



CRAFT VENDOR APPLICATION



45th Annual North Carolina Oyster Festival
Ocean Isle Beach, NC
October 17th - 18th, 2026

Company Name:
Representative Name:
Phone: Email:
Street Address:
City: State: Zip:
Tax ID# Medium:

Festival Location: Ocean Isle Beach Town Center Park, 11 E 2nd Street, Ocean Isle Beach, NC
Festival Hours: Saturday, October 17, 2026 9:00 am - 6:00 pm
Sunday, October 18, 2026 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

SPACE IS EXTREMELY LIMITED. Applications must contain all required information and will be juried by the NC Oyster Festival Committee. The committee reserves the right to deny any application for any reason. If approved, an approval letter will be emailed to the email address listed on this application.

RAIN OR SHINE EVENT - NO REFUNDS ONCE ACCEPTED.

The governing body of the NC Oyster Festival Committee reserves the right to CLOSE the festival due to extreme weather or public safety concerns, without refund to vendor.

This application is for a 10' x 10' booth space and applies to the following exhibitors:

- Arts/Crafts vendors (wares must be at least 75% handmade) NO RESALE ITEMS
Pre-packaged Food Vendors (food items NOT made on-site)
Non-profit Organizations (501C)

Table with 4 columns: Fees, # Spaces, Price, Amounts. Rows include Vendor Booth, Electric 120v, 20-amp circuit, Higher voltage may be available for an additional cost, and Subtotal.

TOTAL Amount Enclosed \$

Make Checks Payable to: Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 1185, Shallotte, NC 28459

Once approved there will be no refunds (no exceptions) \*\*RETURN CHECK FEE IS \$35\*\*

Questions? Please contact the Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce at 910-754-6644 or email the Chamber at events@brunswickcountycommerce.org - Mark all subject lines: 45th Annual NC Oyster Vendor



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Have you been a vendor in this festival before: Yes or No # of years: \_\_\_\_\_

Day of festival name and contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

Web address: \_\_\_\_\_

Facebook page: \_\_\_\_\_

**Provide a brief description of your service or product (use back of form if needed):**

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**THE FOLLOWING MUST BE INCLUDED FOR YOUR APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

- Check or Money Order made payable to: Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce
- 4-6 Photos of your service or product – They may be actual photos or photos printed on 8.5 x 11 paper that will be used for approval purposes – **These photos are required for your application to be considered and/or accepted.**
- Completed Application

**IF APPROVED, THE FOLLOWING MUST THEN BE SUBMITTED:**

- Copy of COI (CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE W/ ADDITIONAL INSURED LISTED – SEE BELOW)

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

*The undersigned understands that by failing to abide by the rules they may be asked to leave the NC Oyster Festival and no refunds will be made.*

**LIABILITY INSURANCE INFORMATION:**

Each vendor is now required to sign the attached waiver and have liability insurance for the festival. If you currently have your own liability insurance, we need a copy of your COI (Certificate of Insurance) listing **Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce**, 112 Pine St., Shallotte, NC 28470 and the **Town of Ocean Isle Beach**, 11 E Second St., Ocean Isle Beach, NC 28469 as additional insured. Please email the COI(s) to: [events@brunswickcountychamber.org](mailto:events@brunswickcountychamber.org)

If you do not have your own liability insurance, please consider using the following company to purchase a show policy. **ACT insurance has agreed to provide our vendors with a discount.** The following is a link to the website which will take you to the appropriate page and provide you with the coupon code. It will also ensure that the additional insured is filled out correctly.

<https://app.actinsurance.com/events/13452>

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## 45<sup>th</sup> Annual NC OYSTER FESTIVAL RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY for VENDORS



This Release and Waiver of Liability is executed this date of \_\_\_\_\_  
by \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Vendor") and approved by The NC Oyster  
Festival committee, The Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce and agents.

This Release includes the following terms

1. **Waiver and Release.** I hereby release and hold harmless the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce and its successors and assigns from any and all liability, claims, demands, and causes of action, of whatever kind of nature, either in law or equity, which may hereafter arise from my participation *and the participation of anyone working for me* with the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce and/or any project, activity, or event sponsored, managed, arranged, or promoted by, or otherwise affiliated or associated with the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce.

I understand and acknowledge that this Release discharges the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce from any liability or claim that I may have against the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce, with respect to any bodily or other injury, illness, death, or property damage that may result from my participation. I also understand that the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce does not assume any responsibility or obligation to provide financial assistance or other assistance, including, but not limited to, medical, health, or disability insurance, in the event of injury, illness, death, or property damage.

2. **Insurance.** I understand that the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce and the Town of Ocean Isle beach REQUIRE group accident or other liability insurance. Any coverage so provided will be governed by the policy language. Except to the extent that it may provide such insurance, the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce does not carry or maintain any health, medical, disability, damage, or other liability insurance coverage for the benefit of its vendors, and expressly disclaims any responsibility or obligation to do so. The Certificate of Insurance will list the Town of Ocean Isle Beach and the Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce as additional insured.
3. **Medical Treatment.** Except as otherwise agreed to by the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce in writing, I hereby release and forever discharge the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce and Town of Ocean Isle Beach from any and all liability claims, demands, and causes of action whatsoever that may arise on account of any first aid or other medical treatment rendered during my participation with the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce and/or any project, activity, or event sponsored, managed, arranged, or promoted by, or otherwise affiliated or associated with the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce or Town of Ocean Isle Beach.



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4. **Assumption of Risk.** I understand that my participation with the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce and/or any project, activity, or event sponsored, managed, arranged, or promoted by, or otherwise affiliated or associated with the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce and Town of Ocean Isle Beach may include activities that may be hazardous to me. I further recognize and understand that such participation may involve certain inherently dangerous activities. I hereby expressly and specifically assume the risk of injury or harm in the activities and release the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce and Town of Ocean Isle Beach from all liability for injury, illness, death, and/or property damage that may result.
  
5. **Photography/Audio Release.** I do hereby grant and convey unto the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce rights, titles, and interest in and to any and all photographic images and video or audio recordings made by or on behalf the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce, or made with its consent, during my participation in the NC Oyster Festival and/or any project, activity or event sponsored, managed, arranged, or promoted by, or otherwise affiliated or associated with the NC Oyster Festival / Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce, including, but not limited to, any royalties, proceeds, or other benefits derived from such photographs or recordings. You agree to allow the NC Oyster Festival to use photos, videos on social media, print media, websites and billboards, and all cross-media marketing.
  
6. **Other.** I expressly understand and agree that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by law, and that this Release shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of this state, county, city and/or township. I agree that in the event that any clause or provision of this Release shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provisions of this Release. By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand this Release and agree to its provisions.

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Company Name

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Participant/Vendor Name (Printed)

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Signature of Participant/Vendor

Date