

18th TOLEDO LIGHTHOUSE WATERFRONT FESTIVAL

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SEPTEMBER 10 & 11, 2022 Maumee Bay State Park

Saturday & Sunday 10 - 5p.m.

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TOLEDO LIGHTHOUSE
— SOCIETY —

Dear Artist, Crafter:

The 18th Toledo Lighthouse Festival is northwest Ohio's signature waterfront event. The festival is located on the shores of Maumee Bay/Lake Erie. The lighthouse festival includes: Continuous entertainment; Arts & Craft Village; Boat tours, (weather permitting), Huge Silent Auction; Children's Activities, Lighthouse Merchandise, Food & more. The nautical arts and crafts village is a huge part of the festival attracting artists and crafters from over 100 miles away. We have moved the festival from July to September because of the heat and hopefully an improved opportunity to have the boat tours. This year we are offering the option of a 10' by 10' space in a large tent for \$100(the large tent is expensive). Outdoor space is 10'x12', for \$60(the same as it has been). We hope that this will work for many artists and crafters who would prefer not to set up their own tent. **The 2022 lighthouse festival will receive a lot of publicity with the completion of the first part of the lighthouse restoration, \$638,000. We are working on engineering plans for lift and dock to be installed this year before the festival that would allow inside tours – weather permitting.**

Info on the amazing Toledo Lighthouse: Historic buff brick; 4000 square feet; Dedicated May 23, 1904: On a crib along the Toledo shipping channel five miles off shore from Maumee Bay State Park; Three stories and three story tower and cellar, Steel roof built like the upside hull of a ship. The all volunteer over 400 member Toledo Lighthouse Society continues to work to complete \$2.5 million restoration. The 501 c3 nonprofit took ownership of the lighthouse in 2006. The festival is the major event for the lighthouse.. The restored lighthouse will have four 'Keepers' at the lighthouse welcoming guests for tours. The lighthouse festival is the main fund raiser to help the lighthouse. Attendance is estimated from 1 to 3,000, depending on the weather.. **All festival proceeds, net of costs, help the lighthouse. The artists and crafters village is a centerpiece of the festival.**

Exhibit Information:

- Exhibitors should have a nautical display theme. Items sold do not have to be nautical. Toledo Lighthouse items encouraged
- Artists/crafters are in the Artists/Crafters Village on the inland lake shores near amphitheater.
- All exhibits are outside near parking & festival activities. Loading at exhibit. Parking away from exhibit
- Setup is Friday 4-8 pm or Saturday 7:30 to 9:30 am. There is security Friday & Saturday night.
- Please donate an item to the silent auction.
- **At least 70% of items sold must be created by artist, crafter**—1st time exhibitors submit exhibit picture - notified if accepted
- Outside 10' x 12' space outside space is \$60.00
- Inside Tent 10'x10' space is \$100
- Sales Tax - must be charged as legally required.
- Exhibitors are encouraged to secure their exhibits in case there are heavy winds
- Exhibitor's will provide all furnishings and protect property. Exhibitor assumes full responsibility for loss or damage to his person or property. **Display must remain up Saturday and Sunday 10-5**

Nautical Arts & Crafts Application Information Please PRINT

Exhibit Name _____

Category: Art __ Jewelry __ Nautical Items ____ Art Inspired Clothing/Household ____ Other _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Other(Cell) _____ E-Mail _____

Location: Outside ____ Inside ____ Amt. Enclosed _____ (Outside \$60, Inside \$100 – \$10 added after Sept. 1)

No. Spaces _____

Please Describe Your Art/Craft (List any Toledo Lighthouse/waterfront/nautical items – if none please state no nautical)

I hereby indemnify the Toledo Lighthouse Society; Maumee Bay Resort; Maumee Bay State Park; all aforementioned employees, festival and organization volunteers from any and all claims arising from booth and festival functions

Signed _____ Date _____

Fee must be enclosed. Payable/Send to: Toledo Lighthouse Society 1750 Park Rd. #2 Oregon, Ohio 43616

