SEAL BEACH LIONS CLUB

48th Annual Arts & Crafts Faire • Eisenhower Park, Seal Beach

Vendor Frequently Asked Questions

September 12–13, 2026 • Eisenhower Park by the Seal Beach Pier – 900 Ocean Avenue

What You Can Sell

Q: Do I need to submit anything if I want to add new items to my line-up?

A: If you'd like to add items beyond your previously approved product line, you'll need to submit photos for approval. Reach out to sblionsartsandcrafts@gmail.com.

Q: What can I sell?

A: This is a juried show focused on handcrafted items made by the vendor. A limited amount of commercial product is allowed, but at least 80% of what you sell must be handcrafted by you.

Q: Can I sell food items?

A: Yes, but space is limited and any food item — including candy, cookies, jams, and breads — requires an Orange County Environmental Health Permit. Details are at www.ocfoodinfo.com.

Q: What happens if my booth doesn't comply with the rules?

A: Compliance is checked at the start of the show. Booths that don't meet requirements will be removed for non-compliance, and no refund will be issued.

Booth Location & Setup

Q: Where is my booth located?

A: All spaces are pre-assigned. Refer to the Booth List and the space location map to find your exact spot. Locations are final — there will be no changes, as all spaces are committed.

Q: How big is my space?

A: Regular booths fit a 10x10 canopy, with a minimum 2' gap between most booths and a minimum depth of 10' (you may go deeper if it doesn't interfere with neighboring artisans). Your booth number will be chalked on the walkway in front of your space — please stay within those lines and keep the walkway clear.

Q: I have a small booth location — anything different for me?

A: A few smaller locations require the canopy to extend into the ground cover. In these spots, canopies must stay off the walkway, and all tables and materials must stay on the grass.

Q: What do I need to bring?

A: Vendors supply their own canopy, tables, chairs, and weights. Canopies and umbrellas must be secured with weights, since winds at this location are unpredictable.

Q: Can I share my booth with another vendor?

A: No, booths may not be shared or sublet without prior approval.

Q: Can I use a speaker or PA system at my booth?

A: No, portable PA systems are not allowed in booths.

Saturday: Setup & Unloading

Q: What time can I start setting up?

A: You may begin setup as early as 5:00 a.m. on Saturday. All booths must be ready for presentation by 8:30 a.m., as the show begins at 9:00 a.m.

Q: Where do I unload?

A: Unloading and loading happen on Ocean Blvd. You won't be able to unload directly in front of your booth, so please bring a cart to move your merchandise in.

Q: How long can I stay in the loading zone?

A: No more than 20 minutes. Vehicles left longer are subject to being towed.

Sunday: Restock & Break-Down

Q: Can I restock on Sunday morning?

A: Yes, you may arrive as early as 6:30 a.m. to restock your booth. Use the same unloading area as Saturday, and please move your vehicle right after unloading. The show also opens at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday.

Q: When can I start breaking down my booth?

A: Please don't start breaking down before 4:00 p.m., when the show closes.

Q: When can I bring my car around to load out?

A: Vehicles may only pull into the Ocean Avenue staging area for loading after 4:15 p.m., and only once your booth is fully broken down. The staging area can't fit all vendors at once, so please be patient. As with Saturday, you have no more than 20 minutes in the loading zone, and cars that exceed that are subject to being towed. If a volunteer asks you to move your car, please do so promptly to keep the process moving for everyone.

Q: What do I do with my trash?

A: Please put all trash in the waste receptacles and leave your booth space the way you found it.

Security & Parking

Q: Is there security on-site?

A: Yes, security personnel wearing are present throughout the show, plus overnight security. Booths and tables may be left up overnight; however, the Lions cannot be held responsible for any equipment or merchandise left on-site.

Q: Where should I park?

A: Parking is on your own. The 10th or 8th Street parking lots are recommended — there is no parking on Ocean Avenue in front of the event. Those lots use the Passport Parking App, so download it before you arrive.

Q: Are there restrooms for vendors?

A: Yes, restrooms are provided on each side of the park and additional public restrooms are also available under the pier.

Business License, Food & Other Details

Q: Do I need a City of Seal Beach business license?

A: It's required, but no action is needed on your part — the cost is included in your registration fee, and the Lions have already obtained your license from the city.

Q: Where can I get lunch during the show?

A: The Leo food booth near the pier entrance is open 10:30 a.m.–3:00 p.m. both Saturday and Sunday. If you'd rather not leave your booth, order forms are dropped off at each booth and deliveries run from 11:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Q: What if it rains?

A: The show goes on rain or shine.

Q: What's the cancellation policy?

A: There are no refunds for cancellations after June 30, 2026, and a $30 service charge applies to all cancellations.

Q: Where can I find the vendor list and maps?

A: Vendor lists, maps, and other event information are posted at sealbeachlions.org.

Q: Who do I contact with other questions?

A: Email sblionsartsandcrafts@gmail.com and the Lions will get back to you.