Fort Roberdeau Market-Faire Event Information
Please read all policies and camp rules contained in this flyer

♦ All participants are welcome and encouraged to arrive on site and setup October 10th, 2013. On site registration hours are:
  ▪ Thursday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.
  ▪ Friday between the hours of 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. or 5 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

♦ Gates will be locked one-half hour after registration closes. Vehicles are not allowed in camp after 8:00 p.m.

♦ Campers are encouraged to stay for the entire event. However, those who must leave on Saturday may do so between the hours of 6:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.

♦ Each individual must register in person during registration hours. Please do not ask to register at any time other than during registration hours.

♦ Participants are welcome to stay on site until Sunday October 12th, 2013.

♦ Public hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday through Saturday. Sutlers must be open for business during public hours.

♦ Campers may put out a trade blanket with items totaling $750.00 or less. Trade blankets may not be set up in the sutler area. A separate area will be established for blanket trading or it may be done in your camp. Your cooperation is appreciated with setting up in designated areas.

♦ All participants must be in proper attire and use shelters and equipment appropriate to eastern North America between 1730 and 1790. Unacceptable attire includes fringed buckskin shirts and pants, 19th century waistcoats or vests, uncovered modern shoes (unless medically required), top hats, glengarries, straw “boaters” or 19th century flat crowned straw hats.

♦ Acceptable shelters include simple lean-tos, diamond flys, and marquee, wedge, or wall tents. Whelan's, Bakers, Tipis, and single-pole pyramid or Hunter's tents are not acceptable.

♦ Water and wood and straw will be provided. Ice will be available for purchase at Fort Roberdeau's Oak Hall.

♦ The range will be available for live firing to registered participants only. A separate registration form will be available from the NMLRA and a separate nominal fee will apply. Open hours will be posted. Only black powder firearms appropriate to the time period of the Market Fair may be used (no percussion firearms).

♦ No modern firearms of any type will be allowed at the Fair.

♦ With the exception of service dogs, participants may not bring pets to the Market Fair.
Principal Trade Rules

♦ Decisions of the jury are final. If questions arise concerning the suitability of an item the burden of proof is on the sutler.

♦ All items to be displayed, sold or traded in any way are to be original or reproductions of articles used in eastern North America during the period 1730 to 1790.

♦ No deliveries will be accepted at the Visitors Center. Please plan accordingly.

♦ No modern packaging should be visible in your display.

♦ Do not use self-adhesive price tags or stickers.

♦ Our Trade Committee will continually inspect your appearance in camp, accouterments, etc.

♦ The sale, trade, or barter of alcohol and/or black powder is prohibited.

♦ Sales of the following items will not be allowed:

  - Anything that is blaze, hunter or fluorescent orange
  - Items that have visible plastic parts (such as plastic parasol handles)
  - Non-period jewelry (such as turquoise set in silver; dragons, wizards, etc.)
  - Slat back chairs
  - Stickers, miniature flags, post 1790 military badges, Souvenir items
  - Speckleware
  - Bamboo flutes
  - Percussion Weapons
  - Medieval and/or 19th century Celtic items
  - Prehistoric stone tools or projectile points
  - Illegal animal parts/products
  - Non-packaged/unwrapped food items may only be dispensed by the sutler

♦ Modern gun tools and molds may be sold, but must not be on open display.

♦ CD’s, tapes, and Clothing Patterns in modern wrappers must be kept out of plain view.

♦ Banjos, modern guitars, and mountain dulcimers may not be sold. Post-1790 instruments should be kept out of sight during public hours.