile Fire Department

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL: GROSSE ILE RECREATION DEPARTMENT AT (734) 675-2364.



Dear Prospective Islandfest Parade Participant,

It is that time of year again - time to think Islandfest!

Each year, thousands of residents and visitors come to the festival to relish new activities and time honored ones like the parade. This year's parade on Macomb Street has been set for a **10:00 A.M.** start time on **Saturday, May 30th**. We would be honored to have your group participate and stage the best Islandfest Parade ever!

If your group is able to participate in the parade, please complete and return the enclosed parade application by May 15, 2026. Upon receipt of your confirmation, we will forward additional information in the coming weeks.

If you have questions or require further information about Islandfest, please visit [www. grosseileislandfest.com](http://www.grosseileislandfest.com) or call the Grosse Ile Recreation Department at (734) 675-2364. We appreciate your support.

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PARADE APPLICATION

Saturday, May 30th. starting at 10:00 a.m.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 15, 2026

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Rcvd _____

Accepted _____

Space # _____

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS APPLICATION BY MAY 15, 2026. ONLY COMPLETED APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED. THIS APPLICATION DOES NOT IMPLY ACCEPTANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ISLANDFEST PARADE. THE RECREATION COMMISSION WILL REVIEW ENTRIES AND MAKE A DECISION UPON RECEIPT. ACCEPTANCE IS BASED ON A FIRST-COME FIRST SERVED BASIS. IN SUBMITTING THIS APPLICATION, APPLICANT UNDERSTANDS THAT THERE IS NO GUARANTEE REGARDING PARADE POSITIONS OR PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT OF ANY KIND. *(Exception to police and fire units for safety purposes)*

Name of Organization: _____

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email (required) _____

License plate of vehicle and/or trailer used in the parade _____

Description of your unit's participation: _____

******An email address must be given, all communications will take place through email.**

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

Marching Band _____ Color Guard _____ Cheer/ Pom-Pom Team _____ Dance Squad _____ Float _____

Vehicle _____ Antique Car _____ Clown(s) _____ Horse(s) _____ Other _____

NOTE: DRIVERS OF VEHICLES MUST PROVIDE COPY OF DRIVERS LICENSE AND PROOF OF INSURANCE UPON REQUEST

*****Any parade announcements MUST BE EMAILED to gaylehaeger@grosseile.com by May 15, 2026.**

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ACCEPTANCE: I HAVE READ, UNDERSTAND AND ACCEPT ALL INFORMATION REGARDING PARTICIPATION IN THE ISLANDFEST PARADE AND I AGREE THAT OUR PARADE UNIT WILL ABIDE BY THE PARADE RULES AND REGULATIONS.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

Note: Submission of a signed application shall constitute agreement with all the terms and conditions of this application. Please keep a copy of this sheet for your records. Applicants will be notified of acceptance no later than May 22, 2026.

Mail completed application to: GROSSE ILE ISLANDFEST P.O. BOX 185 GROSSE ILE, MI 48138