



The North Carolina Blueberry Festival Association
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21st Annual NC Blueberry Festival **2024 Blueberry Bake Sale Application**

The Blueberry Bake Sale is a community-involvement event sponsored by the North Carolina Blueberry Festival Association and will be held during the festival on **Saturday, June 15, 2024**. Participation is open to all local area churches and non-profit organizations. There is no application fee, and each participant will retain all profits from sales. You will be advised of your location at the festival with your Bake Sale Letter of Acceptance. The following guidelines **must** be followed:

1. A copy of your paperwork certifying your **non-profit status** must be submitted with this application. Your application will be rejected if you fail to submit this certification.
2. **ALL food items must be HOMEMADE and MUST contain BLUEBERRIES.** If you wish to sell other food items or any Arts and Craft items, you must apply under either the Food Vendor or Arts & Craft Vendor category.
3. You may give away information, brochures, pens, pencils, etc. from your church or organization at your booth, **ONLY**. All communication and interaction with the public must be done within your assigned 10'x10' space. All volunteers, members and associates of your church or organization must adhere to this rule. The person signing this contract must communicate this requirement with all members of your church or organization. Failure to adhere to this rule may prevent your church or organization from participating in the future.
4. You are not limited to the number or variety of food items to be sold, but each item sold must be individually pre-packaged for sale. (Example – blueberry pie may be sold by the individual slice but must be cut and packaged prior to the start of the sale or blueberry parfaits may be sold but must be completely prepared and packaged prior to the start of the sale.)
5. A 10'x10' tent is required, and you must provide your own table and chairs.
6. All pages of this application, including the “Temporary Food Vendor Application” from the Pender County Health Department must be completed and returned to the Blueberry Festival Association for the application to be considered. Applicants should retain a copy of the entire application prior to mailing.
7. Set up time on Saturday, June 15, 2024, must be completed by 8:30 AM. The festival begins at 9:00 AM. Additional information will be provided for set up on Friday.
8. **ELECTRICITY WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE AND GENERATORS ARE NOT PERMITTED.**
9. Applications must be received by **May 15, 2024**, and will be notified by mail of acceptance.

Organization Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Person: _____ Cell: _____

Description of Items to be Sold: _____

THE NORTH CAROLINA BLUEBERRY FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO DENY ANY APPLICATION

I understand that reasonable security will be provided, but I will not hold the North Carolina Blueberry Festival, Town of Burgaw, County of Pender, or their representatives liable for loss, damage, or injury. I further agree to indemnify, save harmless and defend the North Carolina Blueberry Festival, its successors in interest from and against any and all claims, demands, actions, debts, liabilities, and attorney's fees arising out of, claimed on account of, or in any manner predicated upon loss or damage to the property of and injuries to or death of any and all persons whatsoever, in any manner caused or contributed to by the vendor, its agents, or employees while in, upon, or about the NC Blueberry Festival ground where the booth is located, or while going to or departing from the same, and to indemnify and save harmless the NC Blueberry Festival, its successors in interest from a liability and that the NC Blueberry Festival may suffer as the result of acts of negligence, fraud, or misconduct of any vendors' agent or employees on or about the North Carolina Blueberry Festival grounds.

I release the NC Blueberry Festival from any and all liability for loss or damage to property and merchandise used by the vendor in the operation of the concession due to theft, fire, storm, flood, and damages through any force of nature or otherwise.

I further grant the North Carolina Blueberry Festival permission to use any photographs, motion pictures, recording, or any other record of my participation in the festival for any legitimate reasons.

Signed: _____ Printed: _____

Date: _____

If you have questions or need clarification on any part of this application, contact the festival office at info@ncblueberryfestival.com call (910)259-2007 or text (910)789-0096.

All pages of this application, including Health Department form, must be completed and mailed to:

**NC Blueberry Festival
Attn: Bake Sale
PO Box 1554, Burgaw, NC 28425**

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