

44th Annual Mountaineer Folk Festival Crafters Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone (Mobile): _____

Phone (Home): _____

Email: _____

Website or Craft Media: _____

Previous Craft	New Craft	First Time Entrant
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Important: All applicants must submit three photographs of their work. Crafts are required to be 95% handmade. Purchased, relabeled, or non-handcrafted items are not permitted to be sold at this event.

I wish to apply for the following locations:

Previous Location	Circle Drive	Anderson Stage
Gilbert Gaul Patio	Sawdust Path	Snack Bar
Rec Hall	Softball Field	Special Need (detail below)

There is a non-refundable fee of \$50.00 if paid by July 31, 2022 or \$75.00 after August 1, 2022.

(Yes/No) For information release: We need to know if the Friends of Fall Creek Falls State Park can release your information to individuals wanting to get in contact with you about your crafts.

(\$ _____) Amount Enclosed

(_____) Check Number

I agree to participate in all three days of this event

Signature

Mail Application To:
 Ranger Matthew Brown
 Fall Creek Falls State Park
 10821 Park Rd
 Spencer, TN 38585

44th Mountaineer Folk Festival

September 9 -11, 2022

Each year, Fall Creek Falls State Park, in conjunction with the Friends of Fall Creek Falls State Park and the Tennessee Arts Commission, proudly presents a display of the Cumberland Plateau's rich cultural heritage. Traditions which have existed for many decades in the region are expertly demonstrated and performed.

The Mountaineer Folk Festival will take place in the Village Green Area. Official kick off will be Friday, September 9th, at 7 pm CST and will last until 10 pm CST. Saturday September 10th, the hours will be 9am until 10pm. Sunday, September 11th, the hours will be 9am until 5pm.

Fall Creek Falls State Park is in Van Buren and Bledsoe Counties, eleven miles east of Spencer and fifteen miles west of Pikeville. The park may be entered from Highway 111 or Highway 30. For more information on lodging at the Park, please contact Park Headquarters at 1-800-250-8611 or visit the Fall Creek Falls webpage at www.tnstateparks.org/fallcreekfalls . For more information on the festival, call the Betty Dunn Nature Center at 423-881-5708, and ask for Matthew Brown (matthew.brown@tn.gov) or Tommy Solomon. You can also reach out to the Friends of Fall Creek Falls through the email address friends@fallcreekfalls.org or through their website: www.fallcreekfalls.org .

The objective of the Mountaineer Folk Festival is to support the development of arts and crafts in the state of Tennessee. Crafters may only sell original handmade items. All items must be handcrafted by the exhibitor. Mass production work, works made from commercial molds or patterns, items made largely from computer guided equipment, or objects composed largely of commercial mountings will be subject to the discretion of the craft jury.

To apply for display space, please fill out an application form. All crafts will be juried to determine eligibility.

- **All applicants must provide three or more photographs of their craft along with a full description of the work being reviewed. A jury will determine the eligibility based on the photographs submitted. If you display items other than items in your photographs, the jury reserves the right to ask any exhibitor to remove any work it deems unsuitable. There is a non-refundable fee of \$50.00 per 10x10 booth space if paid by July 31, 2021, or \$75.00 per space after August 1, 2021.**
- **All applicants who wish to return to the booth space they occupied in the previous year must submit applications and payment with a postmark date of July 31st or earlier. New vendor booth spaces will be assigned based on space availability after July 31st. After the initial jury process, a letter will include setup times. There will be security on site; however, neither Fall Creek Fall State Park, the Tennessee Arts Commission, nor the Friends of Fall Creek Falls State Park shall be held liable in the event of theft, vandalism, damaged, and/or loss of property.**

The Friends of Fall Creek Falls State Park is a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving the cultural and natural riches of the area. We would greatly appreciate the donation of on craft item for the Friends silent auction which is to be held on Saturday 11th, from 11 am until 3 pm. If you need more information on any aspect of the festival or the Friends of Fall Creek Falls State Park, please call the Betty Dunn Nature Center at 423-881-5708.