

Robertson County Fair

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VENDOR PACKET: INFORMATION, APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT

This Packet consists of Three Parts (Six Pages):

- Part 1: General Information
- Part 2: Rules and Regulations
- Part 3: Application, Agreement, and Waiver

PART 1

The 2026 Robertson County Fair will be held at the ROBERTSON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

Tuesday, September 22, through Saturday, September 26.

Hours of operation: Wed-Thurs 5pm-10pm; Fri 5pm-11pm; Sat 3pm-11pm

Check in and set up: Monday, Sept. 20 8am-5pm, Tuesday, Sept. 21 8am-Noon

Check out and take down: As a courtesy to Fair Visitors who may arrive late on Saturday, all booths must remain in place and operate until close. Fair officials will be on site Sunday, September 27 to allow additional time for take down.

We require that Vendors be open and ready for business by Fair Opening at 5:00pm Wednesday.

For Safety, **vehicles will not be allowed in the Vendor area one hour before and during Fair operating hours.**

The terms "Vendor" or "Concessionaire" are referred to interchangeably.

Booth Requirements:

1. An attractive appearance with a professional-looking sign.
2. Food Booths must provide their own 5-lb. fire extinguisher and tie down for all propane tanks.
3. Food Concessionaires must obtain a permit from the Robertson County Health Department.
4. Vendor is responsible for all sales tax, fees & permits required to conduct business in Robertson County Tennessee.
5. Exhibits and concessions must be in place, ready for viewing at the opening to the public. If not so ready, RCFA has the right, without further notice, to reassign the space to another user without refund of any monies paid to RCFA.
6. Exhibits and concessions must remain in place for the duration of the Fair.
7. No exhibit may be dismantled before the closing hour on the final day of the Fair.

Product Restrictions:

You may not sell any items that refer to the event or use the logo of Robertson County Fair.

Booth Selection: To be made on a First-come basis. Date of postmark or receipt of all items will be used.

Booth Placement: Is made at the discretion of Robertson County Fair Board.

Booth Descriptions: Booth Fees (listed in Part 3) include:

1. Use of designated space, which must contain all guywires, stakes, poles, trailer tongues and/or hitches. etc.
2. **One vehicle pass per day with booth space. Upon completion of set-up, vehicles must be moved to the designated parking area. Designated parking area is NOT ON THE FAIRGROUNDS. Parking passes accepted in paid parking areas. Parking in and around booth area is NOT AVAILABLE. Vehicles improperly parked may be towed at owner's expense and may not be welcomed back. Extra Parking passes are NOT available for purchase.**
3. Eight (8) employee passes for each booth (Equals 2 per day). Up to a TOTAL OF EIGHT additional passes may be purchased if paid with your application. These are not available from the office upon arrival or after booth is set up.
4. Fees listed are for a single space for the full four-day Fair, not a daily rate.

Craft – space for advertising or selling handcrafted merchandise

Commercial - space for advertising or selling merchandise or a service

Food Concession – space for selling food or beverages for consumption at the Fair.

Trailers or tents must fit completely in the designated space, but must be noted on the application.

Fair Board reserves the right to limit trailer length and space allotted.

Application Procedure:

All fees must be paid with this application. If application is denied, fees will be refunded. Incomplete applications will not be considered. If Vendor cancels this reservation without prior approval or after August 21, 2026, fees shall be forfeited.

1. Signed and Dated Application Form, including Vendor Agreement and Waiver.
2. Full payment of Fees for space rental and additional employee passes.
3. A photograph of your booth, wagon or display. (If requested)
4. Certificate of Insurance showing at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) Liability Coverage.
 - Each contractor shall obtain and keep in force until completion of the "project", including set up and tear down, a commercial general liability insurance contract with liability limits equal to or greater than \$1,000,000 each occurrence. The contractor shall provide a certificate of insurance to the Robertson County Fair Association evidencing such coverage at the time the application is submitted. Such contractor shall name Robertson County Fair Association, Inc. as an Additional Insured. When adding as additional insured **PLEASE ENSURE THE CORRECT NAME AND ADDRESS IS USED: ROBERTSON COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC. PO BOX 921 SPRINGFIELD, TN 37172**
 - Hold Harmless/Indemnification: Contractor shall be solely responsible for any and all injuries to persons or damages of property or any other injury, claim, damage of loss of whatever nature arising directly or indirectly from the "project". Contractor shall INDEMNIFY, SAVE, AND HOLD HARMLESS Robertson County Fair Association and its employees, agents and volunteers from and against all liability, loss, damages, claims, costs and expenses including attorney fees arising out of injury to person or damages to property or any other injury, claim, damage, loss, cost or expense arising from the "project".

PART 2**RULES AND REGULATIONS OF ROBERTSON COUNTY FAIR**

The term "Vendor" shall apply to Vendors, Food Concessionaires, Exhibitors and Demonstrators

FAILURE TO ABIDE BY THE FOLLOWING RULES AND REGULATIONS MAY RESULT IN REMOVAL OF ANY EXHIBIT, SHOW OR CONCESSION FROM THE FAIRGROUNDS, AND/OR RESULT IN DENIAL OF FUTURE SPACE.

1. All parties to this agreement shall comply with all pertinent laws, rules and ordinances of the State of Tennessee and the County of Robertson, and the Rules and Regulations governing the Robertson County Fair (RCFA). Such laws, ordinances, rules and regulations are expressly made a part of this agreement.
2. The entire operations of the Fair shall be under the authority and management of the Board of Directors of Robertson County Fair Association. Vendor shall abide by management decisions for the duration of the fair. All decisions made by RCFA's Management are final. Any problems should be brought to the attention of management.
3. This agreement is a license to use a designated space for a specific and limited use, and for only the time specified.
4. Vendor space is subject to relocation if deemed necessary in the sole judgment of the fair.
5. Vendor shall not assign, sublease, or apportion the whole or any part of assigned space unless first obtaining written permission of RCFA. The right to operate a booth on the Fairgrounds is nontransferable and is nonproprietary.
6. In case of acts of God, exigencies of war, threats of terrorism, or an elevated national state of alert due to terrorist acts, or emergencies, or weather conditions necessitating the canceling of this licensed event for the date herein named, the RCFA may cancel this contract and refund any monies paid in advance, with no further liability to Vendor.
7. All property taken into the fairgrounds by Vendor is taken at the Vendor's own risk; RCFA shall not be responsible for any loss due to damage from fire, theft, windstorm, repossession, or from any other cause whatsoever.
8. No permanent structures are to be built. Painting, paneling, papering or other substances may not be put on the walls.
9. All material and equipment belonging to Vendor must be removed from Fairgrounds within one (1) day following closing day. RCFA will not assume responsibility for storing any material or equipment. Items not removed will be considered abandoned and become the property of the RCFA, who shall dispose of them in any manner it deems necessary.
10. Vendors may not engage in activities or demonstrations outside their contracted space. Salespeople will not be allowed to work in the aisles. Signs, decorations, merchandise, or other items must not be placed outside the rented space.
11. All exhibits, booths, decorations, and products may be subject to safety inspections by local authorities.
12. Vendor agrees to keep space free of trash, paper or refuse and shall use containers so designated. At no time shall refuse be placed on ground outside of booth space. This includes set-up, operation, and tear-down. Vendors are responsible for transporting and disposing of refuse in provided containers.
13. No alcoholic beverages are permitted on fairgrounds.
14. All pets must be on a leash and controlled by owner at all times.
15. Unbecoming conduct, which includes nudity or use of profane, obscene and/or abusive or threatening language by Vendor, shall be grounds for termination of Vendor's agreement for use of space and eviction from fairgrounds.
16. The RCFA reserves the right to remove from the Fairgrounds any exhibit, show or concession, or any part thereof, which the RCFA deems objectionable, with no refund to be made.
17. Exhibitors may sell only items that are pre-approved by RCFA's Management. Spot checks will be made for violations.
18. Sound devices of all types are subject to the approval of RCFA's Management. The volume must be controlled so as not to interfere with neighboring booths.
19. The sampling of food shall also be subject to Health Department Regulations and approval of RCFA's Management.
20. Demonstrations, presentations and drawing for prizes are subject to the approval and regulations of RCFA's Management.
21. Vendor expressly waives any claims for damages against RCFA in the event this agreement is cancelled for violation of any of the provisions hereof; Vendor in such case shall not be entitled to any refund of monies paid to RCFA. Vendor waives all claims of whatsoever nature against the RCFA, its officers, employees or agents.

VENDOR AND EXHIBITOR CREDENTIALS

Vendor will receive entrance passes upon full payment of all fees. Gate admission and parking credentials will be available at the Fair Office. Vehicles displaying credentials are allowed on the Fairgrounds only prior to opening and after closing each day of the Fair.

Vendors and employees entering fairgrounds without valid credentials will be charged the full admission price – NO EXCEPTIONS AND NO REFUNDS!

PART 3

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VENDOR APPLICATION

Please Note: This is an application for space and does not guarantee approval until accepted by RCFA Management. Full payment, photographs of your booth, concession, or exhibit (if requested) and copy of your insurance with the Robertson County Fair Association, INC. PO Box 921 Springfield TN 37172 listed as additional insured must be included. Fill in all requested information and supply all attachments. Incomplete applications will not be considered. **(Please print)**

Name of Business: _____

Name of Contact Person: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home/Business Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____

E-mail Address: _____ Fax: () _____

Description of Display: _____

Indoor Spaces – Craft or Commercial Only

All indoor booth spaces are 9 ft wide. No Tents allowed in inside booths.

Quantity / Requirement	Size	Electricity Needed?	Early Fee (Single Space) submitted before 7/31/26	Regular Fee (Single Space) submitted after 7/31/26	Total
	9' W	Y / N	\$150.00	\$250.00	
			Total Indoor Fees	Total Indoor Fees	

Outdoor Spaces – Craft or Commercial Only (Non-Food)

- All Outdoor booth spaces are 20 ft Deep (Front to Back).
- Spaces are sold based upon the amount of booth frontage requested (Left to Right)
- All Frontage Requirements must include any stakes, guy wires, trailers, hitches and/or tongues.
- If tent or trailer will not fit in requested space upon arrival, the additional footage needed will be billed at double the after 7/31/26 rate (if such space is available).
- If additional space is not available, booth fees will not be refunded.
- No signage shall be placed outside the booth boundaries, to include in front of booth in walking paths.

Frontage Requirement In FEET (Left to Right)	Booth Depth (Front to Back)	Electricity Needed?	Water Needed?	Early Fees submitted before 7/31/26	Regular Fees submitted after 7/31/26	Total (Frontage Requirement X Fee per foot)
	20 Feet	Y / N	Y / N	\$15 per foot	\$20 per foot	
				Total Non Food Fees	Total Non Food Fees	

Outdoor Spaces – Food Concession

DO YOU HAVE A PROPANE TANK: YES OR NO

- All Outdoor booth spaces are 20 ft Deep (Front to Back).
- Spaces are sold based upon the amount of booth frontage requested (Left to Right)
- All Frontage Requirements must include any stakes, guy wires, trailers, hitches and/or tongues.
- If tent or trailer will not fit in requested space upon arrival, the additional footage needed will be billed at double the after 7/31/26 rate (if such space is available).
- If additional space is not available, booth fees will not be refunded.
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Frontage Requirement In FEET (Left to Right)	Booth Depth (Front to Back)	Electricity Needed?	Water Needed?	Early Fee submitted before 7/31/26	Regular Fee submitted after 7/31/26	Total (Frontage Requirement X Fee per foot)
	20 Feet	Y / N Amps _____	Y / N	\$35 per foot	\$45.00 per foot	
					Total Food Concession Fees	

Add-ons

Quantity / Requirement	Items	Electricity Needed?	Water Needed?	Fees (Single Space)	Total
___ Wednesday ___ Thursday ___ Friday ___ Saturday	Additional Employee Passes (Maximum TOTAL of 8) (This rate only available if <u>paid with booth fees</u>)	N/A	N/A	\$10.00 each	
___ Unit Length	RV Space and Hook-up No Sewer Available (Limited space available)	Y / N Amps _____	Y / N	\$100.00	
___ Unit Length	Refrigerated Truck Space May not be adjacent to booth (Limited space available)	Y / N Amps _____	N/A	\$75.00	
				Total Add-On Fees	

TOTALS

Total Indoor Fees	
Total Non-Food Outdoor	
Total Food Concession	
Subtotal	
Total Add-ons	
TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED	

Electrical Hook Up: Only one (1) circuit of the noted amperage is assigned to your space unless otherwise stated.

Make Checks Payable to and send information:

Robertson County Fair Association, Inc.
 c/o Booth Rental Committee
 P.O. Box 921
 Springfield, TN 37172

--OR--

Hand Deliver on Saturdays May 16 – August 22
 8 AM – Noon at the Farmer’s Market at the Fairgrounds, except June 27 and July 4.

Booth acceptance is based on the understanding that you will sell only those items listed on your application. You may not sell any additional items without the express consent of the Fair Board. Please call if you have any questions.

AGREEMENT

By signature below, Vendor acknowledges that he has received a complete copy of all parts of the Vendor Packet, and has read all of the terms and conditions, and rules and regulations. Vendor agrees that upon acceptance by Robertson County Fair, Vendor shall be bound for the use and rental of Vendor's space by the Terms and Conditions contained in the Vendor Packet, which includes *Part 1: General Information*, and the restrictions, conditions and procedures; *Part 2: Rules and Regulations*; and *Part 3: Vendor Application form and this Agreement and Waiver*.

WAIVER AND INDEMNITY

As part of the consideration for the acceptance of Vendor's application for rental of space at the Robertson County Fair, located on the grounds of the Robertson County Fair Association, in Springfield, Robertson County, Tennessee, Vendor agrees to save and hold harmless Robertson County Fair ("RCF") and Robertson County Fair Association ("RCFA"), and their agents, officers, directors, and employees, and to defend and protect them at all times and indemnify them against all claims, demands, judgments, awards, fines, penalties, or other assessments, arising out of , or from the use of the space provided to Vendor at the fairgrounds. This includes, but is not limited to, claims for personal injuries, sickness, mental anguish, or death, and claims of personal property damage. This includes reimbursement by Vendor to RCF and RCFA for all attorneys' fees & costs of defending any such claims.

VENDOR'S SIGNATURE

VENDOR, INDIVIDUALLY, AND ON BEHALF OF ANY BUSINESS ENTITY LISTED IN THE VENDOR APPLICATION, HEREBY ACCEPTS THESE TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND AGREES TO BE BOUND UPON ACCEPTANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT BY ROBERTSON COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION

Date _____ Signature _____

Sign and return this form, together with your Full Payment, Certificate of Insurance, and Required Photos.

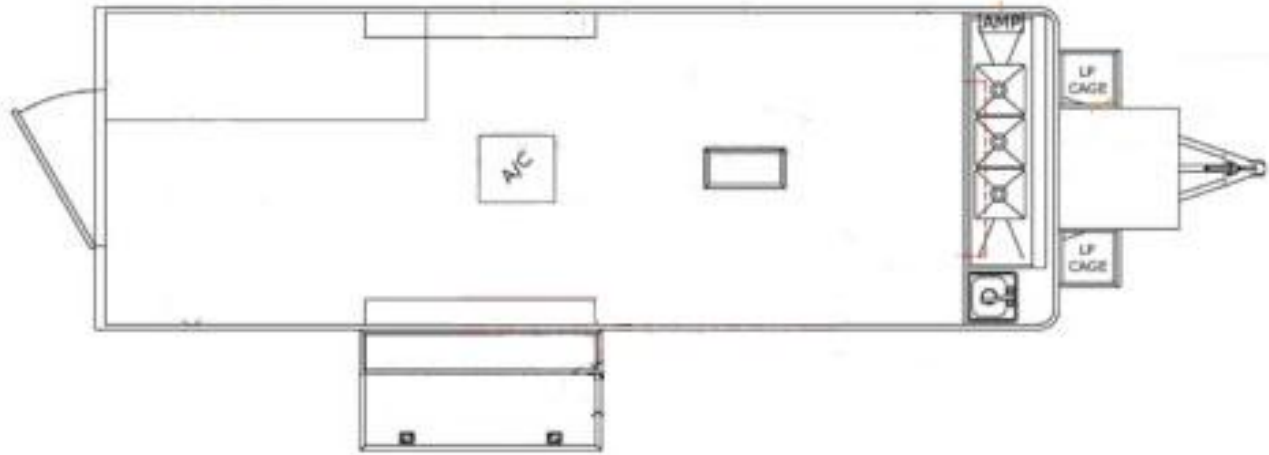
For RCFA use:	Date
Accepted <input type="checkbox"/>	Notice Sent: _____
Denied <input type="checkbox"/>	Notice Sent: _____
You will be informed via email if you are approved or denied.	
YOU WILL NOT BE APPROVED UNTIL PAYMENT IS PAID IN FULL, CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE AND PHOTOS ARE RECEIVED	
Location will be given when you arrive to set up on September 20, 2026, or September 21, 2026	

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Space needed To open ramp or door (If Needed) _____ Feet

Overall Length of Box _____ Feet

Length of Tongue _____ Feet

By signing below, Vendor certifies these to be true and accurate measurements of the concession vehicle they intend to bring to the Robertson County Fair. Vendor also acknowledges that they have read all the terms and conditions set forth in the application and agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions set forth in the application.

Vendor agrees that all awnings, doors, signage, etc. must fit inside the assigned space. Vendor also acknowledges that, if upon arrival the vehicle will not fit in the space allotted due to Vendor supplying incorrect information, the additional space will be billed at double the regular fee per foot for the type of booth requested. Also, if additional space is not available, the submitted vendor fees will not be refunded.

Signature

Date