



# CENTRAL NC PAGAN PRIDE DAYS FESTIVAL 2010

## Booth Packet

Edition 1.3

September 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> at the NC State Fairgrounds

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*Come back and visit us **next year** on September 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>, 2011 at*

**Central NC Pagan Pride Day Festival 2011**

Think you might want to be part of next year's event? Our first planning meeting will be on October 3rd, 2010 at 2pm at Gaia's Gardens. Call **1-800-979-4423** to get details.

## Agreement and Policies

For your convenience, here is the agreement you accepted when you registered for your booth.

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As a booth registrant for CNCPPD 2010 you agree to the following:

1. You understand that the CNCPPD event is a rain or shine event and understand that as long as the event is officially open your booth is expected to be open. Please have your booth fully set-up and prepared no later than 10:55 am and breakdown no earlier than 6:30 pm. Please note that you can leave part or all of your booth setup over Saturday night, though we recommend lowering canopies and adding extra tie-downs as it can be very windy.
2. You understand that you are responsible for arranging staffing for your booth and understand that CNCPPD staff is not responsible for providing coverage at any point during the event.
3. You understand this is an outdoor event in a leased location, so changes to your chosen location may be required for unforeseen reasons.
4. You understand that CNCPPD is a family friendly event, so adult items must be well inside your booth, and the presence of adult items should be noted at all your booth entrances.
5. You understand our festival is not licensed or insured for alcohol consumption or open alcohol containers on the festival grounds. If CNCPPD staff sees you with any alcoholic beverage, you will be immediately escorted off the property and will not be allowed to come back as a vendor in the future.
6. You understand that no money can be solicited at a free Information booth, which includes sales, donations, love gifts, pledges and any other form of accepting money or the promise of money. If you plan to take money, pay for a Vendor booth.
7. You understand that no food or beverages of any kind, not even free samples, can be sold or given away to the public at any booth without written permission. This restriction is due to very complex rules and fees for concessions at the fairgrounds.
8. You accept full responsibility for your actions. As an example, we assume you know coffee is hot and will not hold us responsible if you spill it on yourself. So, be careful, be thoughtful, and be excellent to each other.

So, those are the basic rules, but we can be flexible. As an example, if you need lots of time to break down, and are afraid you will run out of light if you don't start by 6:30pm, then speak with the festival staff BEFORE you setup. We can make sure your booth is away from the ritual circle so your breakdown won't distract from the closing ritual.

Additional policy and scheduling issues:

1. Gate 6 (not the attendee entrance) opens at 9am for vendors to setup. If you need more time, let us know ahead of time. We can let you in as early as 8am if it is necessary, but please arrange this ahead of time.
2. Booths on paved and gravel areas will have access by car during setup. Booths on grass areas will have a 200' or less walk from car access.
3. Information booths will be provided with a table and 2 chairs. Please note, if you wish to have a tent or a popup shade cover, you will need to bring this with you. CNCPPD will not provide these for you. You will need to pick up tables and chairs in the morning at the main building and return them to the main building after the event. Failure to return the tables and chairs at the close of the event will result in banning from future CNCPPD events. Any other decorations that you wish to have at your booth is allowed, however, please note that we provide only a 10'x10' space for each booth. CNCPPD reserves the right to request you to move any items that may be deemed in the way or a hazard.
4. Vendor booths will NOT be provided with table and chairs and or any shade cover. If there are available tables and chairs after the Information Booths have been setup, they may be available for daily rental at \$10/chair and \$20/table, with the same pickup and drop off rules as described above in item 3. Please don't count on there being any, though. If you are a Vendor, we recommend you bring all that you need to setup your booth.
5. Unless you ALREADY made special arrangements, there will be no power, water or trash facilities at the booth spaces.
6. Please be considerate when it comes to music, incense, or other things that will be shared with your neighbor booths.
7. If you have special requirements due to a disability, please call me at 919-412-3589 before the event.
8. As always, the Central NC Pagan Pride Days Festival reserves the right to refuse or close a booth, without promise of refund, should we feel it detracts from the goals of the festival in any way.

## **Booth FAQ for Central NC Pagan Pride Festival 2010**

### **What time can I setup?**

- Gate 6 opens at 9am for people coming in to setup booths and the like.

### **When can I break down?**

- Breakdown officially begins at 6:30pm on both Saturday the 19<sup>th</sup> and Sunday the 20<sup>th</sup>, after the closing ceremony. We ask that all vendors wait until then to avoid distracting from the last hour of the event.

