



MARDI GRAS

in the Spa

HOT SPRINGS, ARKANSAS

Mardi Gras in the Spa – Vendor Application

Event Date: Sunday, February 15, 2026

Location: Bridge Street Entertainment District, Downtown Hot Springs

Thank you for your interest in becoming a vendor at **Mardi Gras in the Spa**! Because space is extremely limited and we anticipate a large number of applicants, all applications will be reviewed for suitability, theme fit, safety, and overall balance of offerings. **No payment is required until your application has been approved.**

We are expecting **1,000–1,500 attendees** for our first year, with the goal of growing this event annually. Vendors accepted and in good standing will receive **first right of refusal** for next year's event.

Vendor Categories & Fees

(Do not submit payment until approved)

- **Food Truck Vendor – \$200**
Limited to 4 food trucks. Food trucks must be fully self-contained.
- **10x10 Vendor Space – \$75**
Vendor must supply their own tent, tables, chairs, and equipment. No electricity is provided.
- **Walk-Around Vendor – \$50**
Mobile vendors selling while walking the area.

Event Setup & Breakdown

- **Setup begins at 7:00 a.m. on event day (Sunday, Feb. 15, 2026).**

- Vendors must remain for the duration of the event.
 - **Breakdown must be completed and all items removed from the premises by 9:00 p.m.**
 - Food trucks may be dropped off Saturday night per city permit adjustments.
 - Vendors must keep their area clean and remove all trash, packaging, and debris.
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Permits & Requirements

All vendors must comply with city and state regulations:

- **City of Hot Springs business permit required for ALL vendors.**
 - **Food vendors must comply with Health Department regulations and will be inspected prior to the event.**
 - Food trucks must follow all city rules regarding grease, wastewater, and fire/propane safety.
 - No electricity is provided. Food trucks must be fully self-contained.
 - Water access is not guaranteed.
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Business Information

Business Name:

Owner / Primary Contact:

Phone:

Email:

Mailing Address:

Website / Social Media (optional):

Vendor Type (Select One)

- Food Truck – \$200
 - 10x10 Vendor Space – \$75
 - Walk-Around Vendor – \$50
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Product / Service Information

Describe what you sell:

Average price range of your products:

How does your business tie into Mardi Gras in the Spa?

Do you plan to offer any Mardi Gras-themed items?

For food trucks:

- Length of truck (including hitch, if applicable):
- Equipment used (propane, generators, smokers, fryers, etc.):

For walk-around vendors:

- Description of how you display/carry your items:

Additional Information

How many staff members will you bring?

Estimated inventory or food output you plan to bring:

Do you utilize any noise-producing equipment? (Fans, generators, blenders, etc.)

Yes

No

If yes, explain:

Do you carry liability insurance?

Yes

No

(Insurance is recommended but not required.)

Photos (Optional but Helpful)

Please attach, if available:

- Photo of booth setup or food truck
- Menu (for food vendors)
- Sample product photos

- Business logo for possible promotional use
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Inclement Weather / Cancellation Policy

Mardi Gras in the Spa is a **rain-or-shine** event.

There are **no refunds** due to weather.

If the city mandates cancellation for safety reasons, any reschedule or credit options will be communicated.

Terms & Conditions

By signing below, you acknowledge and agree that:

- This application does NOT guarantee acceptance.
 - No payment is due until you receive written approval.
 - Vendors must follow all city, county, and state regulations.
 - The event is not responsible for loss, theft, damage, or personal injury.
 - You may be assigned a vendor space based on layout and event needs.
 - Violations of event rules may result in dismissal without refund.
 - Vendors must remain for the full event and complete full cleanup by 9:00 p.m.
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Signature

Printed Name:

Signature:

Date: