



Brew Festival Confirmation Form

August 31, 2019

Please complete this form then mail or e-mail to:

Blue Ridge BBQ & Brew Festival
P.O. Box 1500
West Jefferson, NC 28694
info@BlueRidgeBBQBrewFest.com

We are limited to 40 Micro Breweries, 4 Wineries and 6 Distillers

NAME OF BREWERY, WINERY OR DISTILLER

Formal Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Local Contact Name: _____

Local Contact Phone: _____ Cell: _____

E-Mail: _____

Are you bringing the product yourself? (Circle one) Yes No

IF NO - please list below your local distributor:

Distributor Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

PRODUCTS BEING BROUGHT/SHIPPED TO THE FESTIVAL:

Product	Kegs	Cases	Wines	Spirits
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

STAFF WORKING BOOTH

Maximum number allowed is 4 staff persons. Please list shirt sizes needed. Shirts will be ordered for your group at our cost, \$8.00.

If attendees are not on this list by August 30, 2019, they may not be issued credentials.

Name	T-Shirt Size
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____

**Legal Compliance as required by
Blue Ridge BBQ & Brew
The North Carolina Brewers Guild**

Legal Compliance: By signing this form, you understand and agree to comply with document(s) and verbiage **below** outlining legal procedures with respect to the festival.

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____

Printed Name _____

If an out-of-state brewery will be participating:

Out-of-state breweries need to hold a *Nonresident Malt Beverage Vendor Permit*. Out-of-state breweries must comply with all other applicable regulations described herein, as if they were an in-state brewery. All brands sold in North Carolina are required to have a Distribution Agreement Filing Form on file with the ABC, designating a wholesaler authorized to distribute the brand in North Carolina.

**Event Participation Guidelines for
Brewers and Brewery Representative:**

- All products sold, served, or donated in NC must have **Label/Product Approval**. All brands must have a **Distribution Agreement Filing Form** on file with the ABC.
- NC holds a zero tolerance policy on any employee or volunteer drinking any amount while working at the brewer booth. If you are behind a serving table, you will be assumed to be working.
- You will be in violation if you were seen to have been drinking *prior* to your shift at the brewery booth.
- If you are wearing your branded attire, you will be considered “to be working” and not eligible to consume. Once your brewery booth shift is over, you can “unbrand” and become a festival patron and eligible to consume - however, you may not return to work in any function at the brewery booth for the remainder of the event.
- While a brewery employee is allowed to wear branded attire at their nonprofit organization festival booth, if they do, they will be considered working, and a rep for the brewery, and will be held responsible for violations.
- A brewer or brewery representative who is not officially “working” may set-up and take-down their own equipment, as long as they are not participating, or coming in contact with, the service of the product in any way. Within this allowance, the brewer or brewery representative cannot serve any function to their booth aside from equipment set-up and break-down.

- Note that care should be taken not to make test pours available, i.e. setting them on the serving table or jockey box, as this could be viewed as service, and consequently a violation.
- Within this provision, the brewer is advised not to bring attention to him/herself as being intoxicated.
- If you are serving customers, quality control tasting is not allowed. However, if the brewer or brewery representative believes something is wrong (e.g. a compromised keg or line), they should notify an on-site ALE agent and receive permission before taking a quality control sample.
- Do not serve someone who is obviously intoxicated. If you are not comfortable making this call, please ask for event security or police to assist.

Guidelines with Regard to Service to a Minor:

- Zero tolerance policy on serving to minors.
- Any pouring location is considered as a “point of sale” and is subject to all NC ABC/ALE regulations.
- Servers are required to ask for an acceptable form of identification (ID) if they have any suspicion. Acceptable forms of ID are listed below.
 - ◊ This holds true even if it is a 21+ age festival, and ID’s are checked at the gate. Note: wrist-bands are NOT an acceptable form of ID and are not considered proof of age.
 - ◊ If you sell or give a sample to someone under age, without requesting or verifying ID, it will be considered a criminal violation and there is not defense.
- An expired ID must have an accompanying receipt of renewal to be accepted.

Acceptable forms of Identification (ID):

In North Carolina, there are only four acceptable forms of ID you can use to buy alcoholic beverages:

1. **Current Driver’s License** - Currently, when drivers renew their driver’s license in our state, the NC Division of Motor Vehicles provides a paper 20 day driving certificate and then mails the permanent photo ID/Driver’s License to the driver. Drivers are allowed to keep their old license until the renewed license is mailed to them. The temporary, 20-day paper license is considered a valid driver’s license, but the customer should also show their expired license along with the paper certificate when asked for identification.
2. **U.S. Military Identification** - These identifications are green & white with a photograph.
3. **North Carolina Identification Card** - An official State of North Carolina Special Identification (ID) card that has a photograph issued to a person who does not drive.
4. **Official passport** issued by an nation. Passports may be in the booklet or card form.