### **Where will I be?**

- This packet includes the list of booths, the zones they are in and the map of zones at the site. Exact placement within each zone is laid out the night before the event. When you arrive at 9am a blue shirt coordinator will take you to your spot.

### **I have a raffle/auction donation. What do I do with it?**

- Please print a description page about your item to be displayed with your item and/or read by the auctioneer. Descriptions should be short, but compelling. A typical pattern would be one sentence each for:
  - Your company/store/craft name and what makes you special.
  - A factual description of the item, including its normal retail price.
  - How the item can be used, magickal traits, special properties, etc.
- We will come around to your booth after the opening ceremony to pick up your donated raffle/auction item, so you don't have to worry about it while you are trying to get setup.

### **I haven't decided whether to donate a raffle/auction item. How much are others giving?**

- Remember, the raffle items are displayed all day, and the auction items will be presented at 2:00 pm on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> & Sunday the 19<sup>th</sup>. This is a great way to donate to PPD and get exposure for your product at the same time.
- So far, raffle/auction donation retail values have ranged from \$10 to \$100 each, with most giving one or two items.

### **How can I help promote the event?**

- On the web site we provide some items to help with this. Go to <http://cncppd.org/> then choose the "Promote" side menu item. There you will find both printable media and images to use in links from your own web site.
- Talk to your customers or members about the event during these last few weeks to let them know you will be there and to invite them.
- Post about the upcoming festival and your presence there in newsgroups, mailing lists, blogs and online forums. An official email will be forth coming.
- A flier will be coming that is the official CNCPPD flier. Feel free to print it and post it or share with local groups that you work with.

### **I hate my location, how can I get a better one?**

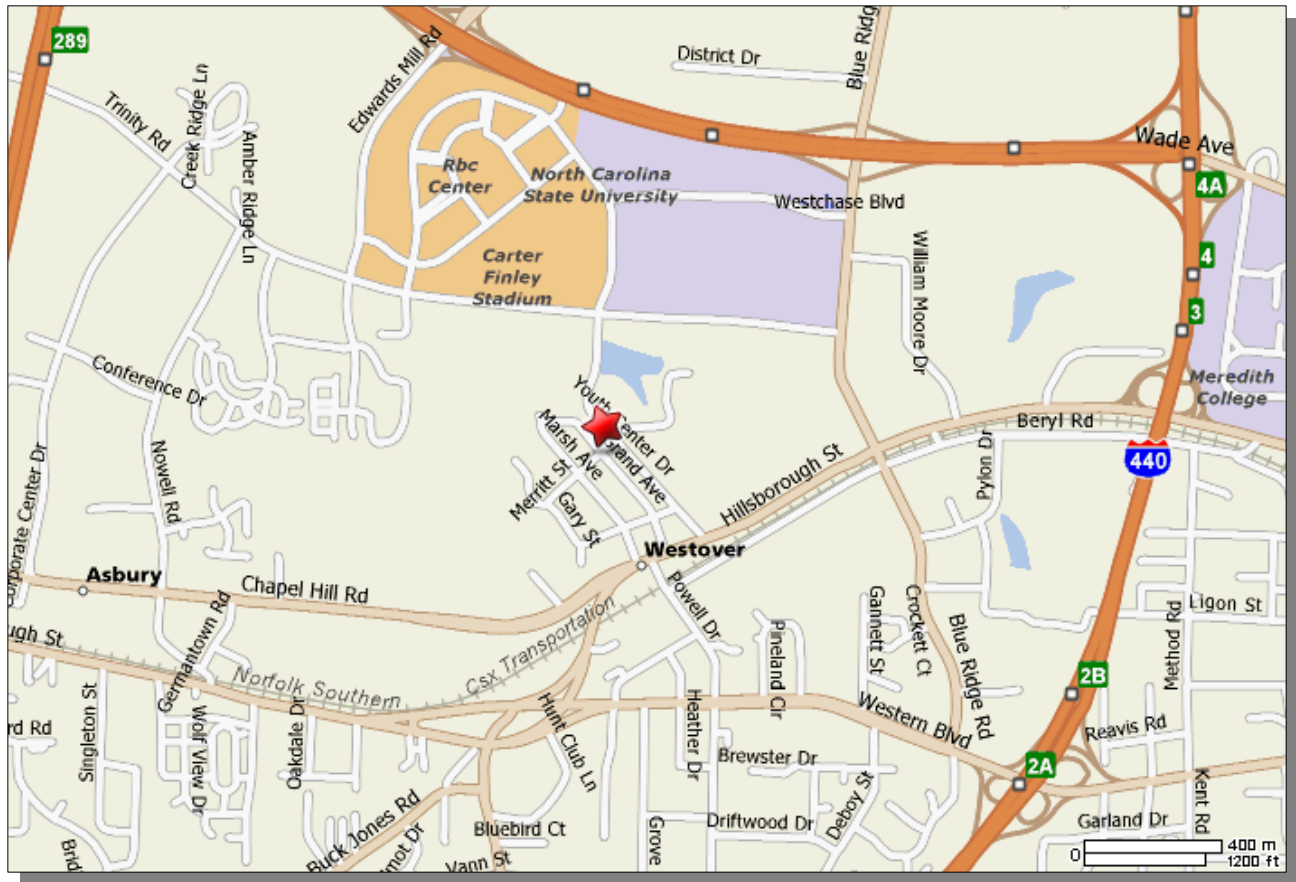
- All locations are assigned on a first come first serve basis. We cannot change your location for the event this year.
- Opt to preregister and you can be one of the first people to choose your location for 2011. This means if you do not like location this year, you can choose a better location that might better suite your needs for next year. See the enclosed form for preregistration and give to Michelle or Andrea throughout the festival.

