

Britannia Community Services Centre & Britannia Secondary School present:



## **OUR 35th ANNUAL**

# **2018 BRITANNIA CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR**



Britannia Community Services Centre – Gym D 1661 Napier Street, Vancouver, B.C. V5L 4X4 Email: britanniacraftfair@live.ca

### WHEN:

The craft fair runs 3 days:

Friday, November 16th Saturday, November 17th Sunday, November 18th (3pm – 8pm) (10am – 4pm) (10am – 4pm)

### HOW TO APPLY:

Download a form from the Britannia Community Centre website: <u>www.britanniacentre.org</u> Or pick up at Britannia Community Centre Then send in:

| By mail:     | Britannia Community Services Centre |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|
| Or drop off: | Attn: Craft Fair Coordinator        |
|              | 1661 Napier Street                  |
|              | Vancouver, B.C. V5L 4X4             |
|              |                                     |

By fax to: (604) 718-5858

By email to: britanniacraftfair@live.ca

### New and returning crafters and prepared foods vendors:

Deadline for application submission is **Saturday, September 1, 2018 by 4:00pm.** No exceptions. All late entries will be waitlisted and contacted. **No payment required yet.** Accepted vendors will be notified how to register and to pay by Credit, Debit, Cash or Cheque (payable to City of Vancouver). Cost is total \$110 for all three days. \$15 extra fee for those requiring electricity. \$35 Youth table (see page 2)

### **JURY INFORMATION:**

New applicants will be juried by appointment this year on Saturday September 22, 2017 (10am-2pm). Details and location will be emailed to you. Please bring 4-6 samples that best reflect a good cross-section of your work. **Craft items must be handmade by you.** 

The Britannia Christmas Craft Fair Jury includes representatives from the Britannia Board of Management and Arts and Culture Committee.

All juried and returning crafters will be notified with acceptance and given directions on registering their table OR placed on waitlist. Payment is made once you have been accepted.

#### **Directions to Jury Room in the Britannia Information Centre:**

You may park in the lot for the Britannia High School/Community Centre off Venables and Cotton Drive (one block west of Commercial Drive). There will be signs in the parking lot leading you towards the jury room (location to be determined). There will also be directional signs throughout the Britannia site.

## FAIR INFORMATION:

Types of Crafts

- Please mark as many boxes as apply to your work
- Handmade only can be produced from a mold that you've made. Please provide picture of mold or bring it if you can.
- Only crafts that are listed on your application and have been juried can be sold. Note: Britannia Community Centre reserves the right to have any unlisted and unjuried items removed from a crafter's table.
- Please do not "fundraise" for a non-profit group at your table, without prior consent from the Britannia Arts and Culture Committee.
- One **youth table** is reserved for 3 artist/artisans under the age of 21 for one day each. Please state your availability and date preference if you are applying under this category.

#### Table Space

- 6' x 2.5' tables provided and 2 chairs per table.
- Crafters will provide their own: decorating ideas, extension cords, display props and low wattage (5 25 watts only please) or battery powered lighting.

Location & Amenities

- Gym D in Britannia Community Centre
- Wheelchair accessible
- Close to Commercial Drive Shopping district
- Close to Skytrain and bus route (Commercial and Broadway stations, #21 bus)
- Free Wi-Fi

### What the 3 day Fair Offers:

- Various local performers/entertainment, Seasonal mood music
- Door prize/Raffle of vendor donated items
- Santa photo booth
- Concession
- Coat and Stroller Check
- Same weekend as the Eastside Cultural Crawl
- Well attended, fun event with 34 years of repeat customers!

The Britannia Christmas Craft Fair is proud to present its 35th year!

As a shopper paying the \$2 door admission, one will enjoy local live entertainment; a time for shopping; stopping and eating while enjoying a kick-off to the season. Britannia's Christmas Craft Fair is truly a well-known tradition. All proceeds from concession and admission go towards Britannia HUB programs for inner city programming.

See you all at the Fair! Helen, Ellen and Mitra