

Wood River Farmers' Market Bylaws - 2026

1. Vendors of homegrown, good-quality produce and merchandise such as: uncut vegetables & fruit, breads, pastries, plants, flowers or herbs, homemade crafts, honey producers, jams and jellies, which meet City and State codes, are eligible to participate.
2. ONLY homegrown & (at least 50%) handmade items may be sold at the market.
3. Prices should be set in keeping with customer satisfaction and consideration of other market vendors.
4. Any grievances regarding the actions or prices of other vendors must be brought to the attention of Wood River Business Alliance in writing, NOT directed to the vendor in question. The Board will determine if a special meeting needs to be called to settle the grievance.
5. The market runs on Thursday evenings. The market will be open on the 2nd Thursday of June, through the last Thursday in September, from 4:00 p.m. to Dusk. Vendors may arrive and set up their assigned market stalls at 3:00pm. You must be set up by 4:00pm or you will not be able to setup for market due to the safety of our patrons and other vendors. NO LATE ENTRY
6. Each vendor is to provide State approved scales, as necessary, display racks or tables, sacks, money for change and signs displaying goods for sale and prices in full view of the consuming public. THE WRBA does not provide change
7. Products should be displayed in a professional and attractive manner. Remember: Good marketing practices reap larger profits! It is the responsibility of individual vendors to maintain clean and healthful conditions within their assigned area. Therefore, it is the responsibility of vendors to bag their trash and leave their area free of debris.
8. The daily rate is \$10 per space or \$30 for a month or full season for \$110
9. The Market reserves the right to cancel the privileges of any vendor, who in the opinion of the WRBA, has willfully violated the rules governing the market.
10. All participating vendors must sign and return the waiver of liability form before sales begin. Full season participants will receive permanent location
11. No Hawking (loud yelling to promote your product) is allowed.
12. Each booth is equal to ONE parking space. Be mindful of your neighbors. You may park your vehicle and put your tent up behind your vehicle but only if you plan to stay for the entirety of the market. For the convenience of our patrons, tents will be continuous and set up next to each other on both sides of the market with a middle aisle.

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MARKET SEASON REGISTRATION

June – September

Business Name: _____

Vendor's Name: _____

Goods/Specialty: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: Day: _____ Evening: _____

Email: _____

Please provide a detailed list of the goods or specialty items you plan to offer at the Market for advertising purposes:

Please consider investing in the market & committing to a whole month!

\$30 - Four consecutive weeks.

\$110 Full Season

\$10 – Per Single Market

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I, _____ agree to assume liability for the sale of my handmade products, homegrown fruits and vegetables, plants, flowers, processed foods of a non-hazardous nature from home sources, etc., which I or my representatives may legally sell at the Wood River Farmers' Market and will furnish samples upon request for laboratory analysis.

I also understand that set up is between 3:00-3:45, and that the parking lot will not be ready until then.

Name

Please sign and return this form to:

WRBA
Attn: Farmers Market
61 E. Ferguson Ave.
Wood River, IL 62095