### **Who is responsible for Tax ID's or Associated Taxes?**

- CNCPPD does not take any responsibility for taxes and fees due to local or state governments. As a vendor it is your responsibility to keep all necessary tax id and sale records.

## Map and Directions

The N.C. State Fairgrounds is easily accessible from the I-440 Beltline, Interstate 40, as well as from Blue Ridge Road, N.C. Highway 54 (Hillsborough Street) and now Edwards Mill Road (see directions below).



### From Greensboro, Durham, Chapel Hill

I-40 East into Raleigh  
Exit Wade Avenue, Exit #289  
First Exit Edwards Mill Road\*

### From Fayetteville, Lumberton, South Carolina

I-95 North to I-40 West  
Exit Wade Avenue, Exit #289  
First Exit Edwards Mill Road\*

### From Goldsboro, Kinston

US 70 West to I-40 West  
Exit I-440 Inner Beltline to Exit #289 Wade Avenue  
First Exit Edwards Mill Road\*

### From Rocky Mount

US 64 West to Raleigh  
Exit I-440 Outer Beltline  
Exit Wade Avenue, Exit #4-B  
Second Exit Edwards Mill Road\*

### From Wilmington, Jacksonville

I-40 West to Raleigh  
Exit Wade Avenue, Exit #289  
First Exit Edwards Mill Road\*

### From Wilson, Greenville

US 264 West to 64 West to Raleigh  
I-440 Outer Beltline  
Exit Wade Avenue, Exit #4-B  
Second Exit Edwards Mill Road\*

### From Charlotte, Kannapolis, Salisbury

I-85 North to I-40 East to Raleigh  
Exit Wade Avenue, Exit #289  
First Exit Edwards Mill Road\*

### From Richmond, Petersburg, Virginia Area

I-95 South to I-85 South to US 1 South to Raleigh  
I-440 Outer Beltline  
Exit Wade Avenue, Exit #4-B  
Second Exit Edwards Mill Road\*

**\*From Edwards Mill Road**, you will pass the Arena/Stadium Complex on the left. Proceed to the intersection of Edwards Mill and Trinity Road. Take a left at the stoplight onto Trinity Road. then turn at the James B. Hunt, Jr. Horse Complex onto Youth Center Drive and proceed to Gate 6.

## Schedule - Saturday September 18th

9:00am-10:45am	Gate 6 opens to Vendors and Local Groups with Booths	
11:00am	Gate 5 opens to the general public.	
11:15am-11:45am	Opening Ceremony – <i>(Circle)</i>	
12:00pm – 1:00pm	Valerie the Berserker <i>(Stage)</i>	
12:00 pm-12:45pm	Workshop Group 1	Workshops to be Finalized
1:00pm-2:00pm	Annwyn <i>(Stage)</i>	
1:00pm-1:45pm	Workshop Group 2	Workshops to be Finalized
2:00pm-2:30pm	Auction <i>(Circle)</i>	
3:00pm-5:00pm	Ghosts of Erin <i>(Stage)</i>	
2:45pm-3:30pm	Workshop Group 3	Workshops to be Finalized
3:45pm-5:15pm	Workshop Group 4	Workshops to be Finalized
5:00pm-5:30pm	Drum Circle & Children’s Parade <i>(Circle)</i>	
5:30pm-6:00pm	Raffle/Announcement <i>(Stage)</i>	
6:00pm-6:30pm	Evening Ritual – <i>(Circle)</i>	
6:30pm – 8:30pm	Gate 6 reopens and we all pack up and overnight activities begins for those who have preregistered	

