



11th Annual Blackstone Wine & Beer Festival

Event will be held at the historic Schwartz Tavern grounds 201 N. High Street Blackstone, VA 23824 on October 24th (rain or shine) from 11:00am -5:00pm.

Cost – Food & Beverage \$60.00 (10x10) Space

Artist/Crafters/Other \$35.00

Registration Deadline – August 15th, 2026

www.BlackstoneWineandBeerFestival.com

Festival Regulations

1. All approved vendors are expected to take part on the above date and must always oversee their booths during the festival.
2. **Set Up & Site** – Vendors may set up from 9:00am-10:45am. Booth must be ready and open no later than 11:00am. Early set up times are available upon request. Please notify event coordinator no later than 5:00pm on Friday (the day before event). Vendors may not break down prior to 5:00pm. No vehicles permitted on grounds from 11:00am-5:15pm. Spaces are 10x10. All vendors are responsible for their own cash tills & point of sale. Vendors are responsible for proper trash disposal.
3. **Application Process** – Spaces are limited and are on first come first served basis. All fees must be attached to this application to be considered. There are no refunds for vendors who cancel. Subletting space to another vendor is prohibited.
4. **Vendor Responsibility** – vendors must provide their own tables, table setting, displays, tents, and chairs. Vendors must keep their area clean and leave the site free from damage and debris. Vendors are responsible for their own booth and spaces. Booths with ABC must be staffed at all times during the festival. Each vendor should hold their own insurances.
5. **Inclement Weather Provisions** – in the case of inclement weather vendors will be moved into the Harris Memorial Armory next to Schwartz grounds. Tents will not be allowed inside the building.
6. **Taxes** – All vendors are responsible for collecting, filing, and paying sales taxes and meals taxes if applicable. Meals Taxes are due the following month on the 20th of each month and should be paid to the Town of Blackstone.
7. **Contractual Agreements** – If, in the case of full event cancelation, this agreement becomes null and void of the date of cancelation. The vendors and the Schwartz Tavern Association and event coordinators shall hold each other harmless. Vendors will receive a full refund of event fee no later than 15 days from cancelation.

8. **Perks** – Vendors will have the opportunity to taste at the festival. And will be provided 2 tickets per booth.

ABC Vendors

1. **ABC List** – Please provide a list of offerings you will have (additional items but be added later) with this application for promotional & advertising purposes.
2. **Tasting** – Tasting vessel will be given to guest at the door.
3. **Purchase** – Beverage vendors are responsible for cups/containers to serve all for sale for onsite consumption. Maximum 5 full drink sales per guest.
4. **Beer & Wine Sampling** – Vendor Discretion. We ask that each booth offer at least 3 Tastings. A standard tasting size is “1-3” oz. We recommend 1-2 oz. pours for samples. We recommend that guest only taste each one of your offerings once. If guest would like a pour by the glass or onsite or offsite purchase than we recommend that.
5. **Onsite Bottle Sales** – For bottle/can onsite consumption sales the bottles/cans must be Opened by the ABC vendor before the guest leaves the booth.

ABC Regulations

1. No outside Alcoholic beverages permitted on premises other than those purchased at the event.
2. Wine & Distillery vendors are permitted to sell sealed bottles for off premises, onsite sales, & onsite mixed beverage sales. Permitted for ABC ON | ABC OFF.
3. Breweries (beer manufactures) may sell beer onsite for onsite consumption but are not permitted to sell for off-site. Permitted for ABC ON only.
4. Any person sampling or purchases ABC beverages must be 21 or older. They must be ID’ed and be wearing a wrist band.
5. Max beverage purchase per individual for on-site consumption (excluding samplings) is 5 full sized beverages. Off-site (ABC OFF) purchases are at the discretion of the vendor.
6. No customer may purchase for Off-site (ABC OFF) and open and or consume those beverages on site.
7. To further assist with rule #6 and to further offer the customer greater service the event will provide each qualifying beverage vendor with Stickers and bags for “gate pick up”. Guest may shop & purchase and have their product packaged and ready at the entrance gate to retrieve when they leave. The event will provide a pickup from your booth every 30 minutes. This is strongly suggested by ABC and event coordinators, however, isn’t a requirement.
8. Anyone who exhibits signs of over intoxication should be cut off completely or until symptoms subside.
9. Vendors and or employees should not be intoxicated while manning their booths.
10. All booths, but especially ACB beverage booths must be always securely manned.
11. Vendors must be properly licensed through ABC.
12. This event is held under a Manufacturer’s Beer/Wine Event License

Application

Make Checks Payable to BWBF, LLC. Mail to: 120 E. Broad street Blackstone, 23824.

Contact Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Phone Number : _____ Email: _____

Website*: _____

- ☐ Please email me an electronic payment form for card / other form of payment to
(email: _____)

I am a

- ☐ Craft / Artisan / Farm Vendor
- ☐ Food / Beverage / ABC Vendor

Website & Marketing

Website: _____

Services or Products Description: _____

Address (if applicable) : _____

Facebook: _____

Insta: _____

TikTok: _____

By signing you have read and agree to festival regulations.

Signature: _____ Date: _____