

KANSAS CITY INDIAN ART MARKET & CULTURAL FESTIVAL
KC INDIAN FEST
October 3 & 4, 2009

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TO: Native American artists/vendors

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Re: **Invitation to participate**

The National Center for Indigenous American Cultures (NCIAC) in conjunction with Kansas City Parks and Recreation is presenting an opportunity for Native American artists and crafters to display and sell their wares while celebrating their heritage. The Festival features authentic Native American entertainment, interactive children's events, exhibits, food and workshops. Our artists told us they had a very good festival in 2008 so we are confident 2009 will be even better as we attract a greater audience each year.

This is the fourth year for this exciting event held at Frank Vaydik Park/Line Creek Community Center on the sacred land which was home to ancient cultures for thousands of years. This Festival is sponsored by NCIAC as part of our commitment to preserve and protect this land and to foster an understanding of Native American traditions. The Park is located at 5940 NW Waukomis Drive in the northland of Kansas City, MO. Directions will arrive with your packet after we receive your application.

If you are interested in becoming a vendor at this event, please submit the enclosed application and release forms ASAP. Booth space will be assigned in the order in which payment is received. You may bring your own tent/canopy or reserve space within our large tent. The area is open for set up at 7:00 am each day. We'll have the coffee waiting! All vehicles must be removed from vending area by 9:00 am. The festival opens to the public from 10:00 am until 6:00 pm. Someone must be in your booth at all times. If you are alone in your booth please let us know how we can assist you when you need a break. We will have volunteers available to help out.

Primitive camping will be available near the festival grounds. We will suggest some nearby hotels in our vendor packet after we receive your application.

Money order should be made out to:

NCIAC (National Center for Indigenous American Cultures at Line Creek, Inc.)

Check List: Have you enclosed the following? (Please keep **this** page for reference.)

- _____ Pictures or brochure describing sale items/exhibit (first time exhibitors)
- _____ Signed acknowledgment of Rules for Participation and Liability Release
- _____ Application
- _____ Payment



Please mail to:

NCIAC

K.C. Indian Art Market & Cultural Festival

Line Creek Community Center/Ice Arena

5940 NW Waukomis Dr

Kansas City, MO 64151