



34th Annual World Catfish Festival, Belzoni, MS World Catfish Festival Arts & Crafts Show

Dear Artist and Crafter:

Make plans to join us for the 34th Annual World Catfish Festival on April 4, 2009 in downtown Belzoni, Mississippi. Enclosed you will find the Arts & Crafts Application and Rules & Regulations.

The World Catfish Festival is an annual event. This year we are proud to announce a new Catfish Festival Committee and new management of the festival as well! We are so excited about the new additions we are making to the festival as we book great new music lineups, new children's activities and new arts and crafts vendors.

We are offering a special Arts & Crafts promotion for the 2009 Catfish Festival! For any vendor applying by January 15, the booth space is discounted by 50%!! You can have a 14x10 space for \$25.00!! Any application received after January 15 will be \$50.00.

How to Apply:

1. Read and complete the enclosed application form carefully and completely. Items not listed on the application will not be allowed to be displayed or sold.
2. Read the terms & conditions on the bottom of the application carefully. Sign the Acceptance Waiver. Please make sure you make copies for yourself. Your application will not be accepted unless you have signed the Acceptance Waiver.
3. Include two (2) photos of your items for sale with the application. Applications without photos will be rejected. **THIS INCLUDES REPEAT CRAFTERS!!** Please include a stamped, self address envelope if you want your photos returned.
4. Applications must include payment. Once we receive your complete application and have been approved, we will notify you.

Please do not hesitate to call Marion McBride, Arts & Crafts Committee Member, @ 662-836-9009; mmcbride@msreads.org or Steve Anderson, 662-247-4838; catfish@belzonicable.com if you have any questions.