



2025 MARKET ENTERTAINMENT APPLICATION

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Please return this completed application to:

Suffolk Visitor Center
ATTN: Suffolk Farmers' Market
524 North Main Street
Suffolk, Virginia 23434

ENTERTAINMENT CATEGORY: Solo Musician Band Petting Zoo Face Painter
 Balloon Artist Naturalist Education D.J.

Full Name of Applicant (Please Print): _____

Musician/Entertainer Business Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Email: _____

Website: _____

Social Media with @ handle: _____

Emergency Contact (Name and Phone): _____

I would like to be added to the list to receive the monthly Suffolk Farmers' Market E-Newsletter list:
 YES NO

Do you participate in other markets: YES NO If yes, where: _____

Are you a: New Applicant** Returning Applicant

****If you are a new applicant, please complete the W9 attached to this form and return the completed application.**

Number of people that will be performing with you: _____

Please provide a description of the type of music performed/entertainment offered:

Requested fee for four hours of performance/entertainment/engagement: \$ _____ *Depending on performance fee/date/space availability, the average number of appearances per entertainer is up to five times per season.*

2025 SEASON MARKET DATES scheduling is based on the needs of each market. Applicants are not guaranteed a performance at the Suffolk Farmers Market. Place a check next to the date of every Farmers' Market you would like to attend.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> May 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> June 14 | <input type="checkbox"/> July 26 | <input type="checkbox"/> September 6 | <input type="checkbox"/> October 18 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> June 21 | <input type="checkbox"/> August 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> September 13 | <input type="checkbox"/> October 25 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 17 | <input type="checkbox"/> June 28 | <input type="checkbox"/> August 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> September 20 | <input type="checkbox"/> November 1 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 24 | <input type="checkbox"/> July 5 | <input type="checkbox"/> August 16 | <input type="checkbox"/> September 27 | <input type="checkbox"/> November 8 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 31 | <input type="checkbox"/> July 12 | <input type="checkbox"/> August 23 | <input type="checkbox"/> October 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> November 15 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> June 7 | <input type="checkbox"/> July 19 | <input type="checkbox"/> August 30 | <input type="checkbox"/> October 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> November 22 |

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RULES AND REGULATIONS

Please initial next to each "X" identifying that you understand and will abide by all Suffolk Farmers' Market regulations.

I understand the Suffolk Farmers' Market operates 9am to 1pm. Entertainers should arrive by 8:45am and be ready to perform, entertain, and engage by 9am. Breakdown can begin no earlier than 12:45pm.

I understand that scheduling will be based on the needs of the market and musicians/entertainers are not guaranteed a date at the Suffolk Farmers' Market.

I understand musicians/entertainers under 17 must be accompanied by a parent or representative over 21 for the duration of their performance.

I understand the musician/entertainer must provide their own equipment, such as sound systems, power cords, and their own technical support. Electricity, chair, and table are available onsite.

I understand the musician/entertainer is responsible for securing all required licensing rights permitting the use of copyrighted materials prior.

I understand musicians/entertainers that are invited to the farmers market are permitted to collect tips and are only permitted to sell performer's CDs.

I understand musicians performing at the farmers' market must be within the boundaries of the stage space.

I understand that entertainers, other than musicians, are allocated a space on market grounds is at the discretion of the market facilitator.

I understand the market facilitator maintains control of performance volume levels. Lyrics must be appropriate for the farmers' market environment. Use of profanity, adult themes or otherwise disruptive behavior that effects market operations will forfeit future scheduled performances.

I understand that photographs and videos may be taken by the City of Suffolk for promotional purposes. By participating in the Suffolk Farmers' Market, you are granting permission to have photographs and/or videos taken of you.

I understand that the Suffolk Farmers' Market is not a forum for political or religious activities. Entertainers wishing to campaign, proselytize or gather signatures with regard to civic, political or social issues will not be scheduled dates.

I understand that smoking is prohibited inside and around the pavilion, stage area, market grounds or within 100 feet of visitor center grounds.

I understand payment will be provided by check the day of performance.

By signing, I certify that I have read and do agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Suffolk Farmers' Market and that I will provide a family-friendly experience to engage the market attendees. In consideration for receiving permission to participate in the City of Suffolk Farmers' Market, I hereby releases, waives, discharges, and covenants not to sue the City of Suffolk, its agents, employees or officers from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by the vendor, or any of the property belonging to the vendor whether caused by the negligence of the vendor/releases, or otherwise, while participating in such activity, or while in, on or upon the premises where the activity is being conducted.

Print Name: _____ Signature: _____

Date: _____

Approval to perform/entertain/engage at the Suffolk Farmers' Market requires a completed application and approval from the market facilitator.