



Q & A for Kiwanis Sea Cliff Mini Mart 2022

Mini Mart is dedicated to local artists, Sea Cliff Avenue businesses and local nonprofits who use Mini Mart for non-political fundraising.

This is the largest fundraiser for North Shore Kiwanis. It enables us to contribute to the children in our communities such as clothes for kids, food drives, and pediatric trauma kits for the fire departments.

When is Mini Mart?

It is always the first Sunday in Oct, this year it is Oct 2nd.

When will applications go out?

All applications are sent by email usually by end of April-beginning of May.

What are the booth fees?

Each booth is \$170 for regular vendors.

When are applications due? Deadline is August 15th.

When do you cash the checks?

We will not cash checks till Mid-August to ensure we know the event is a go.

We advise you to get your application in as soon as possible in order to get in the queue.

What size are the booths?

Booth space is 15 feet wide by 6 feet deep. There is also a 4-foot-wide sidewalk behind **most** booth spaces and are available for vendor use. A 15-foot-wide by 10-foot-deep canopy can be accommodated.

What is the cancelation policy?

We have a rain or shine policy, which means if there is some inclement weather, we will still hold the fair. However, we will be in compliance with all state, county, and village ordinances. In case an ordinance is issued, we will cancel Mini Mart and refund booth monies except a nominal handling fee of \$10.

Is there a priority for who is selected?

Priority is given to Sea Cliff Avenue Businesses and Local artists. We've had more requests for an application from new vendors than ever before. It is key you attach either photos or include your website to demonstrate your offer. The tradition of MM is to feature local artists and we make efforts towards ensuring a varied and exciting offer.

Can I have my same booth I had before?

There are many new businesses on Sea Cliff Avenue, so many vendors may have to be moved from long time spots. We will do our best to keep you in your original location but the Sea Cliff Avenue Businesses have the space in front of their stores.

Do you supply tents, tables, chairs or electrical?

No.



When is set up on day of event? Set up starts at 6:30am. All cars must be off the street ASAP but no later than 9am. Event starts at 10am. Please be courteous to your fellow vendors and do not block the street. Please unload as quickly as possible.

What are hours of event?

10am to 5pm Sharp! All vendors must be off the street **ASAP** so the Village can clean street.

Does Kiwanis book the music?

No. Music is booked by Sea Cliff Avenue Businesses.

Due to the crowds and working with police for emergencies, we must maintain a steady flow of traffic. We will work with the street businesses for designated areas. Any vendor planning music MUST have approval from the Mini Mart Committee. Please email us at minimartsc@gmail.com. We also can direct music inquiries to you. The Sea Cliff Fire Department works independently of Mini Mart and also will have music.

Are there restrooms available?

Yes. We provide porta potties on the street. We will hire a sanitation person to ensure there is TP and sanitizer throughout the day.

What about the dogs attending?

In all advertising we state No Dogs Please. This year we will try a new approach by adding a depiction of the potential harm to the dog and to attendees.

How best to communicate with the Kiwanis Mini Mart organizers?

Please use our email address and we will get back to you promptly. minimartsc@gmail.com

Keeping it top of mind:

We will continue a Mini Mart Moment campaign on Facebook. Please like us and contribute.

Face Book: Sea Cliff Mini Mart