

LOWCOUNTRY STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL

FAQ About The 2021 Lowcountry Strawberry Festival

1. What is going to be presented at this year's event?

The Lowcountry Strawberry Festival continues to strive to strike a balance of providing fun exciting attractions and activities with wholesome fun on the farm. As this event has continued to grow, different kinds of entertainment of all shapes and sizes have been added. But it is important to note that at the center of it all has been and will always be...strawberries.

The event will again be divided into three different areas.

FAMILY ATTRACTIONS – This area of the event will again feature the world famous **K-9's In Flight** who will be performing a number of acrobatic dog shows throughout the festival. These shows are fantastic fun and entertainment for people of all ages.

The Family Attractions area will also feature the **All American Petting Zoo**, two of the largest jump pillows in the state, a three story slide tower, playground fun and games, contests and live musical entertainment all through the weekend, vendor displays, and more. There will be pie-eating contests on Saturday at 12pm and on Sunday at 1pm with the winners receiving a \$100 Boone Hall Prize Package. There is no cost to enter these contests. The first 25 contestants to sign up at the event each day will compete. The Mr. John Deere Contest will be presented on Saturday May 1st at 1pm for little boys 3-6 years of age and the Miss Berry Princess Contest will be presented on Sunday May 2nd at 2pm for little girls 3-6. Entry forms for both of these festival favorites can be accessed on the Lowcountry Strawberry Festival event page on our website.

The Family Attractions area of the event will be open during event daytime hours Friday-Saturday-Sunday of the festival until 7PM. This area will not be open on Opening Night Thursday April 29th. There will also be a variety of festival foods available for purchase during normal operating hours on Friday-Saturday-Sunday.

FESTIVAL RIDES will again be part of the event. There will be a number of exciting thrill rides, family rides, and a number of kiddie rides for smaller children. The rides will be operating during all event hours day and night.

U-PICK STRAWBERRES

A schedule of u-pick hours during this year's festival can be see on page 3 of the FAQ.

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2. What are the specifics for admission, ride ticket pricing, and days and hours of operation?

Admission

\$12 - Ages 12 and up

\$8 - Ages 2-11

Children 1 and under admitted FREE with accompanying paid adult admission

Includes admission to FAMILY ATTRACTIONS - FESTIVAL RIDES - U-PICK areas of the event but does not include tickets for any of the rides.

PLEASE NOTE sale of admission tickets to the event will end one hour before closing each night.

Tickets For Rides

SAVE \$5 on All You Can Ride Wrist Bands purchased in advance online at \$20 each

Ride wristbands will be \$25 at the event

(Over \$90 value if tickets for all rides were to be purchased individually)

Includes all rides and attractions except for the pony rides which require a separate ticket purchase.

(Please note that a portion of the proceeds for this attraction will be donated to animal rescue organizations)

Tickets for individual rides also available - \$1.25 each

Number of tickets required for each ride will vary (See list on last page 5 of FAQ)

Event Days and Hours of Operation

Thursday April 29 - 6PM-10PM

Only The FESTIVAL RIDES Will Be Operating On This Day

Family Attractions Area and U-Pick Strawberries Will Not Be Open

FREE ADMISSION THIS NIGHT ONLY With 3 Can Goods that will be distributed to local food banks

Regular Admission Rates Apply Without Can Goods

SAVE ON RIDES!! - All You Can Ride Wrist Bands \$10 - THIS NIGHT ONLY

Friday April 30 - 12PM-10PM

FESTIVAL RIDES Open All Hours - FAMILY ATTRACTIONS Open Until 7PM

Regular Admission and Ride Ticket Pricing Applies

U-Pick fields scheduled to be open 1PM-5PM as long as berries are available

Saturday May 1 - 10AM-10PM

FESTIVAL RIDES Open All Hours - FAMILY ATTRACTIONS Open Until 7PM

Regular Admission and Ride Ticket Pricing Applies

U-Pick fields scheduled to be open 10AM-5PM as long as berries are available

Sunday May 2 - 12PM-8PM

FESTIVAL RIDES and FAMILY ATTRACTIONS Open All Hours

Regular Admission and Ride Ticket Pricing Applies

U-Pick fields scheduled to be open 12PM-5PM as long as berries are available

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3. What are the details about U-Pick strawberries?

