

# Ye Olde Beer Garden

## Ye Olde Beer Garden Rental

**Valid October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026**

**\$1,250.00**

**\$500.00 non-refundable down payment + \$750.00 rent = \$1,250.00 total rental fee**

**Includes Ye Olde Beer Garden Amenities Listed Below**

**Separate payment of \$500.00 damage/security deposit is due at the time of key pick-up.**

**This is in addition to the Ye Olde Beer Garden Rental. The damage/security deposit will be returned following key return and the venue being found in pre-rental condition.**

### **Additional charges not included in the Ye Olde Beer Garden rental fee:**

- \$50.00 per day per beer trailer plugged in
- \$75.00 per day per cooler use
- \$50.00 per day per food truck accessing water and electricity
- \$500.00 per day for Ye Olde Beer Garden use more than one (1) day before or one (1) day after the event
- Picnic tables are available for rent from the Steele County Free Fair at \$15.00 per table.

## **Ye Olde Beer Garden Amenities & Information**

- Available for rent mid-May through September 30 except for August. The Beer Garden is not available to rent in the month of August due to the Steele County Free Fair.
- Capacity is 200 – 250 depending on table arrangement.
- The Beer Garden is not heated or air conditioned but does have ceiling fans.
- The Beer Garden has twenty (20) square tables which seat 4 – 6 each, seventy-five (75) chairs, ten (10) high top tables and three (3) booths for seating.
- Additional tables and chairs will need to be rented from an outside source for the Beer Garden.
- The Steele County Free Fair has worked with the following, knowing that others are available, too.
  - ~Majestic Events [Nic@majestictents.com](mailto:Nic@majestictents.com) 507-876-1127 Worry-free event rentals from start to finish.
  - ~Stargazer Designs [stargazerdesigns2@yahoo.com](mailto:stargazerdesigns2@yahoo.com) 507-475-1639 Decorating for all your special events!
  - ~Von Hart Events [hello@vonhartevents.com](mailto:hello@vonhartevents.com) 507-413-7111 Event Rentals & Coordination Services
- The Beer Garden is handicap accessible including indoor accessible restrooms.
- The stage in the Beer Garden is included in the rental price.
- The outdoor fenced in area around the Beer Garden is included in the rental price.
- The Beer Garden is a smoke-free facility. Smoking is only allowed outdoors to the west of the building.
- Restrooms are stocked with paper towels, toilet paper and hand washing soap. This is part of the rental price.

- The Beer Garden has garbage cans for use. Renters provide their own garbage bags and arrange for garbage pick up and/or haul the garbage out themselves. It is the responsibility of the renter to clean up the Beer Garden.
- A sound system is the responsibility of the renter.
- Wi-Fi is available in the Beer Garden and is included in the rental. Password(s) will be given at key pick up.
- A licensed caterer must provide food and beverages. All food and beverages must comply with the City of Owatonna and County of Steele codes. A certificate of insurance, naming both the Steele County Agricultural Society, 1525 South Cedar Ave., Owatonna, MN 55060 **AND** the County of Steele, is required for each caterer and/or food truck.
- Alcohol is allowed inside and in the outdoor fenced in area surrounding the Beer Garden.
- If the event will have alcohol, special deputies must be obtained through Steele County. Contact Wyonne Priebe at 507-456-4299 to arrange for special deputies. Cost of special deputies is not included in the Beer Garden rental fee.
- Use of the coolers in the Beer Garden or plugging in a beer trailer are available at an additional cost.
- Food truck hook ups are available around the Beer Garden at an additional cost.
- Parking is available to the east, south and west of the Beer Garden.
- The rental fee is for the day of the event, 8 AM – 1 AM, one (1) day before the event, if needed, for decorating and set up, and one (1) day after the event, if needed, for tear down and clean up.
- Access to the Beer Garden more than 1 day before or 1 day after the event may be available for an additional charge of \$500.00 per day.
- Rental of the Beer Garden requires a certificate of general liability insurance for the event. The limits of the policy need to be \$1,500,000.00 or greater and need to list the Steele County Agricultural Society, 1525 South Cedar Ave., Owatonna, MN 55060, **AND** the County of Steele as additional insured under the policy.
- Beer Garden Decorating Guidelines:
  - ~Nailing and stapling are not allowed at the Beer Garden. We suggest draping and the use of Command type strips for decorating. Anything that may damage the Beer Garden is not allowed.
  - ~ Only battery-operated candles are allowed at the venue.
  - ~Glitter, confetti, silly-string, pyrotechnics, and sparklers are not allowed at the venue.

## Contact Us:

For additional information contact Denise [d.duffy@scff.org](mailto:d.duffy@scff.org) at the Steele County Free Fair or call the Steele County Free Fair Office at 507-451-5305.