
Richmond Holiday Market 2026

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Dear Selectboard

We would like to request space at the Town Center for the 2026 Holiday Market (craft fair). Our plan would be to donate the proceeds from table fees to the Food Shelf (\$1100 raised last year). We would also hold a Silent Auction that would benefit Toys for Kids (\$850 raised last year). We would like to know if the 2nd floor entryway and 3rd floor entryway and conference rooms are available free-of-charge for December 5, 2026 (set up on December 4th). We already have permission from the Richmond Congregational Church for use of their space.

The Richmond Holiday Market helped out so many others last year. The Richmond Congregational Church benefitted from selling a delicious soup and sandwich lunch. MMCTV gave tours of their offices and piped music throughout the building. The Richmond Free Library Book Sale saw a larger crowd than usual. Local businesses reported a boost in sales that day. It's absolutely remarkable how bringing back the craft fair generated so much interest and participation by the public.

Most of our vendors plan to return this year. Other vendors have already inquired about available space.

I've attached the Terms and Conditions and the Application in case they help to answer any questions you may have.

Thank you so much for your consideration,

Sue Pochop and Kristin Fulmer