Throughout the day **On The Green:**  
European Medieval Arts of Arms

**Children's Activities** are on the green at the bottom of the hill from 12:00PM – 5:00PM. Please note that Childrens’ Activities this year include a requirement for both detailed contact information and volunteer time, details to be determined by the Childrens' Activities Coordinator and agreed upon by parents prior to leaving children in the Childrens' Activities area.

*Note: Though our Childrens' Activities program can give adults a chance to attend a workshop or other adult activity without their children in tow, it is **not** child care. The primary purpose of this program is to do exactly what its name implies, provide activities specifically oriented towards children, enriching their experience at the Central NC Pagan Pride Days Festival.*

## Schedule - Sunday September 19th

9:00am-10:45am	Gate 6 opens to Vendors and Local Groups with Booths	
11:00am	Gate 5 opens to the general public.	
11:15pm-11:45pm	Morning Ritual – <i>(Circle)</i>	
12:00pm-1:00pm	Mermaid Morrigan <i>(Stage)</i>	
12:45pm-1:30pm	Workshop Group 1	Workshops to be Finalized
1:00pm-2:00pm	Cherie Lassiter <i>(Stage)</i>	
1:00pm-1:45pm	Workshop Group 2	Workshops to be Finalized
2:00pm-2:30pm	Auction <i>(Stage)</i>	
3:00pm-5:00pm	Thunder & Spice <i>(Stage)</i>	
2:45pm-3:30	Workshop Group 3	Workshops to be Finalized
3:45pm-5:15	Workshop Group 4	Workshops to be Finalized
5:00pm-5:30pm	Drum Circle & Children’s Parade <i>(Circle)</i>	
5:30pm-6:00pm	Raffle/Announcement <i>(Stage)</i>	
6:00pm-6:30pm	Closing Ceremony <i>(Circle)</i>	
6:45pm – 8:30pm	Gate 6 reopens and we all pack up and go home!	

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## Lodging

### **Red Roof Inn**

We have confirmed rates at a local hotel, the Red Roof Inn at 1800 Walnut Street, Cary, NC (they call it Raleigh SouthWest). For **\$54.99/night** plus tax you get a room with 2 double beds for up to **4 adult guests**. When you call to register, make sure to ask about discounts. They offer \$5 to \$10 off for a variety of things like AAA, veterans, over 50, and maybe memberships like Costco and Sam's Club, but won't mention it unless you ask. This rate is good for the nights of September 17th, 18th and 19th, your choice whether you stay all three nights, or just one or two of them. If you are interested, **DO NOT** call the hotel directly, instead calling the toll free reservations number, **800-733-7663**.



Red Roof Inn  
1800 Walnut Street , Cary, NC 27604  
Phone: (800) 733-7663

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## **Camping at the Fairgrounds**

- The Fairgrounds also offer recreational vehicle hook-up access for visits of 14 days or less or a spot for tents onsite.
- Water, sewer and electrical access is available on more than 350 sites (electricity access ranges from 30 - 50 amps).
- Check in with Fairgrounds Public Safety at 919-612-6767.
- Rental cost for a 24 hour period is \$25.00 per unit or per tent (up to 4 people).
- If you intend to stay inside the grounds of CNCPPD you are required to pay the fee noted below for overnight. This cost includes use of the showers, bathrooms, and covers the cost of food.

