

Dear Craft & Food Vendors:

The Chitimacha Tribe would like to invite you to our **6th Annual Chitimacha Powwow**, to be held on Saturday, October 19th, 2019, in the Pavilion at Cypress Bayou Casino Hotel, in Charenton, Louisiana. *In conjunction, we will be having an **American Indian Market** for arts and craft vendors. Market hours will be Friday, 2pm-9pm, Saturday (event day) 9am-10pm, and Sunday, 9am-2 pm.* We are now accepting applications from interested vendors. ***There will be a pre-selection process; submittal of this attached application does not guarantee you a vendor space at the powwow.*** **All completed applications must be returned to the Powwow Committee no later than Thursday, October 3rd.** Applicants will be notified of the Committee's decision. If you are approved by the committee, you will be notified and payment can then be sent to: **Chitimacha Powwow Committee, P.O. Box 661, Charenton, LA 70523.** If you have any questions, please e-mail us at powwow@chitimacha.gov or call Kim Walden at (337) 923-9923.

Rules and Pricing:

- Products sold by art and craft vendors must be **Native American made, designed** or Native American related and must be culturally appropriate, non-stereotypical. The committee reserves the right to make final decisions on items offered for sale. **No foreign-made items allowed (unless they are components of an otherwise handmade piece.)**
- The sale of any item with the terms "Chitimacha", "Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana", "Chitimacha Powwow", "Cypress Bayou", and/or "Cypress Bayou Casino Hotel" are not permitted; only authorized vendors will sell official souvenirs.
- Novelties, cosmetics, fireworks, or 'poppers' are not allowed. Small items that can accidentally enter the arena are not allowed, i.e. balls, etc.
- The sale of feathers or bones from protected animals of the U.S. Endangered Species Act is not permitted.
- The Chitimacha Powwow has exclusive rights for the sale of water, soft drinks, tea, and coffee as well as all fry bread items; the sale of any of the above is prohibited.
- Booth fees for a **10x10** space are as follows:
 - Chitimacha Tribal Members:** All food & craft booth fees are waived.
 - Federally Recognized Tribal Members:** Craft Booth (pre-function room) \$50.00 + \$35.00 Raffle Item + \$10.00 for power. Food Booth (outdoor) \$85.00 + \$10.00 each for power and water.
 - All Other Applicants:** Craft Booth (pre-function room) \$75.00 + \$35.00 Raffle Item + \$10.00 for power. Food Booth (outdoor) \$120.00 + \$10.00 each for power and water.

****10x20 spaces are available upon request for an extra fee of half of the original fee. Example: If your original fee is \$50.00, add an additional \$25.00 for a 10x20 space.****

- Please provide photographs of your booth setup and items, as well as a copy of your tribal enrollment card (if applicable).
- All vendor fees must be paid by Cashier's Check or Money Order. No Business or Personal checks will be accepted. Fees are non-refundable. (Payment is due upon notice of the committee approval. No payments at arrival please!)

2019 Chitimacha Powwow Vendor Application

Type of Vendor: _____ Arts & Crafts _____ Food

Needs: _____ Water (\$10) _____ Electricity (\$10)

of booth spaces requested: _____

Please Print Clearly:

Date: _____

Legal Name (First and Last): _____

Business Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone Number (1): _____

Phone Number (2): _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Federally Recognized Tribe (if applicable): _____

Please give a detailed description of items that will be sold:

By signing this document, I have read, understand, and agree to abide by all rules and regulations set forth by the Chitimacha Powwow Committee. I agree that I will not hold the Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana, Cypress Bayou Casino Hotel, its officers, directors, volunteers, officials, employees, and agents against any liabilities. I am at least 18 years of age. I understand that the use of alcohol and/or illegal drugs is not allowed at this event and will result in removal of vendor with no refund.

Signature

Date