



Frequently Asked Questions

As NAS Jacksonville and our community partners prepare to celebrate the Navy's birthday and Oaks Fest activities, we are providing information and guidance to ensure a great event. Please see the list of FAQs below for attendees.

Q: Is Oaks Fest really "FREE"?

A: YES! The concert, kid's zone and demo day events are free. However, food and drink will be available for purchase. You can also take advantage of our VIP seating and dinner by purchasing tickets at the golf course pro shop, \$25 for adults and kids 11+ and \$12 for kids 10 and under.

Q: Who can attend Oaks Fest?

A: All DoD ID cardholders and sponsored guests are invited to attend. This is not an open base event.

Q: Do we have to register to attend?

A: No. Registration is not required.

Q: Is seating available?

A: The only available seating is in the VIP area with a paid ticket. We recommend bringing your own chairs and blankets. The event is taking place in a partial grassy and concrete area.

Q: Will there be a dress code at the event?

A: No. However, this is an outdoor event in the fall, so dress comfortably. Please remember this will be a family-friendly atmosphere.

Q: Is parking available?

A: Yes. There will be parking at the golf course bldg. 809. Once that lot is full, we ask participants to park in the overflow area across the street. Please look for the parking signs and follow directional event signs upon entering both gates.

Q: Will I need cash?

A: MWR's beverage & beer tent and all food trucks are cash and credit card friendly. The band merchandise tents will likely be cash-only. We highly recommend carrying both.

Q: Will alcohol be served?

A: Yes, and we want all guests to have a great time. Event bar sales will end promptly at 8 pm. Please drink responsibly.

Q: What about strollers and diaper bags for those with small children?

A: Strollers will be allowed for caretakers of small children. The same applies to diaper bags, as long as they do not exceed 12"x 6"x 12" dimensions. Subject to security screening on-site.

Q: Will restrooms be available at the event?

A: Yes, restrooms will be located on the far right of the entrance near the parking lot.

Q: What is not permitted at the event?

A: Pets, coolers, glass bottles, containers, backpacks and contraband (including box cutters or other sharp objects) are **STRICTLY PROHIBITED**. No outside food and drink permitted on-site. No fireworks. Please do not interact with any wildlife.

Q: Anything else?

A: Yes. Please use caution while driving. There will be increased traffic and parked vehicles. We hope you enjoy the great Oaks Fest event!