

38th Annual Brunswick Railroad Days

Saturday, October 2nd and Sunday, October 3rd, 2021

10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Vendor Welcome Packet

This year the City of Brunswick celebrates its 38th Brunswick Railroad Days, an annual two-day festival that takes place the first full weekend of October. We are seeking vendors, entertainers, and non-profit organizations which would like to join us in celebrating all of the great things Brunswick has to offer. From our history as one of the hubs of the B&O Railroad and our past and current connections to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, to the spectacular beauty of the Potomac River and the amazing talent of our local performers, artists, and local business people, there is a lot to get excited about in Brunswick, Maryland! This year, we are also celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the C&O Canal becoming a National Historic Park!

We are seeking a wide array of quality, family-friendly vendors, craftspeople and entertainers to participate in this year's Brunswick Railroad Days. General and railroad/train-themed merchandise, quality handmade and/or homemade arts and crafts including: painting, photography, ceramics, woodworking, textiles, stained glass, candles, jewelry, multi-media, and more will be considered. Organizers are looking to highlight artisans, crafters and demonstrators, such as blacksmiths, weavers, candle makers, and glass-blowers to display their handiwork and demonstrate their craft. Please contact festival organizers to discuss the opportunities available. The festival will include: entertainment, shopping, delicious food, model trains, railroad exhibits, children's activities, and, of course, train rides! Vendors should refer to the Vendor Application for a list of all applicable fees and requirements.

In addition to the vendor fee, vendors are required to submit a separate deposit check for \$65 to be held until the end of the event to ensure participation for the entire event.

Deposit checks will only be cashed if the vendor is not present during the entire event,

including if vendor is not open at the beginning of the event at 10AM on Saturday; if vendor only participates in one day of the event; and/or if vendor shuts down or leaves prior to the end of the event at 5PM on Sunday. Otherwise, the check will be returned to the vendor on Sunday afternoon at the event.

Railroad Days will be held rain or shine

Up to date information and updates regarding the event can be found at www.brunswickrailroaddays.org and on the Brunswick Railroad Days Facebook page.

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To participate in 2021 Brunswick Railroad Days, please complete and return the following by **September 3, 2021:**

- 1) Vendor Registration Packet – Pages: 1-5
- 2) Two (2) photos of your product/display (if applicable)
- 3) Deposit **Check** -- \$65.00
- 4) Vendor Fee – Payable by check or credit card

Return the application, forms, photos (if applicable), **separate deposit check**, and vendor fee payment to:

City Hall

1 W. Potomac Street
Brunswick, MD 21716
ATTN: Railroad Days

You will be notified on a rolling basis by e-mail by September 10, 2021 if your application has been accepted, at which time your payment will be processed.

No applications will be accepted after September 3, 2021.

If you have questions, please contact Lauren Spring at (301) 834-7500 ext.204 or by email at LSpring@BrunswickMD.gov

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