



2026 Watermelon Festival

August 7 - August 8

Dear Vendor:

The Knox County Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce the 2026 Watermelon Festival will be held on Friday, August 7th and Saturday, August 8th at Patrick Henry Square, downtown Vincennes, Indiana. Come be a part of a fun-filled, jam packed two-day event! The Watermelon Festival will include something for everyone:

- Farmer's Market
- Queen & Baby Contest
- Free Stage Entertainment
- 5K Run/Walk
- Food & Craft Booths

To participate as a vendor in the Watermelon Festival, you will need to complete the enclosed forms. Please mail or deliver the forms and payment to the Knox County Chamber of Commerce office by July 15, 2026. Register by this date to be added as an official vendor of the festival. Prior to the event, an e-mail will be sent confirming vendor space and details regarding the weekend.

Knox County Chamber of Commerce
ATTN: Watermelon Festival
PO Box 553
Vincennes, Indiana 47591

Thank you for considering being a part of the 2026 Watermelon Festival. If you have any questions, please contact 812-882-6440.

Sincerely,

Michelle Smith

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President

Knox County Chamber of Commerce



2026 Watermelon Festival Vendor Application

Business Name: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Business Contact Name: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____

DAY OF EVENT Contact Information:

Name: _____ Cell: _____

Please check the day(s) you will be attending: _____ Friday, August 7 _____ Saturday, August 8

****Set up for Friday, August 7 begins at Noon and Saturday, August 8 by 8am.

Please have all booths ready on Saturday by 9am. ****

\$60.00 (non-refundable*) for a 12 x 12 booth space. If the space you require is larger than 12 x 12, then you will need to purchase multiple spaces.

_____ Booth Space without electricity _____ Booth Space with electricity
(It is recommended you bring an alternative power source in case of electrical issues)

TYPE OF BOOTH: _____ CRAFTS _____ FOOD _____ GAMES _____ OTHER: _____

SIZE OF BOOTH: _____

ITEM(S) FOR SALE: _____

I, _____ hereby remit \$ _____ for _____ booth space(s) on Friday, August 7 and Saturday, August 8 at the 2026 Watermelon Festival. I have read the terms and conditions of vending as outlined.

Signature of Authorized Representative: _____ Date: _____

2026 Watermelon Festival - Terms and Conditions

1. Vendor space is limited. Vendor applications will be approved and vendor space assigned at the sole discretion of the Knox County Chamber of Commerce. Vendors are encouraged to return the application ASAP. Registration deadline is July 15, 2026.
2. Vendors are 100% responsible for vending operations. This includes ALL applicable permits, insurance, and licensure.
3. It is recommended you bring an alternative power source in case of electrical issues.
4. Food Vendors will need to comply with the Knox County Health Department's guidelines. Contact Tara Hayden at the Health Department by calling 812-882-8080 ext. 8412 for required forms and fees, due *ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE EVENT*. Inspections will be held during the event. If you are a for-profit organization and do not have a permit through the Knox County Health Department, you will have to pay a permit fee. For more information, please contact the Knox County Health Department at 812-882-8080 option 7 or fax 812-882-5625.