

Special Event FAQ Information for Wineries, Breweries and Distilleries

Type of Special Event	>Beer Only >Wine and Cider Only >Beer, Wine, and Cider	Private Fair and Festival Special Event (Liquor, wine, cider, and beer)	Multi-vendor Fair and Festival Special Event (Liquor, wine, cider, and beer)
Who can sell/serve alcohol by the drink?	The license holder can sell and serve beer and/or wine or cider by the drink/glass, when licensed accordingly.	The license holder can sell and serve liquor, wine, cider, and beer by the drink/glass.	Only the license holder can sell and serve liquor, wine, cider, and beer by the drink/glass.
Can Farm Wineries/ Wineries sell and serve alcohol at a wine event?	<p>Wineries and farm wineries can attend the event. They may offer sealed bottles of wine or cider for off-premises consumption, conduct complimentary tastings of wine or cider, or sell samples not to exceed 6, 3 oz. tasting or samples.</p> <p>Wine may be sold/served by the glass, by the bottle with a glass when patrons consume by the glass (patrons cannot consume directly from the bottle) for on-premises consumption.</p> <p>Any wine or cider sold is pursuant to an agreement with the license holder. The winery or farm winery may only sell wine manufactured by them.</p>	<p>Wineries and farm wineries can attend the event. They may offer sealed bottles of wine or cider for off-premises consumption, conduct complimentary tastings of wine or cider, or sell samples not to exceed 6, 3 oz. tasting or samples.</p> <p>Wine may be sold/served by the glass, by the bottle with a glass when patrons consume by the glass (patrons cannot consume directly from the bottle) for on-premises consumption.</p> <p>Any wine or cider sold is pursuant to an agreement with the license holder. The winery or farm winery may only sell wine manufactured by them. * See note below.</p>	<p>Wineries and farm wineries may attend the event if a multi-vendor special event license is obtained.</p> <p>If the farm winery holds a tasting license and has been approved by the WVABCA to attend the event, they may sell sealed bottles of wine or cider for off- premises consumption and offer complimentary samples of wine. Wineries may also attend the event and sell sealed bottles of wine or cider for off- premises consumption and offer complimentary samples of wine.</p> <p>Samples cannot exceed 3, 2 oz samples per person per day. They may <u>not</u> sell alcohol by the drink/glass under their Winery or Farm Winery license.</p>
Can Breweries/ Resident Brewers sell and serve alcohol at the event?	<p>No, unless they are the special event license holder and then they can only sell beer and/or wine by the drink/glass, as licensed. They may <u>not</u> sell sealed bottles of beer for off-premises consumption nor offer samples.</p>	<p>Brewers and resident brewers can attend the event. They may sell sealed beer for off-premises consumption, offer complimentary samples, and offer samples for sale. Samples may be up to 2oz per person and cannot exceed 10, 2oz samples per person per day.</p> <p>Nonintoxicating beer may be sold by the glass or drink, by the bottle or can for on-premises consumption. The brewer or resident brewer may only sell nonintoxicating beer that has been manufactured by them in West Virginia.</p> <p>Any nonintoxicating beer sold is pursuant to an agreement with the license holder. * See note below.</p>	<p>Breweries cannot sell sealed beer for off-premises consumption, nor can they offer complimentary samples. A brewery can only apply to be a vendor on the multi-vendor license to sell alcohol by the drink/glass.</p>

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<p>Can distilleries, mini distilleries, and micro distilleries sell and serve alcohol at the event?</p>	<p>No, unless they are the special event license holder and then they may only sell beer and/or wine by the drink only, as licensed. They may <u>not</u> sell sealed bottles of liquor for off premises or on premises consumption nor offer samples.</p>	<p>Distilleries can attend the event. They may sell sealed bottles of liquor for off-premises consumption, offer complimentary samples and sell samples of liquor.</p> <p>Samples cannot exceed 6 oz per person per day and can be straight liquor or include nonalcoholic mixers. For example, three 2 oz samples of liquor that may contain a nonalcoholic mixer in addition to the liquor volume, one sample made by mixing 2 separate 3 ounce pours of the same or different liquors, one 6 ounce sample of straight liquor, two 3 ounce samples of liquor straight, or two 3 ounce samples with 1.5 oz of 2 different liquors per sample.</p> <p>Liquor may be sold by the drink or glass, for on premises consumption. No on premises consumption liquor bottle sales are permitted. The distillery, mini distillery or micro distillery may only sell liquor that has been manufactured by them in West Virginia.</p> <p>Any liquor sold by distillery, mini distillery, or micro distillery is pursuant to an agreement with the license holder.</p> <p>* See note below.</p>	<p>Distilleries <u>cannot</u> sell bottles for off-premises consumption or give away samples. A distillery can only apply to be a vendor on the multi-vendor license to sell alcohol by the drink/glass.</p>
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