

NC Mountaineer & Apple Butter Festival

Friday - October 14th 11am to 5pm

Saturday - October 15th 9am to 5pm

Located on the Bakersville Creek Walk

Contact the NC Mountaineer Festival for all information.

Email: ncmountaineerfestival@gmail.com

Festival Rules & Guidelines

Before Submitting Please Read The Entire Application, Rules, & Cancellation Policy

1. Complete application in full. **Food vendors must submit a complete menu with prices which will need to be approved since we won't be allowing menu duplication.**
2. Checks for application fees will need to be made out to the **NC Mountaineer Festival** & mailed to **31 North Mitchell Ave Bakersville NC 28705.**
3. Applications will be taken until booth space is filled. Additional vendors will be placed on a waiting list. No more than 3 of the same type of vendors will be accepted (for example soap or candle vendors).
4. **No applications will be received after September 14th.**
5. Vendors NOT accepted OR placed on the waiting list will be notified.
6. Booth space is 12x12 if you have a larger display you will be required to purchase an additional space.
7. Electricity is limited so please specify in the "Special Needs" field, but **there will be an additional \$25 fee for the use of electricity.**
8. Every effort will be made to accommodate a special request for exhibit space, but cannot be guaranteed.
9. Vendors will be allowed to park in public areas such as behind the fire department, United Community Bank and Hemlock Drive with the exception of handicapped vendors. **Funeral Home parking lot is to be used for customers only.**
10. Both Food & Craft Vendors will have assigned spaces.
11. Each exhibitor is responsible for collecting and remitting North Carolina Sales Tax AND as per NC Gen. Stat.66-255
12. Cancellation Policy: If you cancel before August 31st your fee will be refunded 50%. **AFTER September 1st NO REFUNDS WILL BE ISSUED.**

Vendor Application

Arts & Crafts Vendor: Single Booth (12x12) - \$100 (Local Mitchell County Vendors \$80)

Additional 12x12 Booth Space is \$50 (this includes Fri & Sat)

Snack Vendors: \$150

Food Vendors: \$200

Commercial Vendors: \$250

Non-Profit Vendor: \$40

Name: _____ Emergency Contact: _____

Business Name: _____ Sales & Use Tax ID: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone # : _____

Email: _____ Website: _____

Please circle what type of vendor you are

Art & Craft / Food / Commercially Produced Items / Nonprofit / Other _____

Please briefly describe the type of booth you will be setting up

Average Price of Item Sold: _____ Any special request: _____

Type of Food: _____

**We try to prevent menu duplication so we ask that you submit a full menu with your application so it can be reviewed by the committee.

**** ALL Food Vendors must apply for and obtain a permit for a Temporary Food Establishment at the Mitchell County Health Department in Ledger, NC. This MUST be done by September 14th.**

Festival Notes

- **Vendor Setup - will be Thursday 13th from 4pm to 6pm OR Friday 14th from 8am to 10am**
- Vendors are not allowed to drive vehicles through the festival area during festival operation hours.
- Vendors MUST be present for the Entire Festival and not Permitted to breakdown until the end of the festival.
- ALL vendor tents must be safely secured with a minimum of 10lbs per leg
- Vendors are responsible for their own tent, tables, and display. Someone must be present in the booth at all times and tables should be presentable and have an attractive appearance.
- PARKING IS LIMITED so please plan accordingly for extra vehicles.
- **ALL exhibits must present your Business Name on the front of the booth and remain open for attendees until the Festival has completed for the day.**
- Alcoholic beverages are not permitted on the grounds. They cannot be served or sold.
- ALL pets must be on a leash no longer than 3 feet and pet owners **must clean up after their pets.** Citations will be issued if owners do not comply. **Pets are NOT allowed near Animal Exhibits.**
- Smoking is only allowed at designated smoking areas. Smoking at booths is not allowed.
- All exhibit space must be cleaned up. This includes ALL trash. Failure to clean up your booth space will result in not being accepted to future events.
- If you are NOT accepted to be a vendor you will be notified
- Generators must be pre approved and only whisper generators are allowed

By reading and signing this application you will not hold the Town of Bakersville, the NC Mountaineer Festival, or Festival Volunteers liable for any damage to property or injuries that could occur during the event.

You also understand that during the covid-19 pandemic that there is a risk that you may be exposed to covid-19. By participating in the NC Mountaineer Festival you will not hold the Town of Bakersville, the NC Mountaineer Festival, or the Festival Volunteers responsible for any injuries, sickness, or exposure to the virus that could possibly occur during your participation in the NC Mountaineer Festival.

You have read the rules and regulations of the NC Mountaineer Festival and agree to abide by them. You may be asked to leave if the rules are not followed. Your signature is your agreement to abide by all the rules of this festival.

Applications can be mailed or dropped off at **31 North Mitchell Ave Bakersville, NC 28705** or emailed to **ncmountaineerfestival@gmail.com** before September 14th.

Signed: _____ Date: _____ Enclosed \$ _____