

2026



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BAZAAR VENDOR PACKAGE

OCTOBER 18, 2026

Be part of one of Washington, D.C.'s most vibrant cultural celebrations, drawing over **25,000 attendees** for a full day of live music, folk dancing, delicious cuisine, and colorful traditions. As a Bazaar vendor, you'll have the opportunity to showcase your unique products—whether it's handmade crafts, jewelry, textiles, ceramics, or other cultural treasures—to a diverse and enthusiastic crowd. Connect with new customers, share your story, and promote your brand at one of the city's most beloved and award-winning festivals.

TURKISH FESTIVAL

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24th Annual Turkish Festival: Celebrating Turkish Culture in Washington, D.C.

The American Turkish Association of DC (ATA-DC) invites all artists, designers, and vendors of Turkish and Turkish-inspired goods to participate in the 2026 Annual Turkish Festival in Washington, DC.

We are excited to announce that this year's festival will be held on **Sunday, October 18, 2026, from 11:00 AM to 6:30 PM.**

As always, the festival will be a vibrant celebration of Turkish culture, featuring live music, folk dancing, arts and crafts, cultural exhibits, fashion, and more. With thousands of attendees expected, this event provides a fantastic opportunity for you to showcase your handcrafted items, jewelry, textiles, ceramics, home décor, accessories, and other unique products that reflect the rich cultural heritage of Türkiye.

Please review the vendor fee schedule, rules, and guidelines for the 2026 festival below. Space is limited and will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis.

To reserve your space, please complete the online vendor application form and submit your full payment by **September 15, 2026**, using the link provided below.

We look forward to having you join us for this unforgettable celebration of Turkish culture and craftsmanship!



2026 Turkish Festival – Bazaar Vendor Rules & Guidelines

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To ensure a successful and well-organized Bazaar experience, all participating vendors are asked to review and follow the guidelines below:

- **Product Theme:** All items sold must be of **Turkish origin** or clearly reflect a **Turkish theme**.
- **Active Participation:** Only vendors who are **actively presenting and/or selling products** may participate in the Bazaar.
- **Booth Setup:**
 - The Festival Committee will provide **tents, tables, and chairs** for vendors.
 - Vendors may choose between renting a **single table** or a **10' x 10' corner space**, which includes **three tables and two chairs**.
- **Space Selection:** Vendors will be asked to choose their own spot in the order that they submitted their application and paid their fee.
- **Display Requirements:**
 - Vendors must bring their own **signage** and **display materials**.
 - **All tables must be covered**, and vendors are responsible for providing their **own table coverings**.
- Sharp items (e.g., knives, cutters, swords) must be displayed in a case or behind protective glass.
- **Electricity: No electrical outlets** will be available at the Bazaar.
- **Sales Tax:** Vendors are responsible for collecting and paying **DC Sales Tax** on items sold. ATA-DC will submit all vendor names and Tax Identification Numbers to the DC government in advance.

- **Restricted Items:** Vendors are not permitted to sell **Turkey-themed T-shirts**, as ATA-DC reserves the exclusive right to offer these items at the Festival.
- **Service Providers:** Businesses such as **law firms, accountants, travel agencies**, etc., may only participate through **Festival sponsorship**.
- **Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations made **after August 31, 2025, are non-refundable**.

Please note: The Festival Committee reserves the right to disqualify any vendor who fails to comply with these rules.

2026 Turkish Festival – Festival Day Guidelines for Bazaar Vendors

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To ensure a smooth and successful event, please carefully review the following day-of guidelines:

Arrival & Setup

- **Loading/Setup Time:** Vendors must arrive between **9:00 AM and 10:00 AM** to access the festival site for setup.
- **Late Arrival Policy:** Vendors arriving **after 10:00 AM will forfeit their space** without a refund.
- **Setup Deadline:** All tables and displays must be fully set up by **10:45 AM**. The Festival opens to the public at **11:00 AM** sharp.

Festival Site Access

- You will receive a **vehicle access permit** prior to the event.
- Please **display the permit clearly on your car's dashboard** to enter the site for unloading.
- **Unloading must be completed by 10:00 AM**. After that time, **no vehicles will be allowed** on Pennsylvania Avenue.
- You must park your vehicle in a nearby public parking facility after unloading.

Your Vendor Space

- **A label/tag will be placed on your assigned table(s)** to designate your reserved space.
- **Changing spaces is not permitted.**
- **Signage:** You are welcome to bring your own signage and branding materials.
- **Display Tips:** Because space behind tables may be limited, consider using **table-top displays** or **freestanding racks**.
- **Table Covers:** ATA-DC will provide **table coverings** for all vendor tables.

Dismantling & Load-Out

- Vendor booths will begin dismantling around **7:15 PM**, coordinated by the company providing the tents and tables.
- Please ensure your items are packed up promptly and your space is left clean.

Bazaar Space Rental Fees:

Space Type	Fee
Table (~3ft x 6ft) There will be 3 feet space between tables	\$420 per table
10ft x 10ft space It will be on a corner section of the tent and include three tables and two chairs	\$670 per space

Application Form:

Please click [HERE](#) to fill out the Turkish Festival Bazaar Application Form.

After receiving your application, the Turkish Festival coordinators will confirm your space and ask you to submit your payment.