

RULES & REGULATIONS

TRADING DATES & TIMES

First Market Date: **29th April 2022** (No Trading During the Darwin Show)

Last Market Date: **28th October 2022**

All stalls are to be operational from 5 pm till 9 pm.

PLEASE NOTE: NO STALL IS TO COMMENCE TRADING BEFORE 2PM. NO EXCEPTIONS.

POWER & GAS & FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

Power boards are to be off the ground and leads are to be 2.5 metres safely from the ground.

No double adaptors are permitted.

Stallholders will be liable for any damages caused by faulty electrical equipment.

All electrical equipment must be tested and tagged prior to Markets commencing.

Gas bottles must but be fitted with safety valves and stored appropriately.

All Food Stalls using deep fryers must have fire extinguishers and a fire blanket.

INSURANCE

All Permanent Stallholders must have a current public liability insurance policy and supply a copy of your policy with this application.

PHOTOGRAPHY

Photographs may be taken of your stall/staff throughout the Market season by the Market Co-ordinator or Assistant Co-ordinator to be used in media and advertising, to promote the Palmerston and Rural Markets.

HEALTH & SMOKING & ANIMALS

All Food Stalls are to **supply a copy of their NT Health Department Certificate with this application.**

It is the Stall Holders responsibility to comply with the NT Health Act.

The Market Precinct is a Smoke Free Zone, in accordance with Northern Territory Government requirements.

Smoking is permitted STRICTLY 2metres outside the Market Zone Area (map at information stall).

Animals are prohibited unless permission has been given (e.g. Petting Zoo, Animal Welfare and Aid Dogs).

VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT

All vehicles entering the site must turn on their **HAZARD** lights while the vehicle is moving. **Vehicles must give way to pedestrians and follow traffic controllers' instructions.** Vehicles reversing or maneuvering a trailer must have another person watching out for pedestrians and other vehicles. **On arrival you must first remove all stall items from your vehicle** – then remove your vehicle immediately from the Market area so other stallholders may enter too. All vehicles are to be removed from the Market area by 4:30pm. **No vehicles are to remain during trading hours unless authorized by the Co-ordinator. Stalls are to be packed up before** you bring your vehicle in for loading at the close of each trading night. **Vehicle re-Entry to the Market Precinct is STRICTLY from 9.15pm only. No exceptions.**

WASTE & CLEANLINESS

Waste water must be disposed of at the sullage pit and waste cooking oil at the oil tank only. **Please avoid spillages and notify the Co-ordinator of a staff member if a spillage occurs! Cardboard is to be flattened and put in the blue recycling bin. Stall sites are to be clean and tidy at the end of night.**

Stallholders will be liable for charges incurred for negligence or non-compliance.

SITE ALLOCATIONS, APPROVALS

The Co-ordinator and Committee may change or re-allocate the position of any stall without notice.

You will be advised of **the outcome of your application** following the next Committee Meeting.

APPLICATION VARIATIONS

Variations to this application must be requested in writing and are subject to committee approval.

Variations may include additional or changed products or stall ownership.

COMPLIANCE & BEHAVIOUR

By signing this application, **you and your staff are agreeing to comply** with all requirements listed, including payment of fees, Council By-laws, Territory Government and Commonwealth laws and regulations. Failure to comply with the details of this application, audit failure, or inappropriate behaviour and conduct will result in immediate action and may result in the cancellation of site allocations or your permit to trade.

FEES & PAYMENTS

WEATHER

No refund will be made to Stallholders not trading due to inclement weather.

ABSENCES & HOLIDAYS

Absences for Permanent Stallholders require full payment, even if notified in advance.

Notification of any absence is required by phone/email no later than close of business each THURSDAY prior to the absence. The Committee will review the Permanency of any stall which is absent for more than 4 weeks without due notice and acceptable excuses given.

ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP

Permanent Stallholders are to pay \$30 for association membership this season. There is **ONE membership allocated for each permanent stall**, allowing one vote at the Annual General Meeting or other Association meetings per permanent stall.

FEE PAYING OPTIONS

Either: full season's fees by 29th April 2022 or 30% deposit by 29th April 2021 and the balance paid by 30th June 2022 (*please tick your payment preference*) **Stalls which don't pay their fees on time may have their permission to trade suspended or revert to Casual Stall status. Let the Co-ordinator know the reason if you can't pay your fees by the due date.**

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Bank Deposit/

Westpac Bank, Palmerston

Online Banking: BSB: 035-318 Account Number: 74-0113

You must include a reference with all deposits (your stall name/your name or invoice number) so we can credit the payment to you!

Cheque: Made payable to Palmerston & Rural Markets Association Inc. or to Palmerston Markets.

Cash payment: Cash payments can be made with Market Management Staff at the AGM or at the Information booth on Friday nights during the Market season and a receipt will be issued.

FEE SCHEDULE:

Fees are calculated using the serving front of your stall (measured by the Co-ordinator) **including tow bars**. Food stalls are allowed 4metres depth including preparation area. Larger preparation areas will cost more (\$20 per metre of depth per Market). Stallholders are **not** allowed to use the garden beds for preparation or storage of stall materials. Any stall which measures .5 of a metre or more over a whole number will be charged at the higher rate i.e if a stall is 4.5 metres long the charge is the 5 metre rate.

Stall Size	< 2.5 Metres Frontage	3 Metres Frontage	4 Metres Frontage	5 Metres Frontage	6 Metres Frontage	BIN LEVY	Member-ship
Art, Craft & Plants	\$8/week \$208 per season	\$15/week \$390 per season	\$20/week \$390 per season	\$20/week \$650 per season	\$30/week \$780 per season	>6m Extra \$5/m	\$30 per Season
Cold Food	\$35/week \$910 per season	\$65/week \$1,690 per season	\$80/week \$2,080 per season	\$100/week \$2,600 per season	\$120/week \$3,120 per season	Plus \$115 per Season	\$30 per Season
Hot Food	\$60/week \$1,560 per season	\$90/week \$2,340 per season	\$115/week \$2,990 per season	\$140/week \$3,640 per season	\$170/week \$4,030 per season	Plus \$115 per Season	\$30 per Season
Fruit & Vegetable	\$35/week \$910 per season	\$45/week \$1,170 per season	\$50/week \$1,300 per season	\$55/week \$1,430 per season	\$60/week \$1560 per season	Plus \$115 per Season	\$30 per Season
Service Stalls	\$20/week \$520 per season	\$35/week \$910 per season	\$40/week \$1,040 per season	\$45/week \$1,170 per season	\$50/week \$1,300 per season	>6m extra \$10/m	\$30 per Season
Political Stalls	\$30/week \$650 per season	\$35/week \$910 per season	\$40/week \$1,040 per week	\$45/week \$1,170 per season	\$50/week \$1,300 per season	>6m Not available	\$30 per Season

ENTERING AND EXITING THE MARKET

Traffic management staff will be at the Market entry points (from 8-30am) and exit points (from 9.00pm) to ensure that you enter and exit the Market safely and do not endanger the general public or damage the site with your vehicle.

You must obey their instructions and have your flashing hazard lights on when driving inside the Market Area! Any damage caused to the site garden beds or grassed areas by your vehicles or stall activities will be reported to the Committee and Co-ordinator and you will be required to pay for any measures needed to fix the damage. Failure to do so may result in the suspension of your permit to trade in the Market until the damage bill is paid.

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Note: Arrows mark the only permissible vehicle entry and exit points for the Market.

