

Elkton Community Education Center's

Fort Umpqua Days

September 1st & 2nd, 2018

Vendor Information

What is Fort Umpqua Days?

Fort Umpqua Days begins each morning with a Lion's Club pancake breakfast, followed by booths opening at 10am. On Saturday, a parade through Elkton to ECEC starts at 10am. There is a barbecue lunch booth, opening at 11am. Live music and great food can be enjoyed on the patio before a pie auction at 1pm. At 5pm, a live musical pageant, written and performed by local residents, takes place in the amphitheater. Historical character reenactors camp at the fort and live the pioneer lifestyle. Special activities and demonstrations go on both days at Fort Umpqua. A two day bass tournament launches at 6am each morning, with prizes awarded Sunday afternoon.

Where is Fort Umpqua Days held?

Festivities are held at Elkton Community Education Center (ECEC) located at 15850 Highway 38 West. ECEC is approximately halfway between I-5 and the coast on a scenic byway, and is easily accessible to people traveling from Roseburg, Eugene, and Reedsport.

What is ECEC?

ECEC is a year-round community center and summer tourist destination. Our 30-acre site features a popular butterfly pavilion, replica of historic Fort Umpqua, native plant nursery, gift shop, summer café, and extensive gardens connected by accessible walking trails.

Who can be a vendor?

Vendor booths are available to area artists and craftspeople, with special focus on historic-, fall-, and pioneer-themed products. Nonprofits, service organizations, and school groups are also invited to participate.

What does it cost?

- \$30.00 for a standard booth area (10 x 10 ft)
- \$50.00 for a double space
- \$10.00 additional fee if you need electricity (a limited number of booths are available with electricity)
- Fees waived for information-only service group booths (no political or religious info booths)
- Vendors provide their own table, chairs, shelter, and change fund as needed; Wi-Fi is not available due to outdoor vendor set-up, please plan accordingly if using Square/other credit card reader.

What is the schedule for vendors?

- Applications are processed and spaces are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis (apply today!)
- Booth rental fee is due with application and must be paid prior to the event
- Staff will be onsite to support vendor set-up at 7am Saturday morning; all booths must be set up before 10am and staffed until 4pm; ECEC is open to visitors 9am-5pm.

There is a temporary vehicle access to the booth area for unloading, set-up, and take down. There will be space allocated in the parking field for all vendor vehicles. Although ECEC has not experienced problems in the past, the grounds are not secured overnight so please plan accordingly.

Thank you for your interest! Please complete the vendor application as soon as possible to secure your booth space. Be sure to include your payment and sign the liability release form. If you have any questions, please call the ECEC office at (541) 584-2692 or email info@elktonbutterflies.com