



## **2006 West Virginia Folk Festival Craft Show** **June 15-17, 2006**

**Downtown Glenville West Virginia - Thurs, 2-9 PM; Fri & Sat, 10 AM-9 PM**

This is the **57th annual WV State Folk Festival**, celebrating the traditional culture, heritage, and music of West Virginia. The center for the festival is **The Country Store Museum**, which houses an amazing assortment of historical memorabilia. Leave your radios and tape players at home as there will be music everywhere. Crafters – expect to be at your stand until dark, as there will be more people on the streets than during the hot summer afternoons! There are contests and concerts, as well as jam sessions, throughout the festival.

**We have made changes this year** in the craft & demonstrator area of the festival. The “early bird” price for craft spaces remains the same: **\$30 per 10x10’ space**. (After March 1<sup>st</sup>: \$60 per space) We are looking for **heritage crafts** – those that are traditional in the Appalachian mountains. **No applications will be accepted after May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2006**. Spaces will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis and will be laid out in a different manner than in the past few years.

Come to the **Country Store Museum**, on Court St., to get your space number and a vendor permit which must be displayed on your booth. The **set-up times** are Thursday, from 10 AM to 2 PM; Friday, 8 AM to 10 AM. All crafters must set up during those times unless prior arrangements are made with the committee!

Bring your own canopy, tables and chairs (Screen houses are not permitted! They don’t fit into the 10x10 spaces). Bring a fan and lights for your booth, if you get electricity! The evenings are the most fun and it can get hot! The Folk Festival does **not** provide tents, tables or chairs.

For accommodations, the best bet is Glenville State College (don't try to get reservations - sign up when you get here!). You can camp close-by at Cedar Creek State Park (Call 1-800-CALLWVA), and there are near-by motels: Best Western’s new Glenville Inn (304-462-5511), Comfort Inn, Weston (304-269-2000) and Motel 79, Burnsville (304-853-2918) (Conrad Motel in Glenville is probably full, but you can always call them: 304-462-7316.) Some camp sites available at Gilmer Co. Recreation center (304-462-7653).

You must provide at least three (3) pictures of your current work. You can email pictures to [KarenLane@aol.com](mailto:KarenLane@aol.com) or mail with application. The committee reserves the right to reject unacceptable crafts (plastic canvas, work from kits, any non-original work, or crafts not mentioned on your application). Vendors must remain until at least 9 PM on Saturday or will not be invited again!

The craft committee will be visiting each craft site to compare the work you bring to the pictures that you submitted. If there is work not generally representative of the pictures submitted, you will be asked to remove said items. There are no refunds if you are asked to leave for having inappropriate materials.

**The WV State Folk Festival is not responsible for theft or damage of inventory during the Folk Festival. We would appreciate it if no radios, tape players, or CD players are brought to the festival, as a courtesy to the musicians. No fireworks are permitted in the city of Glenville.**

**Karen Pennebaker – [KarenLane@aol.com](mailto:KarenLane@aol.com) 304-462-5065**



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**Please fill out the form below and return with payment:**

**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_ **E MAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY** \_\_\_\_\_ **STATE** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP** \_\_\_\_\_

**DESCRIPTION OF CRAFT:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **10 X 10 SPACES @ \$30.00** \_\_\_\_\_ **Need electricity (\$5 extra)**  
**(after March 1, 2006 - \$60.00 per 10x10 space)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **One free 10 x 10 space for demonstrator: You *must* contact Karen Pennebaker, 304-462-5065 (or email [KarenLane@aol.com](mailto:KarenLane@aol.com)) in order do this, so we have a variety...2 of the same craft would be fine, but we don't need 45 tin smiths demonstrating!! Demonstrators must pay for reserved space and the \$30 will be refunded Saturday evening.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Special consideration for demonstrators *who do NOT sell*: \$50 per day for Friday and/or Saturday, plus lodging at Glenville State College. This must be arranged by February 1<sup>st</sup>. Contact Karen!!**

\_\_\_\_\_ **photos enclosed**      **or**      \_\_\_\_\_ **photos emailed to [KarenLane@aol.com](mailto:KarenLane@aol.com)**

**Send application with payment to Karen Pennebaker, 228 Ivy Run Road, Troy, WV 26443  
Make check or money order payable to *WV State Folk Festival*.**

I have read the notice on the previous page and understand that I must submit three (3) pictures representative of my work (even if I have previously attended the West Virginia State Folk Festival). **I understand that I must provide a canopy, table, chairs, etc., and that the West Virginia State Folk Festival is not responsible for theft or damage of inventory during the Folk Festival.** I also understand that the committee will be making certain that only work representative of the pictures I have sent will be allowed to be on display and/or for sale.

(Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_)