

Vendor applications for 2010 Dandridge Farmers Market are now available

The Dandridge Farmers Market will open on Saturday, June 12. The market is taking applications and already has several reserved spaces. So don't miss out, get your application in soon.

Applications are available, as are the market rules, at www.MainStreetDandridge.com or by calling the Main Street Office at (865) 397-4798 ext. 17, or by emailing office@mainstreetdandridge.com. Farmers, gardeners and those with domestic kitchen certifications located in Jefferson, Grainger, Sevier, Cocke, Hamblen and Knox counties are welcome to submit an application.

Lots of fun activities are planned for this year's market, including an opening ceremony, chefs demonstrating how to prepare local produce, music, corn on

the cob eating contest, and more. This year, power is available at the market, but vendors must supply their own power cords.

Those who reserve in advance the Saturdays they would like to be at the market receive a discount, while those that wait until just before the market face increased fees. The market is open to the public from 8 a.m. until noon every Saturday. It will run as late in the fall as weather permits. Come to a meeting at the UT-Jefferson County Extension Office on Monday, May 3 at 4 p.m. to turn in applications, ask questions and meet the other farmers/gardeners and other market members. Applications can also be mailed to the Dandridge Community Trust, P.O. Box 1323, Dandridge, TN 37725.