

# 7th ANNUAL GRAHAM COUNTY FLAME AZALEA FESTIVAL

# JUNE 8, 2024 10 am to 4 pm VENDOR INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION

#### flameazaleafestival.com

The Flame Azalea Festival was established in 2018 when the Azalea Society of America recognized the town of Robbinsville as an official azalea city.

Graham County, NC is home to a one-of-a kind variety of native flame azalea and the story and beauty of this extraordinary plant inspires celebration! The Hooper Bald flame azaleas have blossoms that can be as wide as 3 and 1/2 inches with the colors of the blossoms ranging from a scarlet red to a brilliant orange to a lemon yellow.

## **FESTIVAL INFORMATION**

This year's festival will be located at the **Robbinsville High School**. Vendors may begin setup Friday after 2 pm; **Saturday setup begins at 7 AM and should be completed by 9:30 AM**. All booths should be kept open until **4 PM**, unless otherwise stated. **Vendors with multiple vehicles** and or trailers please let us know with your registration for special instructions.

#### **VENDOR FEES**

The vendor fee is \$25 per 10 X 10' space or per 10 ft of length for food trucks. All vendors are responsible for their own tables, chairs, displays and tent or cover if desired. **Arts and Craft vendors who are demonstrating will be announced from the stage throughout the day.** Items or activities not conducive to a family festival are not acceptable. The Graham County Travel & Tourism Authority reserves the right to reject any such items or activities at its sole discretion. This is an outdoor festival; please be prepared for inclement weather. We cannot guarantee a pivot to an alternative space in such situations but will courteously communicate with our vendors as quickly as possible if needed.

## **VENDOR PARKING**

To keep traffic clear and flowing vendors will be allowed to unload upon arrival but must park vehicles before setting up tents and booths. Vendors are required to follow parking attendants to vendor parking. All vendors with multiple vehicles or trailers must provide notification with their registration and will receive additional instructions. Food truck vendors will receive special load in and parking instructions. Any vendors needing ADA accommodations must request those at the time of their application.

## **REGISTRATION DEADLINE MAY 24TH**

## FLAME AZALEA FESTIVAL VENDOR REGISTRATION

Mail or return to: 12 N. Main Street, Robbinsville, NC 28771

Attach payment to form, make check payable to Graham County Travel & Tourism Authority.

Telephone: (828) 479-3790 Email Contact: amber.benton@grahamcounty.org VENDOR NAME \_\_\_\_\_ CELL # \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_ALT#\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCT / ACTIVITY Quantity of 10'X10' spaces: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$25 \$\_\_\_\_\_ Fee Waived because of Non-Profit Status Length of Food Truck: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$25 per every 10' (round up) \$ \_\_\_\_\_ • Fee Waived because of Non-Profit Status TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ FLAME AZALEA FESTIVAL LIABILITY WAIVER In consideration of my participation being accepted, I intend to be legally bound, and do hereby for myself, heirs and executors, Waive all rights and claims for damages which may hereafter accrue to me against the Graham County Travel & Tourism Authority, County of Graham, Graham County Schools, all the officials & volunteers of the Flame Azalea Festival, and subsidiary or political division thereof, its or their respective officers, agents, representatives, successors, assigns and sponsors from all claims and liabilities of kind arising out of my participation in this event; even though that liability may arise out of the negligence or carelessness on the part of the person or persons named in this waiver. I have read the above release and understand that I am participating at my own risk. Each participant is responsible to provide their own license, bond & insurance coverage to protect their customers or individuals from any liability incurred from, by, or because of their participation during above mention event. Vendors are responsible for having the appropriate tax identification numbers required by the State of North Carolina and are solely responsible for the collection and remittance of North Carolina sales tax.