



Start planning your menus and help bring your German recipes to Main Street! We expect Oktoberfest 2018 to be even bigger and better than last year! Attendance in 2017 was estimated at between 10,000 to 12,000 attendees with the local newspaper guessing at 13,000! All we know for sure is that there was a boatload of people reveling in the celebration!

**Like the past years, Oktoberfest is in the heart of downtown Harrodsburg, primarily on Main Street. A music stage will sit in the intersection of Main Street & Lexington Street with continuous, high-caliber performances throughout the weekend.**

Food Vendors, Food Trucks and wagons as well as area civic groups are welcome to participate in this event. We encourage (but do not require) you to consider selling food items that are traditional Oktoberfest fare, like these:

- ✓ **Chicken:** roast chicken usually served as 1/2 grilled chicken (Hendl)
- ✓ **Pork:** Schweinshaxn/Eisbein (crispy pork knuckle), Schweinsbraten (sliced roast pork) with dumplings and Sauerkraut
- ✓ **Schnitzel Dishes:** served with mashed potatoes and red cabbage
- ✓ **Potatoes:** Dumplings (*Kartoffelklöße*), Potato Pancakes (*Kartoffelpuffer*) or *Potato Salad (Kartoffelsalat)*
- ✓ **Vegetables & Fruits:** Sauerkraut, Red Cabbage (*Rotkraut*); Sweet Apple & Potato Noodles (*Schleizer Bambser*)
- ✓ **Cheese:** Obatzda, sliced Emmental cheese
- ✓ **Breads and Desserts:** Brez'n (Pretzels), Dampfnudel (sweet yeast dumplings), Strudels (apple, cherry, apricot etc.), Gingerbread heart cookies
- ✓ **ALL BRATWURST STYLE SANDWICHES ARE EXCLUSIVELY SOLD BY THE LOCAL LIONS CLUB** - with all funds raised benefitting the local community
- ✓ **We make every attempt not to duplicate what each vendor is selling.** For example, there may be more than one BBQ vendor, but we do ask that each vendor offer something unique in addition to the typical pulled pork sandwich.

**NEW THIS YEAR – ALL BEVERAGES WILL BE SOLD BY HARRODSBURG FIRST MAIN STREET PROGRAM.**

**We made this decision to help make the event sustainable and profitable! NO SOFT DRINKS, WATER OR DRINK OF ANY KIND (INCLUDING BEER) may be sold in individual booths/trucks. Only MAIN STREET RESTAURANTS may apply to the festival committee for permission to sell alcoholic beverages (non-beer).**

There are quite a few internet sites that offer German Oktoberfest recipes. Here are a few links:

<http://www.foodrepublic.com/2012/10/04/our-25-favorite-oktoberfest-recipes/>

<http://teriskitchen.com/oktoberfest.html>

<http://www.tasty-german-recipe.com/oktoberfest-recipes.html>

We also have a few German cookbooks in our office if anyone wants to research recipes!

# Food Vendor & Food Truck Application

Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (provide best number) \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

**All food vendors must obtain a Mercer County Health Department food permit (if applicable). The Health Department will be on site Friday to inspect you and issue approvals. You MUST be on site no later than 2:00 pm on Friday, October 12 to meet this requirement. Questions? Call Kathy Akins 859-734-2229 ext 135.**

**Vendors must collect the 3% restaurant tax that is payable to the Harrodsburg/Mercer County Tourist Commission. The Tourist Commission will provide the forms and will contact you via mail to collect after the event.**

## Menu

Please list all food items you wish to sell during Oktoberfest. German Foods ENCOURAGED

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### Select your food vendor space type:

\_\_\_\_\_ Food Truck or Food Trailer (on street parking)

\_\_\_\_\_ Food Tent or small booth (non-wheeled that can set on the sidewalk or in the street)

\_\_\_\_\_ (initial) I agree to discard of all my trash and to keep my assigned space neat and safe, clear of barriers that would cause festival participants to trip or become injured.

\_\_\_\_\_ (initial) I understand that beverages are exclusively sold by the Oktoberfest Committee.

### Provide the Following:

Electricity Required (circle one)? Yes No If yes, what do you require? \_\_\_ amps \_\_\_ Voltage \_\_\_ # outlets

Space requirements Length of your setup: \_\_\_\_\_ Depth or Width: \_\_\_\_\_

Any other information that we should be aware of before you arrive (parking needs etc.):

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**Entrance Fee:**

Non-Profit Organization	___ \$75.00 by 8/15/18	___ \$125.00 after 8/15/18
Commercial Rate	___ \$175.00 by 8/31/18	___ \$225 after 9/1/18

We anticipate an increase in attendance over last year. Weather permitting; attendance could exceed 12,000 - so plan accordingly to ensure that you do not run out of food.

By submitting this application, I agree to setup and participate all three days weather permitting. Oktoberfest Committee will make any weather announcements on our Facebook Page.

**Submit this form and payment to:**

**HARRODSBURG FIRST OKTOBERFEST | 120 South Main Street | Harrodsburg, KY 40330**



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