### • **At a glance**

<b>Amenities available</b>	Water, sewer and electrical access
<b>Rental rate</b>	\$25 per night per unit
<b>Contact</b>	Fairgrounds Public Safety (919) 612-6767 or (919) 821-7400

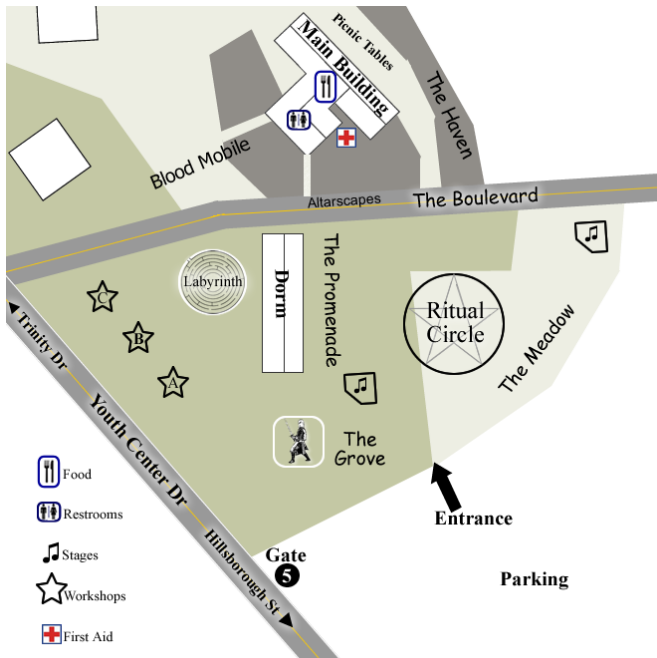
## **Overnight in the Dorms**

We have a limited number of beds available in the dorms inside the event area. For \$20 per person, we are offering a bed in the dorm on-site, a Saturday evening grill-out, use of showers on-site, and a continental breakfast on Sunday morning. You must register by September 3rd to reserve your bunk. (<http://sites.google.com/a/cncppd.org/2010/participate/booth-registration>)



# Booth Map

Map from program



## Boulevard

**Awen's Lightgrove**  
 Buffalo Nation Traders  
 Carolina Spirit Quest  
 Elemental Sisters - CNC Pagans  
 Life Eclectic  
 Making Magick  
 Natures Window  
 Old World Crafts of New Bern  
 Shasta's Treasures  
 Teacat Designs  
 Thorr's Hammer Site  
*Triangle Witches & Pagans MeetUp Group*

## Grove

*)( Maiden Mother Crone )(*  
 Camelot Treasures  
 Edenistic Tendencies  
 Enchanted Woods  
*Eternal Harvest Church & Tradition of Wicca*  
 European Medieval Arts of Arms  
 Hallowed Woods  
*Loxley Abbey Church*  
 Loxley Abbey Crafts  
 Metaphysical Merchantile  
 Raven's Willow  
 The Soul Asylum  
**Truely Unique**  
 WendyMehndi  
 Wilson Pagans

## Haven

Compass Rose  
 Everything Fairy Children's Fantasy Dance Apparel  
*Idhavelli Hof*  
 Insights for Fun and Cogitation  
 Obsidians Caldera  
 Starrlight Mead  
*The Dragon's Cauldron*  
 The Troth  
 toberaw.com  
 TuTu Adorable Fairy Boutique

## Meadow

2AM Altars  
 Astrology Services and Intuitive Tarot  
 Azurae Windwalker Shamanic Art & Soul Petroglyph Portraits  
 Bell Book & Candle  
 Earth Traditions  
*Eastern NC Pagans Association & The Pagan Students of ECU*  
 Forever Scorched  
*Fruitcakes*  
 Rev. Su Windsong  
 Zenation

## Promenade

Chiron's Garden  
**Church of the Earth**  
*Central NC Pagan Pride Day*  
 Susie & The Turquoise Temple  
 Taylor's Jewelry  
 The Sojourner  
 White Hart's Haunt & Nox Fox

Please note: *Italics=Information Booth* **Bold=Sponsor**

## **Greek Fiesta – Saturday Food Vendor**

This year's menu will include "Build-your-own" Pita sandwiches.

## **Roly Poly – Sunday Food Vendor**

This year we will feature a new food vendor on Sunday who will offer fresh made deli wraps.

A full menu will be forthcoming before the event.

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## **Next Year's Event/Preregistration**

We are finalizing details for our 2011 event, but we are looking forward to continuing the two days for the event and making it even better than this year.

### **2011 FAQ**

*Q: Where is the double booth option on the 2011 registration?*

A: In an effort to continue to improve our event, CNCPPD is selling all booth spaces at the 10x10 rate. We are hoping that this will increase our variety of vendors and allow us to offer locations to new vendors. Vendors are allowed to purchase up to (2) 10x10 spaces. As always, CNCPPD tries to honor everyone's request for specific locations and neighbors, but space is limited, and is available on a first come, first serve basis. These accommodations are more likely to be granted if you preregister.

