

Thomaston 4th of July Committee, P.O. Box 149, Thomaston, Maine, 04861

Dear Crafter,

The Thomaston 4th of July Committee invites you to participate in the 2016 Thomaston 4th of July Celebration's craft show on **Monday, July 4th**. Parade theme this year is "Hometown Proud - Hometown Talent!". The committee is also planning a chicken barbecue, food booths, entertainment, games, and fireworks. This letter accompanies application and rules for craft tent participation. Return the completed application with payment as soon as possible. I will hopefully email confirmation of your payment/acceptance or call you if you're local and have no email.

The craft tent will be located behind the Masonic Temple, at the start of Thomaston's business block, just past the mall. To date we are using the oval tent as before - it may not have sidewalls. If you can bring a tarp, in case of bad weather, please do. As always, you must provide your own tables and chairs and there is no electricity. Please prepare for the day's weather. Portopotties are on the grounds, closer to Beechwood St.

Set-up starts at 7:00 a.m., no earlier. The craft show is from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (we remain set up until then). The parade starts around 11:00 a.m., but the crowd gathers early. They will be ready to take home our wonderful goodies, souvenirs for a day celebrating the country's birthday. It's our job to give people a good time, to offer community spirit. We as crafters provide the goods, thus adding to people's experience. So remember, aim first to have a good time with everyone, your profit will surely follow in doing so.

SPACE FEE: \$55.00 for approximately 7 1/2' x 7 1/2' (I try for 8' x 8' but the tent footprint is usually smaller than planned and odd shaped. If I can make larger spaces I will, but don't count on it.)

DEADLINE: ASAP!

We determine space locations according to the overall best interests of the show. We do our best to accommodate special requests but make no promises. Be specific filling out the application. Send it with check, payable to:

**Thomaston 4th of July Committee
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241 Broadway, Apt B
Rockland, ME 04841**

I look forward to seeing you all again. Reminder we have a Facebook page and a website: www.thomastonmaine4thofjuly.com. Questions? Call me if need be: landline **207-596-0069**, **always busy though so email catinkak@yahoo.com or via Facebook.**

Thank You,

Catinka Knoth ,
Craft Show Coordinator

