



## The Death Valley '49ers 70th Encampment

Dear Vendor

February 2019

We cordially invite you to APPLY and JOIN us for the Death Valley '49ers **70<sup>th</sup>** ENCAMPMENT CELEBRATION.

**The 13<sup>th</sup> Annual "Southwest Mining, Minerals, Lapidary and Craft Show" Opens Monday, November 4<sup>th</sup> and closes Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at noon. The Show will set up at the "day-use area" on highway 190, between the entrances of Oasis at the Desert and the National Park Visitor Center.**

We are accepting vendors with quality products to sell in a "Swap Meet Atmosphere". The location is perfect and the future promising. Make plans and schedule this show on your calendar of annual events.

Please read the enclosed materials, complete and return.  
Applicants will be considered and accepted on first received basics. Space is limited.

For more information please contact:

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## VENDOR APPLICATION 2019

*Every year In October & November thousands of people arrive in Death Valley for the Annual Death Valley '49ers Encampment.*

**Schedule:** Vendor set-up Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>. Show opens Monday, November 4<sup>th</sup> and closes Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at noon.

There is limited space. Category of the same type of artisan will be limited. Each Space size will be 10'x 10' and additional 10'x10' space is \$100 each. Please indicate requirements.

Exhibitors provide all equipment for showing; tent, table, chairs, standing walls, etc.

**Exhibit Fee is \$160.00 (Registration Space Fee \$100.00 and a non-refundable Death Valley '49ers Membership Fee of \$60.00)**  
**Make checks payable to *Death Valley 49ers*.**

**REGISTER NOW: complete this entry form and return with a description of your work/exhibit,**

**PLEASE PRINT or TYPE CLEARLY**  
**Fill all blanks.**

Name of Business: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Describe type of exhibit: \_\_\_\_\_ Use backside if necessary

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

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## VENDOR WAIVER 2019

Business Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact \_\_\_\_\_  
(print or type)

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ St \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

RV or Vehicle License# & State \_\_\_\_\_ Space # \_\_\_\_\_  
(for use of the chairman)

I will arrange to deliver my own supplies and equipment to the Furnace Creek Ranch. Eighty percent (80%) of my product will be of my design and/or handcrafts. I will advise the Chairman the days I plan to exhibit. I may exhibit for the six and one-half days of the show or any lesser number of days. It is my choice. Show set-up will be Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>. The Show opens Monday, November 4<sup>th</sup> and closes Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at noon.

I will be present in person. I will exhibit and sell my wares in a safe and secure display—be it in a tent or otherwise, protected against the weather and elements: like wind, rain, blowing sand or sunshine. The "Southwest Mining, Mineral, Lapidary and Craft Show" is outside at the "day-use area" on highway 190, between the entrances of Oasis at the Desert and the National Park Visitor Center.

The Death Valley '49ers will make every attempt to safeguard the exhibit area from damage or loss. However, I understand that the Death Valley '49ers volunteers, Death Valley '49ers, Inc., the National Park Service, Oasis at the Desert, or Xanterra can assume no responsibility or liability for my supplies, products, wares or equipment. I therefore exonerate them and all persons assisting on their behalf from all liabilities.

I will be responsible for my own sales at this show. I will charge sales tax as required and submit payment to the State Board of Equalization of California.

REGISTRATION FEE: \$160.00 (Entry Fee: \$100.00 & a non-refundable Death Valley 49er membership is \$60.00). Please make check payable to DEATH VALLEY 49ers. **The dates are Monday, November 6<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at noon.**

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## **VENDOR SHOW GUIDELINES 2019**

In the 1980s a "Mining, Mineral and Lapidary Show was setup behind the Borax Museum during the Death Valley '49ers Encampment.

***2019 - This 13th annual "Southwest Mining, Minerals, Lapidary and Craft Show" is scheduled for 6½ days of exhibiting and will include crafts.***

The show will be located at the day-use parking area on highway 190, between the entrances of Oasis at the Desert (formerly Furnace Creek Ranch) and the National Park Visitor Center. This site is located within the beautiful 3,000,000-acre Death Valley National Park.

