



You are invited to participate in the
Appalachian Festival's
Taste of Beckley
Saturday, August 27th, 2016

*Great Promotion for Restaurants - Bring your best cuisine for hundreds to sample and the opportunity to judged as **the area's best!***

Good publicity and fund-raiser for organizations & churches!

Be a part of the 2016 Appalachian Festival and promote your restaurant or organization during **Beckley Events' Taste of Beckley**. As one of several events planned for the multi-day festival, **Taste** will take place on Saturday, August 27th from 5:30 – 8:30 p.m. in Uptown Beckley. The festive block party continues to grow as one of the area's favorite events. This year's entertainment includes – *The New River Jazz Band, Allen Smith Band & 2 Johns*.

Local restaurants and organizations are invited to participate by setting up a booth and selling samples of cuisine. It is recommended that you price individual items at or under \$3.00 and sampler platters for \$6.00 or less because this event is intended to provide attendees an opportunity to sample several dishes. The event is a great way to reach hundreds, promote your establishment, and if you are judged as the best in any of the competition categories, you'll receive an award certificate.

Interested participants should complete the attached registration form and mail to Beckley Events, P O Box 5015, Beckley, WV 25801, fax to 304-256-1816, email to jmoorefield@beckley.org or call 304-256-1776 by **August 11th** so we can include you in festival publicity and provide list of participants to the Health Department.

Beckley Events & the Appalachian Festival's 2016 Taste of Beckley Registration Form

Restaurant / Organization Name _____

Address _____

Contact _____ Phone _____ Fax _____

Email address _____

* Please bring your own table, chairs & covering. You are encouraged to decorate your booth, dress in costume, be festive ... you could win Best Booth! **Set-up time is between 4:00 & 5:00 p.m.** A map with vendor locations will be sent to you.

* Please list the power source you will use:

Note: electrical outlets are limited – plug-in only one or two items per light pole outlet

Gas Grill Chafing Dish Electric Outlet Generator

* Samples for judging will be collected beginning at **5:20 p.m.** Please enter only one dish in each competition category. However, you may bring other dishes to sell. If you know which dishes you plan to bring, please list them:

Appetizer -

Entree' -

Sandwich -

Dessert -

Other dishes you plan to serve but not put in the competition -

Other categories: Most Attractive Booth, Peoples' Choice

* Please follow Health Department rules relative to food temperatures and bring hair restraints, stem thermometers, hand-washing station, gloves, etc.

* Food tables need to be covered by an umbrella or canopy or tent.

* Enclose registration fees: (make check payable to "Beckley Events")

\$15 - non-profit organizations / individuals - must obtain a health permit at Elinor Hurt Health Center on Harper Road (304-252-8531); at least one member of your booth must have a health card.

No charge for Beckley Events Members or Uptown restaurants

\$25 - Other commercial participants

* check here if you are willing to provide a gift certificate for a door prize

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