

Experience Community Festivals presents BACKYARD BBQ COOK-OFF 2020 for Step up For Soldiers

VENDOR INFORMATION & REGISTRATION



“Where the BBQ Meets the Battleship”

Saturday, March 7, 2020

Join us for a free community event with BBQ Cook-off, food, beverages, music, crafts, local vendors, kid zone, and more! Proceeds from the charity cook-off will go to support
Step Up For Soldiers.

WHAT IS STEP UP FOR SOLDIERS?

The mission of Step Up For Soldiers is to provide disabled veterans who experience loss of limb and mobility issues with the resources necessary to adjust in a post-war environment. We strive to not only enhance their lives and those of their families, but also help to restore their confidence and positive self-image.

Standard Vendors: \$150

Includes: 10' x 10' exhibitor space, listing on exhibitor event promotion page.

Senior Vendors: \$250

Includes: 10' x 10' exhibitor space, premium listing on exhibitor event promotion page, event flyers, and posters, a table and two chairs.

1 Battleship Rd NE, Wilmington, NC 28401

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BACKYARD BBQ COOK-OFF

VENDOR APPLICATION & Agreement for Vendor Level Participation

BUSINESS NAME _____

CONTACT PERSON _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

BUSINESS PHONE () _____ CONTACT PHONE() _____

EMAIL _____

WEB SITE/SOCIAL MEDIA AS APPLICABLE _____

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE
OF VENDOR _____ DATE _____

Vendor Levels

Please specify desired level of participation.

Standard Vendor - \$150

10x10 in-line space at event, listing on exhibitor event promotion page,

Senior Vendor - \$250

10 x 10 corner space at event, logo feature on certain promotional materials and social media.

Please also submit with your application:

- Website and social media links.
- A photo of your set up and another event you have participated in.

All vendors are expected to be paid in full prior to event day in order to be allowed to set up onsite.

On event day vendors are asked to:

- Arrive at least one hour prior to event start to complete your set up. No vehicles may be permitted in the event space during the event unless expressly permitted by Event Management.
- Use family friendly language, images, and product.
- Have at least one person manning your booth at all times during the event.
- Stay set up until the event is fully completed. Early breakdown will not be permitted.

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Payment Information Section

Vendor registration is completed upon the receipt of payment. Please specify your preferred method of billing.

ADD ONS: 1 QTY - 6' Table & 2 QTY Folding Chairs \$15

____ CHECK

Please make checks payable to: Memory Matters.

Checks should be mailed along with this completed form to the below address:

ATTN: Backyard BBQ Cook-Off Vendor Spot

Memory Matters

P.O. Box 61 Boliva, NC 28422

____ CREDIT CARD

If you are paying with credit card, please complete the below information and return to Martin Case either through mail or by emailing to experiencecommunityfestivals@gmail.com.

Please use mailing address listed above.

Billing Information:

NAME ON CARD _____

BILLING ADDRESS _____ ZIP _____

CREDIT CARD: TYPE _____ CARD # _____

EXP DATE ____/____ 3 DIGIT SECURITY CODE ON BACK OF CARD _____

Please review the rules of the event. Your signature below confirms understanding and acceptance of the event rules and regulations. WAIVER AND RELEASE, I fully understand that participating in this event may result in accidents, illness, or injury. I am voluntarily participating in the "Step Up For Soldiers Backyard BBQ Cook-Off" (hereinafter the "event") with complete understanding of the risks associated with participation in the event. In consideration of your accepting my application and being allowed to participate in the "event," I the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, hereby for myself and my business, heirs, executors, administrators and assigns agree to release and hold harmless the premises and grounds owner, the City of Wilmington, Step Up For Soldiers, Memory Matters, its affiliates, agents, volunteers and employees, from all liability for any injuries and/or illnesses that may directly or indirectly result from my conduct or from my negligence in the event, and/or from the negligence of the premises owner or the negligence of the sponsors of the event, its affiliates, agents, volunteers and employees. I also acknowledge full and sole responsibility for any and all medical expenses that I may incur as a result of any injury and/or illness related to our participation in the event. I understand and agree that this Waiver and Release is binding upon my business and me. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Step Up For Soldiers BBQ Cook-Off and the New Hanover County Board of Health. I hereby grant my consent and permission to Step Up For Soldiers, its affiliates, agents and employees, to use my name, my business name, photographs, videotape, motion picture recording, voice, or likeness for their purposes, including pre and post event publicity. I have carefully read this Waiver and Release and fully understand its contents. By my signature below, I consent and agree to the terms of this Waiver and Release. My signature also demonstrates consent of the rules of the event provided under separate cover.

**AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE
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EVENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Exhibitors' /Contestants' booth space is to be set up, open and staffed, on the day of the "Step up for Soldiers Backyard BBQ 2020", by the posted/advertised event start time of 11:00 AM and not broken down or left unmanned until after the posted/advertised end time of 5:00 PM and Exhibitor/Contestant is to occupy exhibit space as assigned. Exhibitor/Contestant also agrees not to sublet or apportion to anyone else said space without express consent of Memory Matters, here and after referred to as the Producer.
2. Exhibitor/Contestant agrees that if accepted by Producer, Experience Community Festivals, Memory Matters, and Step up For Soldiers into the March 2020 "Step Up for Soldiers Backyard BBQ Cook-off", that Producer is under no obligation to rent space to Exhibitor in future events or future years.
3. Insurance, if desired by Exhibitor/Contestant, must be provided at their own expense. The Producer, Step up For Soldiers, or the Battleship North Carolina Park assume no risk; and by the acceptance of this agreement, the Exhibitor/Contestant expressly releases the Producer, Step up For Soldiers, and the Battleship North Carolina Park of and from any and all liability for any damage, injury, theft, or loss to any person or goods which may arise from the rental and occupation of said space by the Exhibitor/Contestant.
4. The Producer will not be liable for refunds or any other liabilities whatsoever for the failure of Exhibitor/Contestant to attend, nor refunds or other liabilities for failure to produce the "Step up for Soldiers Backyard BBQ 2020" due to acts of God, or any other cause beyond the Producer's control.
5. The Producer may rent or license space for any exhibit of interest to the general public or of educational value. All exhibits must be designed, constructed and operated in good taste and in accordance with the best interest of the "Step up for Soldiers Backyard BBQ 2020", which Producer in its sole discretion shall have the right to decide. All sales, publicity and promotion activities conducted by the Exhibitor/Contestant at the "Step up for Soldiers Backyard BBQ 2020" must be confined to his or her space. Carnival tactics and the use of a public-address systems are not allowed.
6. Exhibitor/Contestant consents that photographs taken and filming recorded of him or herself, employees and volunteers and booth and products at the festival may be used for advertising and publicity for this or any future expositions Producer may present.
7. All inspections or food service permits required are the sole responsibility of the Exhibitor/Contestant.

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