
St. Stephen's



**Strawberry
Festival**

**2018 Strawberry
Festival & Farmers' Market**
Saturday, May 26, 2018

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church
festival.ststephensheathsville.org
[www.facebook.com/
StStephensStrawberryFestival](http://www.facebook.com/StStephensStrawberryFestival)

Dear Vendor:

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Heathsville, VA, is now taking applications from vendors for the 2018 Strawberry Festival, to be held on the church grounds the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend, May 26, 2018, rain or shine. This popular event has been in existence for 137 years and continues to be a much anticipated tradition on the beautiful Northern Neck of Virginia. For the past number of years, this event has drawn more than 5,000 people!

We appreciate your interest in being a vendor at the Strawberry Festival—your participation and support make this festival the popular event that it is! Thank you for your many compliments, comments and suggestions. Again this year, there will be food, live music, an extensive vendor area outside and limited indoor vendor space, and of course, the ever-popular homemade strawberry shortcakes and fresh local strawberries for sale by the quart.

Please send in the attached application now to insure you will be included in one of the Northern Neck's biggest events of the year. Applications and more information can be found at festival.ststephensheathsville.org and www.facebook.com/StStephensStrawberryFestival. You'll want to check them often because we use these to communicate with our vendors and promote your participation at the festival.

Booths sell out early and space is limited. Booths will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis so please return your application by April 16, 2018. We will do our best to accommodate your location preferences. We will notify you of acceptance upon receipt of your application and payment.

**Mail application and payment to: St. Stephen's 2018 Strawberry Festival, P. O. Box 40,
Heathsville, VA 22473-0040.**

We look forward to seeing you at the 2018 Strawberry Festival on May 26th!

THANK YOU!

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VENDOR APPLICATION

Exhibit Name: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone No: _____ Cell: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____ Website: _____

Category (please check): _____ Original Craft/Art; _____ Reseller; _____ Food; _____ Non-Profit (501c3 org.)

Description of Product(s) you plan to sell: _____

**Note: Preference is given to vendors of original crafts and art items.
Vendors ARE NOT PERMITTED to sell yard sale or used items.**

**There are a limited number of Indoor and Non-Profit Booth Spaces available.
Generators are prohibited on Festival grounds.**

NUMBER OF TENTS (10'X10') YOU WILL BRING (PLEASE INDICATE NUMBER): _____

OUTDOOR Booth Space(s) ____ at \$85.00 each (10'x10') ----- \$ _____

INDOOR Booth Space(s) ____ at \$95.00 each (10'x10') ----- \$ _____

FOOD TRUCK/TRAILER ____ at \$200.00 each ----- \$ _____

FOOD VENDOR (10'X10' TENT) ____ at \$85.00 each ----- \$ _____

NON-PROFIT (SELLING ITEMS) Booth Space ____ at \$25.00 each (10'x10') --- \$ _____

NON-PROFIT (INFORMATION ONLY) Booth Space(s) ____ No Charge

All applications must include the following:

Amount Paid: \$ _____

- ✓ Completed VENDOR APPLICATION
- ✓ Non-refundable Booth Space fee(s) made out to: St. Stephen's Episcopal Church
- ✓ Signed Vendor Release and Acknowledgment

Mail to: St. Stephen's 2018 Strawberry Festival, P. O. Box 40, Heathsville, VA 22473

Please return completed Vendor Application no later than APRIL 16, 2018. Thank you!

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2018 Strawberry Festival

Vendor Release and Acknowledgment

I (hereinafter "Booth Operator") hereby make application to become a vendor in the St. Stephen's Episcopal Church 2018 Strawberry Festival. Booth Operator agrees to abide by the rules and regulations as set forth herein and such other rules as may be established or amended by the St. Stephen's Episcopal Church Strawberry Festival Committee. Booth Operator will sell only those items or conduct those activities that have been specifically approved in writing. Furthermore, Booth Operator hereby releases, forever discharges and holds harmless St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, its officers, agents, employees, or volunteers from any responsibility or liability for loss, claims, damages, theft, injury or accident from activities conducted in preparation for, during, and immediately following the St. Stephen's Episcopal Church 2018 Strawberry Festival.

Booth Operator is responsible for all booth set-up and take down of merchandise, displays and tents or covers. It is further understood that each booth operator is responsible for assuring that all items in his/her own booth are well secured in the event of weather, i.e. wind, rain, etc., and that all parts of booth (including tent, tables, shelves, hanging racks, etc.) are secure so as not to blow into, harm or damage any person or property. In the event that Booth Operator's tent or any part of the booth causes harm or damage to another due to negligence on his/her part, the Booth Operator will be responsible for those damages.

Operator shall maintain his/her space, merchandise, activities, and business practices in compliance with all applicable local, state, and federal laws and regulations. Booth Operator understands that violation of, or noncompliance with this release, or any rule, regulation, law, ordinance, or decree may result in immediate expulsion of Booth Operator and his/her exhibit from the Festival without a refund of any applicable fees paid. Booth operators must bring their own supplies necessary to conduct business, including tables and chairs. Booth Operators shall clean their spaces when finished.

Privacy Notice: From time to time, we share our vendor email list with organizers of other festivals and events in and around Heathsville. We will also share individual vendor email addresses with potential customers who want to discuss a purchase. We do this so that you will know about other opportunities to sell your products. If you do not want us to share your email address with organizers of other festivals and potential customers, please let us know so we can delete your email address from our list.

Signed: _____ Printed Name: _____
Date: _____ Booth Name: _____