Market regulations

of the Ancient Trance Festivals

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Please read the market rules carefully before applying, so you and we miss out on unpleasant surprises.

New: In 2025, we will introduce a (probbly closed-loop) cashless payment at the Ancient Trance Festival. Participation in the procedure is mandatory for all catering offers. All other market stalls can optionally participate.

All prices are subject to VAT 19%

Attention: The instructions of the market team must be followed at all times.

1. Notification form

Filling out the registration form is mandatory to participate in the application process for the Ancient Trance Festival market.

Filling in the form alone does not guarantee a pitch.

Only after a written confirmation by the organizer and the transfer of the market fees on your part, the registration becomes legally binding.

2. Our prices

All prices are subject to VAT.

Performance tariff:

For demonstrating artisans who produce their own goods and demonstrate this at the market.

Advance payment: €45,- plus VAT

Inclusion: 1

Optional participation in the cashless payment process

Tarif Arts and Crafts:

For all artisans who produce their goods 100% themselves.

7% of net sales, at least €45,-

Prepayment: €65,- plus VAT

Inclusion: 1

Additional tickets available for purchase: 1

The festival management is entitled – even retrospectively – to switch applicants in this tariff to the "Vendor" tariff without giving reasons.

Optional participation in the cashless payment process

Tarif Vendor/Non-Food:

12% of net sales, at least €130,-

Advance payment: €155,- plus VAT

Inclusion: 2

Additional tickets available for purchase: 2

Optional participation in the cashless payment process

Gastronomy price:

15% of net sales, at least €170,-

Prepayment: €230,- plus VAT

Inclusion: 3

Additional tickets available for purchase: 6

Cashless POS included: 1

Mandatory participation in the cashless payment process

The final revenue share will be collected in cash on site after deduction of the advance payment already transferred, optionally invoiced for bank transfer.

Tickets for employees:

Additional tickets cost €100 each plus VAT and can be ordered via an individual link.

Extra charges:

Performance, handicrafts and trade tariffs

The flat rate for ancillary costs is € 25 with a maximum output of 3.5kW.

We provide one (1) SchuKo connection.

Gastronomy price

SchuKo: € 50 per port (max. 3.5kW)

High voltage 16A CEE: € 120,- per port (max. 10.5kW)

High voltage 32A CEE: € 220 per port (max. 21kW)

Water connection: € 25,-

Waste water connection (not possible everywhere): € 25

Cancellation fees:

The advance payment made will not be refunded under any circumstances.

Seat assignment and stand space

Seats will be allocated upon arrival upon presentation of the registration confirmation.

The stand is non-negotiable.

We rely on your exact dimensions.

Driving on the market area

Driving on the festival grounds is only possible for set-up and dismantling and for deliveries of goods. These can take place on the days from Thursday, 29.7.25 to Sunday, 3.8.25 from 6-9 a.m.

From 9 a.m. onwards, no more cars are allowed on the site.

The cars can NOT stop in all places during the set-up. Please unload quickly – drive away – set up.

All cars/trucks can be parked in a separate parking lot. Car or bus at the stand is not possible, trailers only by arrangement. Please keep this in mind when setting up your stand.

Set-up and dismantling

Set-up is possible from Tuesday, 29.7.2025 from 12 noon to Thursday, 31.7.2025 at 12 noon. (From Thursday 9 a.m., every car must have left the square.)

Dismantling from Sunday after the end of the concerts and closing ceremony, from 24.00 at the earliest.

Exceptions for set-up or dismantling are **only** possible after prior consultation and written confirmation by 31.7.2023.

Market hours

Market hours are from Thursday, 31.7.2025 from 12 noon to Sunday, 3.8.2025 at 10 pm. At night between 01:00 and 08:00 the market is closed.

Electricity and water connection

The supply must be registered in advance.

Current

We only allow cables, consumers and distributors that are *at least* splash-proof (IP44).*

Water:

All drinking water pipes must be DVGW-approved*. We provide 3/4" connectors. Expect at least 20m of line that you need to get to the next distributor.

*Our electricians and installers are entitled to take the supply of dealers out of service if their systems do not comply with applicable safety standards or their maximum permissible consumption power, in particular – but not exclusively – if there are repeated failures in the overall supply due to systems.

For order, safety and cleanliness

... each stall operator is responsible for his or her own area. Gastronomy providers please bring their own trash cans for their stand.

Use of certified compostable tableware

Gastronomy providers **only** use reusable or compostable crockery and cutlery. We reserve the right to check this.

Crockery brought by guests

Gastronomy providers are required to serve food and drinks in dishes brought by guests, provided that they are served in an appropriate size and cleanliness. The catering providers are preparing for this offer in their workflow.

Reusable / rinsing bonus

We suggest that food and drinks served in guest tableware are discounted (if you don't already use reusable tableware yourself).

Glassware

We want to dance barefoot until the end. Therefore, no glass dishes may be put into circulation.

Recycling

This point is important to us, i.e. You either bring appropriate options (several trash cans) to separate or you take your non-separated garbage home with you. In addition, there will be several ways to separate your waste directly on the premises.

We don't want to have any more classic disposable products at the festival.

The contractually agreed range of goods is binding

For a balanced range of goods and fair cooperation with the other stall operators, it is necessary that you stick to the agreements made with us regarding the goods you offer.

In particular, classes of goods that you have not expressly mentioned in your registration and still offer require confirmation by us in any case*.

In the event of a violation of this requirement, we are entitled to exclude the goods from further sale on our market. In case of doubt, the sovereignty of interpretation is incumbent on our market team.

Public Liability

The stand operator bears the full liability risk for his stand and is responsible for appropriate insurance as well as all food hygiene and legal regulations. A business registration and commercial liability insurance is mandatory in any case and must be made available to us before the event.

The stall operator ensures that his goods and valuables are adequately secured around the clock. There are also people on the festival grounds at night.

We will send out invitations and rejections after the end of the registration period until April 15, 2025 - please refrain from asking in advance.

We are looking forward to colourful, imaginative stand concepts!

Show us why you should be there :-)