

Nome Midnight Sun
FOLK FEST 
June 23-24, 2001

Want to raise some funds for your group
and have a great time doing it?

Be a **FOOD VENDOR** at the Nome Midnight Sun Folk Fest!

Date: Saturday, June 23
Place: Anvil City Square
Time: 2 p.m. until evening

The Nome Midnight Sun Folk Fest Committee is planning a day of live bands, art and craft sales and demonstrations, food and *fun!* Local bands and a headliner band from Portland, Oregon, will play most of the day on a stage in front of Old St. Joe's (rain site is the Nome Rec Center). Food and craft vendors will ring the square. The center of the square will be reserved for people to sit and watch performers. There will be activities for kids.

We want all kinds of food—snacks, meals, desserts—and non-alcoholic drinks available so people won't even have to go home for supper!

Deadline: Make sure your group is part of this great event! Fill out the form on the other side of this flier and return it by Thursday, May 31 so we can make sure we have a good variety of food, along with space for all vendors!

Questions? Contact Gordon Gardyko at 443-5280 (you can leave a message) or send e-mail to gofish@nook.net.

Information for vendors—PLEASE READ!

1. Since much of the food preparation for this event will be in people's homes, vendors are not required to have a food permit. PLEASE READ THE ENCLOSED FOOD SAFETY INFORMATION!
2. Electricity *might* be available, but generators will make it very difficult for people to hear the music. Please let us know if you absolutely **MUST HAVE** electricity and we will see if we can meet your needs. Try to prepare food as if you were on a picnic or cookout. Or prepare food elsewhere and bring to the site as needed.
3. Several hand-washing stations will be set up among the food vendors.
4. The Nome Volunteer Fire Department will provide tables and chairs. We will arrange the ground plan and assign a space to each vendor. Vendors will be set up outdoors. You might consider bringing an awning for protection from the sun. In case of rain, the event will move to the Nome Rec Center.
5. We will use the ticket system that was used at the Taste of Nome event at the Rec Center in April. Under this system, customers go to one central location to buy tickets at \$1 each. Vendors price their goods in increments of \$1 (\$1, \$5, \$7, etc.), and customers pay the vendors with tickets. At the end of the event, vendors trade tickets for cash: \$1 per ticket. This system means vendors do not have to handle money or have change available. It is simple and sanitary. Make sure you hold onto your tickets so you can trade them for cash!

Nome Midnight Sun Folk Fest **Food Vendor Form**

DEADLINE: THURSDAY, MAY 31!

Mail to Gordon Gardyko, P.O. Box 718, Nome AK 99762, or fax to 443-4554.

Name of group or individual: _____

Contact person: _____

Day phone: _____ Evening phone: _____ email address: _____

Type of food and/or non-alcoholic drinks we would like to sell: _____

We *must* have electricity on site (circle one): Yes No (if yes, we will contact you about this)