

ALLEGHANY FARMERS MARKET 2024 HOLIDAY MARKET APPLICATION

The Alleghany Farmers Market will be hosting an outdoor HOLIDAY MARKET on Saturday, November 23, 2024, from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm, located at Crouse Park (E. Whitehead Street market location) in Sparta, NC.

This is a non-juried art, craft & food market, and all items **MUST** be handmade by the vendor. ALL products must adhere to the following guidelines:

ALL value-added processed and prepared food items must be made in an NCDA or health-department inspected kitchen (home or commercial), depending on the product. A copy of the NCDA process inspection or health department permitting paperwork is required.

Craftspeople of non-agricultural products at the Market include handcrafted goods from raw products and materials (such as pottery, furniture, soap/body products, etc). To be considered handcrafted, items must show evidence of manual skills obtainable through a significant period of experience and dedication, as well as show originality of design. Vendors are not allowed to sell flea-market type items or mass-manufactured resell items.

Applications must be submitted no later than 5:00 pm on Wednesday, November 6, 2024. Drop off completed application or send by mail to: Jill Cockerham, North Carolina Cooperative Extension, PO Box 7, 90 South Main Street, Sparta, NC, 28675. (Alternatively, you can email me a PDF copy of your completed application to jill_cockerham@ncsu.edu).

Limited spaces available! We strive to maintain a balance and variety of craft and food vendors. All applicants will be notified of their acceptance, denial or placement on the waiting list by November 7th. Vendor fee is \$20 for the day, payable upon acceptance.

Date: _____

Name & Business: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone: (cell) _____ (home) _____

Website, Facebook and/or Instagram: _____

If you do NOT have visual representation of your product on social media or website, you must submit three (3) photo examples of your work for review prior to acceptance. Please send to jill_cockerham@ncsu.edu along with your name and address no later than Wednesday, November 6, 2024.

Please select a category that best describes your products or business:

- Jewelry
- Home Goods
- Wood Products/Furniture
- Photography/Art/Drawing/Painting
- Candles
- Glass/Metal
- Fiber Art/Fabric/Needlecraft
- Body Products (soap, lotion, oils, scrubs, etc)
- Paper Goods
- Pottery/Ceramic
- Baked Goods/Prepared Foods (regulatory paperwork required)
- Value-Added Products (jams, jellies, etc) (regulatory paperwork required)
- Other: _____

Please list all products you plan to sell at the Holiday Market:
