



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

SELECT COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES 2022-2023

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QUESTION ON NOTICE

Peter Cain MLA: To ask the Minister for Multicultural Affairs

Ref: Community Services Directorate

In relation to: Festival Cost

Date (Question Lodged by Member): 30/08/2022

Date (Question Sent to DLO): 05/09/2022

1. What is the breakdown (corporate, government, community) of stallholders for the multicultural festival for the FYs 2020-21, 2019-20, 2018-19, 2018-17?
2. What is the average \$ value each of these cohorts pay for the FYs 2020-21, 2019-20, 2018-19, 2018-17?

Minister Cheyne: The answer to the Member's question is as follows: –

1. The breakdown of stallholders for the multicultural festival for the Financial Years (FY) 2017-18, 2018-19, and 2019-20 is included below:

	2017-18	2018-19	2019-2020	2020-21
Corporate	46	42	45	N/A
Government	5	6	7	N/A
Community	164	229	215	N/A

Please note:

- No festival was held in FY 2020-21 due to the COVID pandemic.
 - The Corporate category includes commercial stallholders and food vans;
 - The Government category includes ACT political parties, individual politicians' stalls and Federal and ACT Government agencies; and
 - The Community category includes diplomatic, information, community, and community club stallholders.
2. Average value paid by each cohort in FYs 2017-18, 2018-19, and 2019-20 are below. The festival was not held in 2020-21 due to the COVID pandemic.
Please note there are a number of variables to take into account when considering the fee structure, including:
 - Stallholders may apply for 1, 2 and/or 3-day packages;

- However, some groups may **only** apply for 1 day (e.g. information stalls) or 3-days (e.g. commercial stalls);
- Pricing is dependent on what size marquee stallholders request (e.g. 3x3m or 6x3m);
- Pricing is also dependent on what stallholders are selling or providing (e.g. a stall selling food and liquor will be charged more than a stall only selling food, or an information stall).
- Food vans was a new category added in 2019-20, after learnings from 2017-18 and 2018-19.

3. Average stall costs have been provided for each category.

2017-18	Community (information only)	Community (food only)	Community (food and liquor)	Community clubs (corporate)	Commercial (corporate) food only	Commercial (corporate) food and liquor
1 day	\$375	\$450	\$900	\$1350	NA	NA
2 day	NA	\$900	\$1800	\$2400	NA	NA
3 day	NA	\$1350	\$2700	\$3600	\$5000	\$7250

2018-19	Community (information only)	Community (food only)	Community (food and liquor)	Community clubs (corporate)	Commercial (corporate) food only	Commercial (corporate) food and liquor
1 day	\$225	\$450	\$900	\$1350	NA	NA
2 day	NA	\$900	\$1800	\$2400	NA	NA
3 day	NA	\$1350	\$2700	\$3600	\$5000	\$7250

2019-20	Community (information only)	Community (food only)	Community (food and liquor)	Community clubs (corporate)	Commercial (corporate) food only	Commercial (corporate) food and liquor	Food van	Food van and liquor
1 day	\$225	\$450	\$900	\$1350	NA	NA	NA	NA
2 day	NA	\$900	\$1800	\$2400	NA	NA	NA	NA
3 day	NA	\$1350	\$2700	\$3600	\$5000	\$7250	\$6200	\$8200

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Signature:

Date:

9/9/22

By Minister Tara Cheyne [Minister for Multicultural Affairs]