*Q: Will Overnight Accommodations be provided again for 2011? How Much?*

A: Right now we are still planning on renting the dorm again for next year's event. Overnight activities will include a bed in the dorm and food both Saturday night and Sunday morning and should stay at the same \$20 rate as this year. If you want to camp onsite, the fairgrounds will also require a fee of \$25 per tent (up to 4 people) that will be collected Saturday night by a fairgrounds employee. Please note: No pillows, linens or personal toiletries are furnished if you stay in the dorm. There will be showers available for everyone who stays overnight. Showers are located in the dorm building.

*Q: Who Do I pay?*

A: You will have to pay the \$20 fee to CNCPPD for overnight accommodations and if you intend to camp next to your booth a \$25 fee per tent will be paid Saturday night to a fairgrounds employee.

*Q: Hours of Event?*

A: The hours set for the 2011 event are subject to change, but right now we plan to keep the same hours we have this year.

*Q: Why Should I Pay You Now?*

A: The bonus of preregistration means that YOU get control of where you want to be next year. You can either guarantee the location you are in now, or you can choose another location in another area. As long as they don't pay, you can have it! Preregistration has helped many vendors secure a "prime" location in the past, and we are pleased to bring it back this year. Booths sell out earlier and earlier every year as our event gets more popular. As of the time we released booth sales to new vendors, we had already sold 50% of our booths.

## Vendor Booth Registration – CNCPPD 2011

This form is ONLY to be used for preregistration and can ONLY be turned in during the 2010 event. There will be staff members coming around throughout both days to answer questions and collect these forms.

First/Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Listing Name (for listing on the website/program): \_\_\_\_\_

Listing Description 30-60 words (for listings on the website and program): \_\_\_\_\_

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Desired Location: Area: \_\_\_\_\_

Specific Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Booth: Single - 10 x 10 (\$85) \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsorship: Please remember that Sponsorships DO NOT include a booth.

Group (\$75) \_\_\_\_\_

Commercial (\$150) \_\_\_\_\_

Partner (\$250) \_\_\_\_\_

Overnight Accommodations:

Bed in Dorm (\$20 per person):

Number of people: \_\_\_\_\_ Total fee: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Fees: Booth(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsorship: \_\_\_\_\_

Accommodations: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL: \_\_\_\_\_

Receipt Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## Thank You to our Generous Sponsors!

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*Festival 2010 Commercial Partner –*

*This year we currently do NOT have a Commercial Partner. If you are interested, please contact us ASAP.*

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*Festival 2010 Sponsors*



**Truly Unique** is proud to sponsor the Central NC Pagan Pride Days Festival this year! Let the Truly Unique Booth be your All-Spiritual Stop, with herbs, teas, books, soaps, lotions, potions, gifts, stones, incense, jewelry, candles, altar items, statuary, and novelties, a little of everything we have in our store. Support your Pagan Community and we support you. [TruelyUnique.com](http://TruelyUnique.com)



**The Sojourner Whole Earth Provisions** is a proud sponsor of the Central NC Pagan Pride Day festival this year! Visit their booth for a wide array of items to equip "your less-traveled paths." Books, Bumper Stickers, T-shirts, statuary, drums, singing bowls, silk wrap skirts, ritual-wear and spiritual supplies! [www.TheSojo.com](http://www.TheSojo.com)



**The Church of the Earth of NC** is a local gathering place in Raleigh NC for followers of the Earth Religions. We follow redes and tenets created by a merging of Wicca, Celtic Druidism, Kabbalah, and Native American Shamanism. We are glad that we can once again be a sponsor for the Central NC Pagan Pride Day Festival! Visit our booth at the festival or browse to [COTE-NC.org](http://COTE-NC.org) to learn more.



**Awen's Light Grove** is a modern druid 'seed group' of the Order of Bards, Ovates and Druids established in January of 2007 in Central NC. Most of our members are OBOD members, though membership is not required to attend meetings. We are glad that we be a sponsor for the Central NC Pagan Pride Day Festival! Visit our booth at the festival or browse to [www.algnc.org](http://www.algnc.org) to learn more.

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*Festival 2010 Individual Supporter*

Emmaboo P. Davis, Raven's Willow Enchantments, Misfit Witches, ZeNation, Panoleptos, MoonShadow  
*(The individual supporters list is not complete. There are many more to be listed in the program.)*