

CHRISTMAS IN LIMERICK FAYRE 2026

TRADER RATE CARD & SPECIFICATION SHEET

New for 2026: rates are now set by what you sell, with craft makers from **€2,800 for the full season** or **€450 per week** in a shared Makers' Chalet.

1. Wooden Chalet / Hut Rates

All chalets are **3m x 2.5m**, with a lockable hatch, festive garland trim, internal lighting and sub-flooring. Rates are set by what you sell and cover the full festival, 21 November to 23 December, unless stated.

Trader Type	What They Sell	Pitch Fee	VAT @ 23%	Total
Hot Food	Full meals and heavy cooking: burgers, hot dogs, fryers, griddles, multi-ovens	€4,000.00	€920.00	€4,920.00
Snack & Beverage	Crepes, waffles, churros, sweets, coffee, hot chocolate, mulled drinks	€3,200.00	€736.00	€3,936.00
Craft – Full Season	Handmade or self-designed products (see section 3)	€2,800.00	€644.00	€3,444.00
Craft – Early Season 21 Nov – 6 Dec	As above	€1,500.00	€345.00	€1,845.00
Craft – Peak Season 7 Dec – 23 Dec	As above	€1,700.00	€391.00	€2,091.00
Makers' Chalet – Shared Per week (1–2 weeks)	Two small makers share one chalet	€450.00	€103.50	€553.50

Craft and Makers' Chalet bookings include 13A power free. Chalets are allocated on a first come, first served basis. Limited stock available.

The following is included with the rental cost:

- Use of the chalet for your booked period
- 24/7 security
- Basic decorations on the outer frame of the chalet
- Marketing of your business within the wider festival marketing, with craft traders featured in a dedicated "Made in Limerick" makers' trail
- Waste management

2. Electrical & Power Connection Rates

Fixed rates for the full booking period. Craft and Makers' Chalet traders receive the 13A supply free.

Power Connection Type	Max Capacity / Usage Guidelines	Fixed Rate (Excl. VAT)
13A Single Phase Supply	Standard retail lighting, till systems, small decorative displays	€180.00 Included for craft traders
16A Three Phase Supply	Light catering equipment, soup kettles, coffee machines	€400.00
32A Single Phase Supply	Mid-capacity catering equipment	€350.00
32A Three Phase Supply	Heavy-duty cooking equipment, fryers, griddles, multi-ovens	€600.00
63A Three Phase Supply	Heavy-duty equipment	€1,000.00

3. Craft & Artisan Eligibility

The craft rates are for makers selling work they make or design themselves. To qualify:

- At least 80% of stock must be handmade, hand-finished or designed by the trader
- No resale of imported, mass-produced or wholesale goods
- No hot food or drink sales (packaged artisan food such as preserves, chocolate or baked goods is welcome)
- Applications must include photos of products and, where possible, a website or social media link
- Priority is given to Limerick and Mid-West makers

The organisers may inspect stock on site. Traders found selling outside these terms will be moved to the Standard rate, with the difference payable immediately.

4. Terms & Conditions

- **Payment Terms:** Full payment must be made before occupying the chalet and key handover. VAT at 23% applies to all rates.
- **Insurance Requirements:** All traders must hold public liability insurance and valid employer liability insurance where applicable, valid for their full booking period.
- **Electrical Compliance:** All electrical appliances brought on site must be PAT tested within 12 months before the event. High-wattage equipment not declared on registration is prohibited.
- **Trading Hours:** Traders must remain open and fully operational during the specified event opening hours. Early pack-downs are strictly forbidden.
- **Makers' Chalet:** Weekly bookings change over on Sunday evenings after close. Shared-pitch traders must keep to their half of the frontage and agree display layout with their chalet partner.
- **Waste Management & Hygiene:** Traders are responsible for keeping their chalet and the immediate surrounding area clean. All commercial waste and grease must be disposed of in designated site facilities.
- **Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations made before 16 November 2026 forfeit 50% of the total rental value. Cancellations after this date are non-refundable.

For trading enquiries or custom pitch requirements, please contact the Big Boss Events / Christmas in Limerick Team at info@bigbossevents.ie or 085 146 5523.