

Penacook Village Farmers Market
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Hello Vendor or Crafter,

There are a couple of things we wanted to go over with all past and potential vendors for 2017. First, thank you so much for your support in the past. This Farmers Market (FM) has seen several changes in the past 8 years mostly brought about by the requests of vendors and the many visitors we have seen. Some have and will continue but know that we listen to everyone and try to make this FM the best we can.

The FM location has moved! We are located at 95 - 97 Village Street in Penacook now. This is next to Woodlawn Cemetery and across from the entrance sign to MVHS. With the long winter and cold - hot - cold Spring we are opening June 5 at 4 - 6:30 PM but realize all vendors may not be ready but will give us time to work out any bugs. Our last Monday will be Aug. 28.

Another major change is the ownership of the market is now the Penacook Community Center Inc.(PCC). The Penacook Village Association (PVA) and The Penacook Historical Society (TPHS) are still sponsors but due to the ownership of the property and insurance the FM will be hosted by the PCC. Don't worry though, you will still see the people you are familiar with running the market.

Also, to start there may or may not be potable drinking water for use by vendors but only bottled water. There will be one ADA porta - potty though! Power will also be an issue too, so if you need power bring a generator.

While reading through the application, please note a couple descriptive words before each category of items you intend to sell. The key words are "products you produce". We invite vendors to apply that we believe grow, make or prepare their own items for sale. Not because we want to give everyone the most expensive shopping experience but people want healthy produce and quality products at a reasonable price. They also expect everything to be locally grown and made. Some also look for Certified Organic. So, if you intend on selling items that are not organic, or grown or made locally then you need to disclose that before the sale with sign-age of some type. That is the only way we can keep the FM fair and balanced for the shopper and vendor alike. Again, **local means New Hampshire**, if you sell vegetables or fruit, it is implied they were grown in NH. So, have sign-age saying if they are not NH native. If you sell Crafts, it is also implied they were made by you or someone else in NH. Please, have sign-age if they were not.

Thank you for your continued support,
Rick Jaques

President - Penacook Community Center Inc. and The Penacook Historical Society