We are looking for good exhibitors/vendors of Western-themed mining, minerals, lapidary, arts and crafts, etc. to help us bring excitement to the event and set the stage for this unique Show to grow for many years to come.

### **POINTS CONSIDERED BY THE COMMITTEE IN ACCEPTING AN EXHIBITOR**

Originality of products and finished product: Please describe your work, continue on the back of the application when necessary and enclose pictures.

***No foreign imports, drugs, etc. Please call on any question you may have.***

Please note: Each Exhibitor is responsible for California sales tax. The forms are free and are available at the State Board of Equalization Office in any large city or at the Post office.

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### DEATH VALLEY 49ERS STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:

"To promote understanding and appreciation of Death Valley and its history"

The Invitational Southwest Artisan Show is sponsored annually by the Death Valley '49ers at the Encampment Program in early November. The '49ers are non-salaried volunteers and receive no financial incentives. The compelling beauty of the National Park and the fortunate union of the Death Valley '49ers, National Park professionals, and the Oasis at the Desert/Xanterra Ownership and Staff are unique. The premier western artists, musicians, and other features of this famous Encampment, since 1949, draw worldwide appreciative audiences.

Encampment activities are located at the Oasis at Death Valley (formerly Furnace Creek Ranch). Other places to enjoy: The Death Valley National Park Visitor Center, Stove Pipe Wells Village, and Panamint Springs Resort. The spacious National Park easily accommodates the thousands of people drawn to attend the events and enjoy the beauty of the deep valley and high mountains.

The "Southwest Mining, Mineral, Lapidary and Craft Show" is held at the Oasis at Death Valley (Furnace Creek) in Death Valley National Park. Only original handmade/machinery made work will be for sale in the booths. NO IMPORTS. Vendors are carefully selected for quality of work and variety.

Registration Fee is \$160.00, which includes a non-refundable Death Valley '49ers membership of \$60.00. Cancellation may be made by October 1, 2019 and a \$100.00 refund may be made or carried forward to next year's Vendor Show. The Death Valley 49ers membership of \$60.00 is non-refundable. Please, make all checks payable to **Death Valley 49ers**.

No commission is charged on sales, although we require an estimate of sales/prices at the end of the show for evaluation along with suggestions.

Other Encampments Events may include Friday morning's "Hootenanny Breakfast" and "Breakfast with the Artists" on Saturday morning, talks on the history of the area, music with fiddling and picking contests, horseback trail riders, covered wagon train, 4-wheel drive tours, hikes, gold panning, horseshoe pitching contests, old-time costume contest, dancing under the stars, wheelbarrow races, a parade, and much, much more. Please consult your Encampment program for more information.

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## VENDOR SHOW SCHEDULE

SUNDAY	NOV. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	12:00pm	PICK UP VENDOR PACKET FROM WANDA & VENDOR BOOTH SET-UP
MONDAY	NOV. 4 <sup>th</sup>	7:00-9:00am	FINISH BOOTH SET-UP
		8:00-8:30am	MEETING W/ WANDA & COMMITTEE
TUESDAY	NOV. 5 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am-4:00pm	VENDOR SHOW
WEDNESDAY	NOV. 6 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am-4:00pm	VENDOR SHOW
THURSDAY	NOV. 7 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am-4:00pm	VENDOR SHOW
FRIDAY	NOV. 8 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am-4:00pm	VENDOR SHOW
SATURDAY	NOV. 9 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am-4:00pm	VENDOR SHOW
SUNDAY	NOV. 10 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am-12:00pm	VENDOR SHOW

For a full list of Encampment events, refer to:  
The Death Valley '49ers Encampment Program

Thank you for your participation in the 2019 Vendor Show.  
Our goal is for you to have a great experience, a successful show and a strong desire to return next year.

WE welcome your comments and suggestions. Please write them down on the back of this form and turn it in or write comments on the back of your 2020 application.

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