

Fee Waiver/Board Sponsorship Request Form, Additional Information:

Submitted by: Glen Ellen Village Fair Assn.

#5: Description of event: Glen Ellen has, for over 30 years, organized an annual Village Fair to celebrate our town, our people and our community. We bring together craft, food and non-profit vendors, provide entertainment and generally celebrate all that is wonderful in Glen Ellen and Sonoma Valley. There are typically 1,000 Fair-goers who come out on this special day to celebrate Glen Ellen.

#10: Inability to pay fees: The fair generates funds from vendor fees (which are kept lower than most other events), raffle ticket sales, and recently, a silent auction. These funds received do NOT cover the expenses of event insurance (\$1,744), CHP road closure coverage (~\$2,300), PortaPotties (\$2,104), Recycle/garbage bins (\$575.65), advertising (\$400), not to mention general operating expenses. We also have applied for grants when they have become available. But increased expenses are always a struggle to meet.

#11: Entry fee: No entry fee is charged to join in the festivities of the Glen Ellen Village Fair, Everyone is welcome to join in the celebration of our community!