



## Spring Awakening Festival

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### VENDOR APPLICATION

#### Event Summary

Spring Awakening Festival will take place just outside of Jefferson, Texas on Highway 43 at the What's Up Retreat. The festival takes place in March during the Spring Equinox. The festival will feature a wide range of artisan crafts, performers, competitions, and fair food offerings. Approximately 500 guests are expected.

The event is intended to be Family oriented. We will open at 10:00am - 5:00pm on Saturday and Sunday. Patrons and Participants are able to camp onsite, and while the official event ends at 5:00pm on Saturday, there will be a bonfire (celebration) that will take place on the Saturday night closest to the actual day of the solstice that extends until sunrise on Sunday. Vendors are not required to be open past 5:00pm.

#### Important Dates & Deadlines

1. The Spring Awakening Festival is open March 19th and 20th from 10:00am until 5:00pm.
2. Applications are due a month before the start of the festival.. Applications may be submitted by email to [hypecontxk@gmail.com](mailto:hypecontxk@gmail.com). Management may accept late submissions on a case-by-case basis and may charge a \$25.00 late processing fee.
3. All booth and camping fees are due by the Friday before the weekend of the festival. Fees may be paid by Venmo or by PayPal to [hypecontxk@gmail.com](mailto:hypecontxk@gmail.com).
4. Vendors must submit five (5) photographs in JPG or JPEG format of the items they intend to sell by the Friday before the start of the festival. The Spring Awakening Festival expressly reserves the right to use these photos for publicity purposes.
5. Weapons vendors must provide their proof of insurance by the Friday before the start of the festival.
  - a. Weapons sold need to be peace tied by the vendor prior to providing the weapon to the customer at the conclusion of the sales transaction.
6. All applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis as received.
7. All Vendors will be notified of their application status as soon as possible.
8. All fees are non-refundable.

#### Vendor Rules & Regulations

1. The person named on the application, or their named representative, must be present at all times to sell their items. A picture ID is required at the time of check-in.
2. The booth must open during the Spring Awakening Festival from 10:00 am until 5:00pm. There may be no early closings unless the Festival is closing early.
3. It is preferred if booths feature some, if not all, artisan or handmade crafts. Machine-screen patterns or other forms of mass production are permitted. (Items such as

arrows, where machine production affords the common product are allowed.)  
Posters and t-shirt sales are not allowed.

4. Vendors are responsible for collecting and paying current city and state sales tax for all sales made during the Spring Awakening Festival.
  5. Vendors may not sell food and beverage items unless they are a food and beverage vendor.
  6. Roaming sales are by appointment only, under normal circumstances all sales must take place in assigned booths.
  7. All food and beverage permits must comply with City and County Health Department Standards. Food permits must be on hand at your booth.
  8. Alcohol sales are not permitted.
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9. All weapons vendors must obtain their own insurance and cannot be added to the Spring Awakening Festival's insurance policy. The minimum amount of coverage will include:
    - General Aggregate Limit \$500,0000.00
    - Product-Completed Operations Aggregate \$500,0000.00
    - Personal and Advertising Injury \$500,0000.00
    - Each Occurrence \$500,0000.00

### **Booth Rules & Regulations**

1. Vendors must provide and set up their own tents or EZ-Ups, umbrellas, tables, chairs, and other equipment necessary to run their booth.
2. All tents, EZ-Ups, and/or umbrellas must be properly weighted down.
3. Load In: Vendors may check-in and begin setting up their booths on the Thursday or Friday before the given festival weekend.
4. Load Out: Vendors must remove all of their booth materials and other possessions and exit What's Up Retreat on or before 1:00 p.m. of the Monday following the festival weekend.
5. Vendors must provide their own waste and recycling bins, and must remove all waste and recycling generated by their booth at the time of load out.
6. Electricity is currently available. Vendors may bring generators, but all generators must be inverter-type generators, with sound restrictions of 70dB and below.
7. Water is currently not available.
8. No booth may have any type of fire display without express written permission from the Spring Awakening Festival, and subject to Burn Ban Restrictions at the time of the Spring Awakening Festival.
9. Portable restrooms will be available.

### **Camping & RV Hook-Ups Rules & Regulations**

1. Vendors are welcome to camp at What's Up Retreat from 10:00 a.m. the Thursday before the festival until the Monday after.
2. Vendors must select a camp type at the time of application.
3. RV hook-ups are limited and available on a first-come, first served.
4. Tent campsites are permitted in specific locations only.
5. Campfires must be closely watched at all times and are subject to Burn Ban

Restrictions at the time of the Spring Awakening Festival. No ground fires are allowed.

6. Portable restrooms will be available.
7. There are no shower facilities.

### **What's Up Retreat Wildlife Rules & Regulations**

1. What's Up Retreat consists of 40 acres of free-roaming wildlife.
2. All vendors and guests shall not hunt, chase, taunt, or otherwise disturb the animals residing at What's Up Retreat.
3. No concealed or exposed firearms are allowed at What's Up Retreat at any time.
4. Pets are expressly not allowed at What's Up Retreat. Licensed service animals are permitted, provided they are leashed and wearing service vests at all times. The Spring Awakening Festival and What's Up Retreat are not responsible for any harm done to service animals by the wildlife or pest control systems residing at What's Up Retreat.



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### Vendor Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZipCode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Booth or Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Give a brief description of the items that will be for sale at your booth:

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Vendor agrees to comply with all dates and deadlines. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial)

Vendor agrees to comply with all Vendor Rules & Regulations. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial)

Vendor agrees to comply with all Booth Rules & Regulations. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial)

Vendor agrees to comply with all Camping & RV Rules & Regulation. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial)

Vendor agrees to comply with all What's Up Retreat Wildlife Rules & Regulations.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Initial)

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

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_



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### Fee Worksheet:

<b>Fee Type:</b> <b>Fees cover all days of the Spring Awakening Festival</b>	<b>Amount Due:</b>
20'x20' Booth Space - \$150	
Food Truck Space - \$300	
Campsite Fee – RV: \$100 (from friday - monday)	
Campsite Fee – Tent: \$20 (from friday - monday)	
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE:</b>	

*All Fees are due by the Friday before the weekend of the festival.*

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