## THE WITCHES MARKETS

## **Presents**



## **About**

Evening Star Faire is a once-a-year festival/faire presented by The Witches Markets. Like a Renaissance Festival in concept and practice.

Enter the Witch's Village called Evening Star which manifest into reality 1 night a year. This enchanted village is open to the public of all ages and enticing for everyone to participate.

## Rules of the Village Participation Handbook

These rules and policies are part of your contract. Violations of any of these rules or policies may be grounds for immediate cancellation of contract. It is your responsibility to make sure that each of your employees have read and understand the *Rules of the Village*. With your and your workers' cooperation, we shall all have a successful Faire.

**Rain:** Expect to be open rain or shine. Adverse weather conditions should not interfere with the merchandising and costuming of participants. Business should be conducted as usual during inclement weather. The Village reserves the right to close in the event of extreme, unsafe conditions.

Behavior and Appearance: Yes, the Village does call for more "open" behavior, but we will not allow anyone to offend the patrons of the Faire. Obscene, lewd, or indecent behavior is not acceptable. The Faire is a family-oriented show and management expects you to use good judgment. Sexual harassment will be prosecuted.

Costumes: Vendors are required to participate in costume. Costumes are to be either a Witch, Wizard or Warlock of your creating. No modern street wear/clothing is permitted, and any timeline is acceptable. During the Faire, even while assisting customers, vendors must maintain character always. Characters may be good, bad, neutral, or chaotic. Your staff are required to participate in dress code are permitted to be any of the following only if not a witch/wizard/warlock: goblins, elves, wood spirits, orcs, sprites, fairies, zombies/undead. No other characters are permitted without written permission.

**Booth Space**: Each vendor will decorate their booth space to resemble a witch's shop, of their own creation. We are not looking for plain tables and plain tents. Every vendor booth is required to have a carved Jack O'Lantern lit during the entire Faire hours. The Jack O'Lantern may be ceramic, plastic, or real but must be physically present and always lit.