



## **Welcome to the 2011 Sakonnet Growers Market!**

There is a one page application process for the market, along with a “commitment fee” of first two weeks and last two weeks of stall fees. The purpose of this market is to promote local growers and producers in our surrounding community. The market will be held at Tiverton Four Corners on the lawn of the Soule-Seabury House, 3852 Main Rd.

### **MARKET RULES:**

- Set up must be complete by 8:30 am on market day, with sales to begin at 9:00 am
- Closing can begin at 1:00 pm on that same day
- Vendors must sell only their own produce or product
- Market hours are every Saturday, June 18 through October 1, 2011, 9:00 am-1:00 pm, rain or shine
- A Thanksgiving Market will be held on Saturday, November 19, 2011, 10:00-2:00 pm
- One advanced notice “excused absence” will be allowed
- Each vendor will be provided with 10x10 area(s)
- Vendors are to provide their own tents and selling tables
- Site layout will be done by the Market Manager to provide spacious variety
- Prepared food vendors are required to be “product safety class certified” and provide necessary insurance certificate
- For farm products, 100% of what you sell must be grown or produced yourself unless otherwise approved by the board. Any other product must be sourced from local farms or producers.
- Items not produced on your own farm may only be sold if no other vendor at the market is providing them from their farm
- Artisanal products must be crafted in RI or MA and made with local ingredients if those ingredients are available from local farms. We require the display of the farm and state origins for the locally sourced ingredients. Must be made in a kitchen licensed by the state Department of Health.
- Vendor must provide necessary insurance certificate; homeowner policies alone are not acceptable, but those with product endorsement are acceptable\*\*
- Vendor must display a sign identifying her/his operation
- Vendor must have list of products and prices easily visible to consumer
- Appearance of stall should be attractive
- Vendor shall be friendly and respectful
- Vendor is responsible for the clean up of his/her waste from both within and around the stall area prior to the end of the market day

### **STALL FEES:**

- \$15 per 10x10 area, per market (multiple areas allowed)
- \$60, non-refundable, commitment fee will be applied to first two weeks and last two weeks of market, per stall
- Fees will be used to cover market expenses including, but not limited to, advertising and incidentals

### **PLEASE TAKE NOTE:**

- application is not considered complete without COI and commitment fee
- complete applications will be accepted on a first come, first served basis
- the market will continue to be diverse, so there is no guarantee you will be accepted in to the market

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