

Application for Specialty Foods

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1st

NOTIFICATION LETTERS WILL BE MAILED NO LATER THAN: MARCH 15th

SHOW FEES:

Processing fee (non-refundable):	\$ 35.00	Separate Check
10' x 10' Under Tent – Festival provided	\$ 475.00	
10' X 10' On the Grounds – Owner's tent	\$ 475.00	
15' X 10' On the Grounds – Owner's tent	\$ 650.00	
20' X 10' On the Grounds – Owner's tent	\$ 775.00	
Late Fee *if mailed after February 1 st	\$ 35.00	Separate Check

Residency: Only Pennsylvania residents may participate in the People's Choice Festival!

Application form: Fill out the Application completely and mail it to us by FEBRUARY 1st. If you do not include all the required information, your application will be rejected!

Rules & Regulations: Review the accompanying Rules & Regulations carefully and retain for future reference.

Liability Insurance: It is the responsibility of the People's Choice Festival to collect the Certificate of Liability for each vendor in the amount of \$1,000,000. The Certificate Holder or Additional Insured section must list the following: Centre County Grange Encampment & Fair, 169 Homan Lane, P.O. Box 271, Centre Hall, PA 16828 and The People's Choice Festival, P.O. Box 407, Pine Grove Mills, PA 16868. All Vendor Certificates of Insurance must be received at the Peoples Choice Festival by June 1st. Please email to peopleschoicestival@gmail.com.

Acceptance: We will notify you by **MARCH 15th**, of your acceptance status. If, after you mail your application, you determine you cannot participate in the show, YOU MUST notify us in writing by MARCH 1st to receive a refund. We will not issue refunds for any reason after acceptance letters are post marked.

Payment: Enclose all checks payable to **People's Choice Festival**.

- Pages 3 and 4 of the application – this is the contract.**
- One \$25 check dated FEBRUARY 1st for processing fee. (non-refundable)**
- One booth check for the appropriate amount postdated MARCH 1st.**
- One \$25 check for a late fee if postdated after February 1st.**

Mailing Deadline: Mail your application and check by February 1ST to:

PEOPLE'S CHOICE FESTIVAL
P.O. Box 407
Pine Grove Mills, PA 16868

Direct all questions to our e-mail
PEOPLESCHOICEFESTIVAL@GMAIL.COM
Check out our web site at:
www.peopleschoicestival.com

Please Keep the Rules and Regulations for Future Reference

PEOPLE'S CHOICE FESTIVAL of PENNSYLVANIA ARTS & CRAFTS

SPECIALTY FOOD VENDOR RULES & REGULATIONS

- **Only** Pennsylvania residents are eligible to participate in the festival. Specialty Food Vendors are limited to hand-crafted and created products **made by the vendor or vendors' employees** (NO COPACKING ALLOWED) All products you offer for sale **must be produced and manufactured in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.**
- You must submit three (3) pictures of your products being produced by you or your employees. These will be juried for authenticity.
- Acceptance is for the current year's Festival only and is not automatically renewable for any future Festival.
- Vendors **must comply with all local and state food handling codes.**
- Vendors **must carry Product Liability Insurance.** Vendors must have their insurance agent mail copy of the Certificate of Insurance directly to the festival's mailing address listed below. The Policy must list all owners, partners, or shareholders and the business d/b/a name (if applicable).
- Vendors may only sell items that are described on your original application.
- Acceptance as a vendor in the festival is non-transferable.
- Vendors may not share their space with any other parties.
- **Your Space:** Please keep in mind those located in the Specialty Food tent are sharing space with other vendors; please respect their space. Your enthusiasm is appreciated, but not when it overpowers others' sales efforts
- If, after mailing your application, you determine you cannot participate, **for any reason, you must** notify the committee by March 15th, There will be no refunds issued after that date.
- Sales Area – The Specialty Food Vendors Tent is **shared by Vendors.** The Tent will be divided into the appropriate number of 10' x 10' corner booth spaces. Please work in cooperation with your neighbor and respect everyone's assigned areas. Please always keep the area presentable and clean up and dispose of all trash into the Dumpsters located behind the Main Food Court prior to leaving your area at the end of the festival. No parking available around the tent
- There are a limited number of Specialty Food sites on the grounds. You must provide your own tent. Sizes are listed on the application. There is no parking provided at these locations.
- Vendors will leave their site in the same condition as when they first arrived.
- The festival **does not permit the use of generators.**
- Signage - Attach all signs to your booth. The festival **does not permit freestanding or staked signs.**
- Vendors may direct any question or concerns to the festival e-mail address:

peopleschoicestival@gmail.com

31st ANNUAL PEOPLE'S CHOICE FESTIVAL

SPECIALTY FOOD APPLICATION

July 10-13, 2025

RETURN - POSTMARKED BY FEBRUARY 1st DO NOT LEAVE BLANKS! (Please print clearly)

NAME _____

BUSINESS NAME _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE PA ZIP CODE _____

HOME PHONE () _____ CELL () _____

E-MAIL _____

WEB SITE _____

PA Sales Tax Number: _____ COUNTY: _____

Name for Badges: _____

LIST THE ITEMS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SELL. List the items in order of priority in the event we cannot accept all items. No bottled Water.

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| 3. _____ | 6. _____ |

PLEASE CHECK APPROPRIATE BOOTH SIZE:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Processing Fee – <u>Separate Check</u> | \$ 35 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 10'w X 10w' Specialty Food Tent | \$ 475 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 10'w X 10w' On the Grounds – Owner's tent | \$ 475 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 15'w X 10d' On the Grounds– Owner's tent | \$ 625 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 20'w X 10d' On the Grounds – Owner's tent | \$ 775 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Late Fee (Due after Feb 1 st <u>Separate Check</u>) | \$ 35 |

<u>COMMITTEE USE ONLY</u>	
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Mail everything by February 1st:

**PEOPLE'S CHOICE FESTIVAL
P. O. BOX 407
Pine Grove Mills, PA 16868**

I/We agree that the People's Choice Festival and the Friends of the Military Museum are NOT RESPONSIBLE for theft, bodily injury, or damage to property and are absolved and released from any legal proceedings for whatsoever reason.

I have read and agree to comply with the attached Rules and Regulations. I also certify that I am a Pennsylvania resident. (All owners, partners, or shareholders in the business must sign.)

Signature(s) _____

Date _____

PLEASE MAKE A NOTE THAT SET UP FOR THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE FESTIVAL WILL BE WEDNESDAY, JULY 9th, 9:00am – 6:30 pm. You must bring a PA driver's license as proof of residency. You are required to check in on Wednesday.