U-Pick strawberries will only be available a limited number of hours during the time the festival is open. Days and hours will be as follows as long as berries are available:

Thursday April 29 - Fields closed

Friday April 30 - Scheduled hours - 1PM-5PM

Saturday May 1 - Scheduled hours - 10AM-5PM

Sunday May 2 - Scheduled hours - 12PM-5PM

IMPORTANT: Please be advised that we have no way to know how many people and how many pounds of strawberries will be picked each day of the festival. As a result, if the fields are picked clean of all the ripe berries at any given point prior to the end of scheduled u-pick hours, we will have to close the fields at that time.

U-Pick strawberries will be \$2.49 lb. and for health and safety reasons, purchase of a one gallon bucket for \$2.00 will be required for picking berries.

4. Where is the event located?

The Lowcountry Strawberry Festival is located on the perimeter of Boone Hall Plantation and entrance to the event is located 1/2 mile north of Long Point Road on Hwy. 17 in Mt. Pleasant, S.C.

An address that can be used to enter into Google maps or map software on a smart phone is: 2434 N. Hwy. 17, Mt. Pleasant, S.C. 29464. This address will give directions to the event entrance located on the Boone Hall Farms side of the property.

As is customary for all special events at Boone Hall, parking is FREE.

Please do not go to the main entrance to Boone Hall Plantation at 1235 Long Point Rd. You cannot get into this event from there.

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5. What is the schedule for festival contests and other event activities?

SCHEDULE FOR FESTIVAL CONTESTS TO TAKE PLACE UNDER THE ENTERTAINMENT TENT IN THE FAMILY ATTRACTIONS AREA

Saturday May 1	12PM	Strawberry Pie Eating Contest
	1PM	Mr. John Deere Contest
Sunday May 2	1PM	Strawberry Pie Eating Contest
	2PM	Miss Berry Princess Contest

Please note for the pie eating contests, we will sign up the first 25 people at the event who wish to participate on each of the days those take place. There is no charge to enter the pie eating contests and the winner for each contest will win a \$100 Boone Hall Gift Package.

Times for dog shows, pig races, and live musical entertainment to be posted outside the performance area in the Family Attractions side of the event.

6. Does paid admission to the festival also include admission to tour Boone Hall Plantation?


No. Paid admission to the Lowcountry Strawberry Festival does not include admission to Boone Hall Plantation and vice versa. Paid admission to tour Boone Hall plantation does not include admission to the Lowcountry Strawberry Festival. These are two completely separate venues located on different parts of the property and require separate admission for both venues.

7. Will there be health and safety protocols in place for this year's event?

Yes. Event organizers have developed a COVID-19 response plan in an effort to ensure all who attend enjoy a safe, healthy, day of fun on the farm. This plan can be viewed by clicking the "HEALTH AND SAFETY" button located on the Lowcountry Strawberry Festival event page on the website.

Ride List - 2021 Lowcountry Strawberry Festival

Ride wristbands allow unlimited riding on all rides listed below that will be located in The Festival Rides area of the event. Does not include pony rides. Health and safety protocols will also be in place for the entire Festival Rides side of the event.

<u>RIDE LIST</u>	<u>Boone Hall</u>	<u>2021</u>
		Tickets Required
Spectacular	1 Free Fall	5
	2 Orbiter	5
	3 Polar Express	5
	4 Sky Fall	5
	5 Vertigo	5
Major	6 Elephants	4
	7 Firestorm	4
	8 Starship	4
Front Kiddie	9 Rainbow Rock	4
	10 Frog Hopper	3
	11 Merry Go Round	4
	12 Motorcycles Hampton	3
	13 Quads Hampton	3
	14 Rock n Tug	4
	15 VW Hampton	3
	16 Waverunner Hampton	3
	17 Speedway	3

Number of tickets shown are what is required if choosing to ride select rides individually.
Individual tickets will be available at the event for \$1.25 each.

\$25 - Sheet of 20 \$50 - Sheet of 56

Pony ride tickets will be \$4 each.

The All American Petting Zoo is the company that is presenting this part of the festival for this year and admission to the petting zoo is included with admission to the festival. However, they will also be providing pony rides and these will cost \$4 for each rider. It is worth noting that the pony rides are not included with ride wristbands because the proprietors of The All American Petting Zoo want to take proper care of the ponies and not get them overworked and overheated. Thank you.