

Promote, beautify and enhance the village of Baysville

Baysville Walkabout ~ July 26, 2025

Your application form and certificate from your insurance company must be received by Lorie Edwards by July 1, 2024 **FIRM AND FINAL - NO EXCEPTIONS**

SHOW HOURS: 9:00 a.m. TO 4:00 p.m.

SPACE SIZE: Approximately 12' frontage x 10' depth

SPACE FEE: \$75.00 per space

BAYSVILLE WALKABOUT FESTIVAL REGULATIONS ~ 2025

INSURANCE: <u>Low risk vendors are now covered under the Township of Lake of Bays</u> insurance policy. If you are high risk you will require the 2,000,000 liability insurance which can be purchased at the Township of Lake of Bays. Contact Laura Vaisanen 705-635-2272 ext 1250. Examples of high risk vendors are wood carving, axe throwing, inflatables etc.

<u>CHECK-IN</u>: The exhibitor entrance and check-in will be clearly marked with signs - please watch for them. Report to our check in area between **6 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.** to obtain your space number. These numbers will be marked on the street. Do not go to your space before checking-in unless you have made prior arrangements to do so.

PARKING: In order to alleviate traffic congestion, vendors are to drive to their allocated space, unload their vehicle quickly, and then move their vehicle off the main road **BEFORE** setting up their display. Parking is available on some of the side streets as well as at the arena on University St. Any vendors who absolutely MUST have their vehicle on site must make this request on the application. On site vehicles can only be accommodated if the residential owners agree to allow parking on their property - this is very limited so vendors should plan accordingly.

DON'T BE LATE: Vendors must be set up <u>no later than 8:45 a.m.</u> and vehicles will not be allowed on the street in the Walkabout area after 8:30 a.m. If you are late, you must walk all your goods into your space. At the end of the day, **vehicles will not be allowed in or out before 4:00 p.m.** for safety reasons.

<u>POWER</u>: There is no power available. If you need power, you will need to bring a generator and must inform us that you are doing so as the noise may interfere with other vendors.

<u>MUSIC</u>: For the comfort of all visitors and vendors, individual vendors are not permitted to have music playing in their tents.

SAFETY AND RESPECT: Walkabout volunteers, patrons and vendors expect respect. Verbal abuse, bullying, harassment and intimidation by any vendor or his/her associates will not be tolerated. Should you engage in said behaviours, you will be required to close up your tent for the remainder of the day and will not be permitted back for future Walkabouts.

SPACES: Vendors will line both sides of the street in a 4-block area of Baysville. Your space may contain gravel, pavement or grass and may be in full sun or shade. You will not know which until you arrive so please be prepared to set up under any condition. You <u>must</u> bring weights for the four corners of your tents. **NOTE:** *Space numbers can change up to the day of the Walkabout so your space number will be given to you upon check in.*

<u>TABLES:</u> Tables and chairs are not provided. You must bring your own.

ADVERTISING: We will publicize the Baysville Walkabout in various tourism publications, web sites as well as local media. Additionally your website will be listed on the Baysville Community Group Walkabout website. An estimated 4000-5000+ people attend Walkabout.

ACCEPTANCE: Your space will not be reserved until the Baysville Community Group receives your completed application form, registration fee. *All items must be received by Lorie Edwards by July* <u>1, 2025 Firm and Final - no exceptions.</u>

Payment may be made via cheque payable to: The Baysville Community Group or by e-transfer to baysvillecommunitygroup@gmail.com

For more information contact Lorie Edwards 705-205-9202 lorieedwards1960@gmail.com

PLEASE ENSURE YOUR SPACE IS LEFT CLEAN AT THE END OF THE Walkabout Your garbage must be put in the garbage bags. If your garbage does not fit in the bags it must be taken home with you. *Do not* leave cardboard boxes or other packing items. They must be taken with you.

The Baysville Community Group will make every effort to ensure your participation in the Baysville Walkabout Festival will be a pleasant and successful experience. If you have any special requests, please list them on the application and we will do what we can to accommodate you. Thank you for your participation.

PLEASE NOTE: SOME VENDORS HAD DIFFICULTY USING THIER DEBIT/CREDIT MACHINES IF THEY WERE ON THE ROGERS NETWORK. THIS IS NOT WITHIN OUR CONTROL SO PLEASE PLAN ACCORDINGLY.