



EAST TEXAS CUSTOM KNIFE SHOW

This event will be taking place in Ben Wheeler, Texas. This event is put on by The Blade Bar (Djinn Designs, LLC). The vendors will be set up throughout the Downtown parking lot in front of The Blade Bar in Ben Wheeler. There will be the option to forge at your booth - Just let us know that you plan to, so we can make sure you are set up in an area that is suitable for you to do so - No last minute changes to if you are forging at your booth, please. I am happy to accommodate if I am given notice on your application.

When you arrive please check in at The Blade Bar, we will get you all the info you need, let you know where to set up for the event, and get things going for you! We are generally setting up based on a 10ft x 10 ft space. If you are needing something different please note that below. We recommend a pop up tent in order to shield from the sun, but we do not require you to set up with one. You will want to bring your own table and chairs as these will not be provided.

This is a family friendly event and we do ask that you ensure that all items and materials at your booth reflect such. Rhiannon Sibley, Jonathan Sibley and The Blade Bar reserve the right to refuse admission to any vendor for any reason, or ask that an item be removed from the table if it does not fit within our standards. We do ask that knives being sold at this event be ones that you have personally made, we are not allowing the resale of blades that were not handmade, as we want to show off the talent of custom knife makers. Rhiannon Sibley, Johnathan Sibley and The Blade Bar cannot and will not assume responsibility of any kind in the event of any injury, accident, damage, or theft related to any person(s), their guest(s), or their wares.

By participating in this event as a vendor, during and outside of event hours and while on venue premises, you authorize and agree to allow, yourself, your booth & wares, and any guest(s) who may be participating in this event on your behalf, to be photographed, and/or videotaped, and for any such photographs or videos to be used and/or published in any media form for marketing, promotion, or display purposes, by Rhiannon Sibley, Jonathan Sibley and The Blade Bar or other local businesses, or any of their representatives, for this or any future events or other marketing. Additionally, you understand that you will not be compensated for said photographs or videos. Every effort has been made to make the show successful.

Please remember, we are working our hardest to create a fun family event in our community, and we appreciate your help in advertising the event, and getting the word out! It is our expectation of you as a vendor to share the flyers, event page, and information with your followers so that people know about our show, and can attend!

Saturday October 21st, 2023

9:00am - 5:00pm

Please arrive by 8:00am to get your booth space set up, and ready to go by 9am! We do expect all vendors to stay for the duration of the event, if you are unable to do so for any reason please let us know in advance so we are able to ensure that you are set up in a space that will allow for early departure without disturbing the flow of the event.

Please understand that any behavior that is deemed inappropriate, unsafe, or against the law will be terms for immediate removal from the event without return on your booth payment.

All Vendors agree to collect sales tax where applicable and to conduct all business activities in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws and accept responsibility for being informed about laws relevant to his or her products, services or practices.

Vendor/Sponsor Application

Business Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Website: _____

Facebook Business Page: _____

Instagram Business Page: _____

Please Provide a few Photographs of your previous booth set ups, items you will be selling, etc. with your application. There will be a vetting process upon receipt of your application, and you will be notified once your participation has been approved.

Please provide a list of the types of items your table will consist of: _____

Can we count on you to submit a knife or item for our auction benefiting Van Zandt County Toys for Tots? Please let us know what you are able to donate:

Auction will be held the week following the East Texas Custom Knife Show.

Booth Fee: \$65 - This fee is for a 10 x 10 space, if you are needing additional space please let me know.

If you are splitting the booth please add \$20 to the Fee (Making it \$85 total) and understand that there can not be more than 2 makers per booth - We will need both makers to submit photos and contact information on one application.

Please submit your booth fee in order to secure your spot, AFTER you have received approval for the event. You will be need to submit booth payment via Paypal to: Thebladebartx@gmail.com

Size of the space you will be needing: _____

Do you plan to forge during this event?: _____

Is there any specific request for your placement or needs at this event: _____

By signing this application, I hereby acknowledge that I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the East Texas Custom Knife Show Rules and Regulations herein incorporated as a part of this application. I hereby agree to comply with all regulatory codes and provisions as administered by State and Local Fire Marshals, Building Codes, State and Regional Public Health and Safety Standards, State and Local laws and regulations, and by any such additional guidelines imposed and/or implemented by the Event Coordinator, Rhiannon Sibley, Jonathan Sibley and/or Djinn Designs, LLC - DBA: The Blade Bar. Your signature below indicates your understanding that this is a legally binding contract.

Printed Name

Date

Signature

Please circle one:
Vendor Shared Booth Sponsor

Sponsorship Options:

Apprentice - \$150

- **Business promoted and Advertised on the East Texas Custom Knife Show Facebook Page every 2 weeks from payment date - End of 2023.**
- **10x10 Booth Space**
- **Shirt from The Blade Bar/East Texas Custom Knife Show**

Striker- \$250

- **Business promoted and Advertised on the East Texas Custom Knife Show Facebook Page every 2 weeks from payment date - End of 2023.**
- **10x20 Booth Space**
- **2 Shirts from The Blade Bar/East Texas Custom Knife Show**
- **Name listed on Wall of Sponsors At event**
- **Name announced during the Auction - the week after the knife show.**

Journeyman - \$500

- **Business promoted and Advertised on the East Texas Custom Knife Show Facebook Page every week from payment date - End of 2023.**
- **20x20 Booth Space**
- **4 Shirts from The Blade Bar/East Texas Custom Knife Show**
- **Name listed on Wall of Sponsors At event**
- **Name announced during the Auction - the week after the knife show.**
- **Plaque thanking you for your support and sponsorship**
- **Your Banner Hung at Event for advertising as Sponsor (You provide Banner)**

Master Smith - \$1,000

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- **Name listed on Wall of Sponsors At event**
- **Name announced during the Auction - the week after the knife show.**
- **Plaque thanking you for your support and sponsorship**
- **Banner on display at The Blade Bar through September 2024**
- **Advertising on The Blade Bar Website through September 2024**

Please submit your Sponsor Donation to Paypal Thebladebartx@gmail.com