

**ARTISTS'
REGISTRATION FORM
& INFORMATION**

for the

29th MAPLE CREEK MUSTERING

**Maple Creek Cowboy Poetry Gathering
and Western Art & Gear Show**

MC Community Arena, 505 Claustre Avenue

**Friday, September 14
Saturday, September 15
Sunday, September 16
2018**

Hello – my name is Jenny Robinson.

I am the Artists' Co-ordinator for Maple Creek's Cowboy Poetry Gathering and Western Art & Gear Show – The 2018 Maple Creek Mustering.

Our goal is to bring a variety of quality western art, cowboy gear, home décor and clothing to Maple Creek and area residents. We are interested in high quality, hand crafted items that showcase the West and its way of life.

PLEASE NOTE CHANGES: We are charging booth rental. **Voluntary** donations to the Silent Auction will be accepted with proceeds going towards keeping our Mustering alive.

We look forward to seeing you this year!

Enclosed is your Registration Form
Please return it before August 15 , 2018.

Show Hours	Friday	12:00 noon – 6:00 pm
	Saturday	10:00 am – 6:00 pm
	Sunday	12:00 noon – 4:00 pm
Setup	Thursday	7:00 pm – 9:00 pm
	Friday	9:00 am – 12:00 noon

***Notice of cancellation must be received by
September 1st, 2018 to have your booth payment
returned.***

PLEASE NOTE:

Fashion Show arrangements to be confirmed
**The Benefit Art Auction will be a Silent Auction
with donated items.**

We will keep you informed.

1. TO REGISTER

Fill out the registration form enclosed.

A cheque for \$100 **Booth Rental**, payable to the MC Cowboy Poetry Gathering, is required with your registration. A double booth will be \$150.

Auction Donation – will be strictly voluntary and in addition to the booth rental if you wish to support the Maple Creek Mustering beneficiary of the auction.

2. PASSES

Your name tag is your Weekend Pass

The pass admits you to all venues at no charge. Please wear it for viewing by the gate attendees. Lunch Tickets valid at all food booths. Friday Artists & Poets Supper at the Elks Hall. The Saturday Supper and the Sunday Breakfast are available at the Legion Hall.

1 Complimentary Weekend Pass / Name Tag per Booth

2 passes / name tags are issued if BOTH exhibitors are contributing artists with a double booth.

1 Weekend Partner Pass is available for \$65.00

The pass admits you to all venues at no charge, lunch tickets, the Saturday Supper and Sunday Breakfast available at the Legion Hall.

The Artists and Poets Supper (Friday Evening)

\$10.00 for your partner at the Elks Hall door.

THIS IS NOT INCLUDED IN YOUR PARTNER PASS.

*****NEW***PLEASE LET US KNOW WHICH MEAL TICKETS YOU REQUIRE. SEE INCLUDED FORM.**

3. BOOTHS

The Maple Creek Community Arena will be the venue for the Art & Gear Show again this year. Booth Size is approximately 7' deep X 10' wide. Booths are set up along the sides of the Arena and down the centre of the space so a backdrop is recommended. **WE ARE NO LONGER ABLE TO PROVIDE BACK BOARDS.** Electrical outlets are set up for the weekend. Please bring extension cords (50 ft +) if you require electricity.

We will provide tables and chairs if you wish.

The rest is up to you – the exhibitor.

You retain all proceeds from your booth sales.

**We will have a secret judge and a prize for the
best decorated Booth!**

To be announced Saturday night!!

4. ARTISTS AND POETS SUPPER

*****NEW***Friday, September 14, 2018 – 5:30
pm to 7 pm. A Come & Go, cold plate supper AT THE
ELKS HALL. The Art & Gear Show closes at 6 pm so all
participants are able to attend before the 7:30 pm performance
at the Armoury.**

5. HOSPITALITY

Complimentary refreshments provided by local sponsors – if possible, please support them. We will be serving all complimentary meals and beverages from the food booths. **Please bring a refillable water bottle – Reesor Springs will provide complimentary water. Our treated town water is also spring water on tap!**

6. LUNCH TICKETS

Will be provided to Artists and those with Partner Passes and will be redeemable at all Food Booths.

7. SATURDAY BEEF SUPPER & GALA PERFORMANCES – included in Pass

The supper is available to the Art Show Exhibitors and their partners at the Legion Hall from 4:30 – 7:00 p.m.

SEE REGISTRATION FORM

8. PERFORMANCES AT THE ARENA

We plan to have musical entertainment on Saturday in the Arena to add to the ambiance of the Art & Gear Show. If you are musical and would like to perform, accompany or jam with the performers – **please bring your instruments! We will try to schedule you.**

ADOPT AN ARTIST

Any Artist or Performer requiring accommodation can be adopted for the weekend by local residents, at no charge. Please fill out that portion of the Registration and your request will be forwarded to the “Adopt – An – Artist” coordinator – Claire Pollock. We will contact you prior to the show and put you in contact with your host family.

I hope to hear back from you soon. New artists and artisans are asked to submit photos of your work for consideration.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Here’s wishing you a successful show!

Jenny Robinson

Artist Co-ordinator

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**THE ART & GEAR BENEFIT AUCTION
for the
MAPLE CREEK MUSTERING**

*The Maple Creek Cowboy Poetry Gathering
and Western Art & Gear Show*

**A SILENT AUCTION
AT THE ARENA!**

Bidding will close at 6 P.M. Saturday Evening

Thank you for your continued support!

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