
BEAUFORT

Historical Association

Dear Prospective Vendor:

The Beaufort Historic Site will host its **29th Annual Publick Day on Saturday, April 21, 2018**. This one-day festival features vendors, music, food, and entertainment in the picturesque setting of the Beaufort Historic Site. A variety of vendors will be on-site to sell their wares in beautiful historic downtown Beaufort. The hours are from 9:00 am until 4:00 pm, and vendors may set up as early as they like on the day of the event.

Publick Day is fashioned after “Publick Times” which was held in Williamsburg during the General Court sessions of the 1700s. This event brought many people to town to conduct legal business, so local merchants and other enterprising colonials would set up shop along the busy streets. To re-create this setting, booths are not assigned at Publick Day, but rather vendors are encouraged to “set up shop” wherever they like around the site. Space is on a first-come, first-serve basis, unless you have reserved a space under the BHA tent, which will be set up in the center of the grounds.

We hope you will take part in this popular annual event. If you are a returning vendor who has participated in our previous Publick Day or Jumble Sale events, we look forward to seeing you again. We appreciate your support of the Beaufort Historical Association. Vendor application fees go toward the organization’s continuing preservation and education programs.

Attached is an application for the 2018 Publick Day. We expect a record turnout for this year’s event and hope you will be a part of it. Please fill out the 2018 application and return it with your payment by April 18th. Hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

Jaclyn Johnson
PR Director