

SENIOR GAMES

Johnston County

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Ages 50 & Better Can Participate | Entry Deadline: February 28, 2026

2026 Registration Packet

Sporting Events

Basketball Shooting
Billiards
Bocce
Bowling
Cornhole
Disc Golf
Football Throw
Golf
Horseshoes
Mini Golf
Pickleball
Shuffleboard
Softball Throwing
Swimming
Track & Field Events
Tennis



Heritage Arts

Basket Weaving
Crochet
Jewelry
Knitting
Needlework
Pottery
Quilting
Stained Glass
Weaving
Woodcarving
Woodworking
Woodturning



Visual Arts

Acrylics
Drawing
Oil
Pastels
Photography
Sculpture
Watercolor
Mixed Media



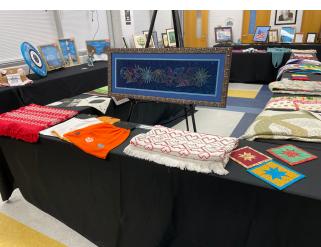
Performing Arts

Cheerleading
Comedy/Drama
Dance
Instrumental
Line Dance
Vocal



Literary Arts

Poetry
Short Stories
Life Experience
Essay



CONTACT INFORMATION

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In 1983, Senior Games began with a vision for North Carolinians 50 years of age or better to be more active, to learn new skills, to renew old talents, to live better and healthier, and to have more FUN! Today, there are over 60,000 participants in 53 local games programs that serve all 100 counties across the state. This program is sanctioned by North Carolina Senior Games, Inc. and is sponsored statewide by the North Carolina Division of Aging and Adult Services.

The Johnston County Senior Games (JCSG) and SilverArts are celebrating their 38th year for fun and fitness as well as celebrating you! Our program relies heavily on the generosity of the individuals and businesses in our community to sponsor our efforts. We would like to thank all of our donors and sponsors for their continued support of our local Senior Games program.

Coordinating Agencies



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General Information

Eligibility Information

Johnston County Senior Games is open to all Johnston County or any surrounding county residents who are 50 years of age or better by December 31, 2026. A participant must be a North Carolina resident for a minimum of three (3) consecutive months of the year.

Men and women compete in separate categories in the following five year age group:

50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75-79
80-84	85-89	90-94	95-99	100+	

Entry Fees

\$20 (Paper Form) / \$15 (Online) includes t-shirt, medal, Kick-Off Celebration & Opening Ceremonies lunch, SilverArts Showcase and Gala dinner, and participation in **UNLIMITED** Athletic/SilverArts events. Bowling, Golf, and Mini Golf have additional fees. If you'd like to bring a guest to the SilverArts Showcase and Gala featuring the SilverArts Follies, you can purchase one additional ticket at registration.

Registration Process

Save money by registering online at <https://torch.ncseniorgames.org/>, or submit the signed entry form and payment by 5 PM on Friday, February 28, 2026. **No late registration will be accepted.**

Mail the completed form to:

Johnston County Senior Games
111 E. Second Street
Clayton, NC 27520

Refunds

All refund requests must be submitted in writing no later than March 13, 2026. No refunds will be processed after this date. A \$5 processing fee is non-refundable.

Confirmation Letters

Entry confirmation letters will be emailed to each participant by March 2, 2026 (Please check email spam/junk message folders). It is the participant's responsibility to check for any errors in event choice and event partner listings. Email Joni Hubble-Zeneberg at jzeneberg@townofclaytonnc.org with corrections by Wednesday, March 4, 2026.

Local Games Are for Everyone!

Safety and sportsman-like conduct are paramount. Johnston County Senior Games officials have the authority to disqualify and/or remove anyone who exhibits inappropriate behavior or a condition of medical concern.

We request that every participant consult his/her doctor in regard to preparation for, and competition in, Senior Games or any similar activity. To promote total health and physical fitness, events of longer duration and lower intensity are strongly recommended. High-intensity types of activities are offered primarily for the conditioned, trained athlete.

Rules

All events will be conducted in accordance with the 2026 Edition of the North Carolina Senior Games Inc. Official Rule Book. Rules for all events are available at www.ncseniorgames.org or by contacting any of the local coordinating agencies.

Inclement Weather Plans

Plan for all types of weather! Please check with event managers for changes in schedules. JCSG reserves the right to change tournament format or postpone and/or cancel events in case of inclement weather. Schedule changes will be posted at the venue, JCSG Facebook page, or a participant can call 919-553-1550 for updates.

Medal/Ribbons

Each participant will receive a medal.

In athletic events, top finishers in each age group (male and female) will receive gold, silver, or bronze pins to attach to their medal. Pins will be awarded onsite after each day's events.

In SilverArts, top finishers in each sub-category will receive blue, red, or white ribbons. Ribbons will be awarded at the SilverArts Showcase and Gala dinner on Thursday, May 7, 2026, where winning artists will be recognized. ALL participants and a guest are invited to attend, but an RSVP is required by February 28, 2026.

State Finals Eligibility

State Finals qualification criteria returns to pre-covid standards with the exception of open events. The full qualification policy is as follows:

- The top three male and female qualifiers in each official North Carolina Senior Games sport/event in each age category will be eligible to participate in State Finals, including Bowling.
- Golfers must meet a minimum performance score (MPS) and finish first, second, and third to qualify.
- All participants who complete a Local Games Fun Walk, Football Throw, Softball Throw and Basketball Shooting will qualify.
- Teams: The first, second, and third place teams for each team/sport/age category will qualify.
- In SilverArts, each Local Games may qualify:
 - a) One entry in Performing Arts and the Cheerleader Showcase.
 - b) First and second place in each Literary Arts sub-category, provided the places are not won by the same artist.
 - c) First, second and third place entry in each Visual Arts and Heritage Arts sub-category, provided the places are not won by the same artist (i.e. only one entry by the same artist per sub-category).

National Senior Games

The National Senior Games are held every two years. 2026 will be the qualifying year for the National Games to be held in Tulsa, Oklahoma, in 2027. For more info, visit nsga.com.

Athletes Information

Doubles Events

For events requiring a partner, all team members must be registered Johnston County Senior Games participants, as indicated on the Registration Form. JCSG does not assign partners.

Partners may play down to a younger age group, with the younger player's age determining the group. Each player can only compete in one age group per event. The deadline to change partners is the cancellation deadline; no changes can be made at the event.

Event Check-In

Participants must arrive at the event site 30 minutes before the event begins or your scheduled event time. When you arrive, please check in with the event manager. A photo ID is required. **Start time is forfeit time.**

Golf

Participants are required to supply their clubs and balls. Golfers may indicate those with whom they would prefer to be paired by emailing the local coordinator. Depending upon participation, golfers may be paired with others by age category.

Pairings at the event start are final. Golfers may also be given a tee time instead of a "shotgun" start.

Online Partner Entry

The second partner to register can choose their partner with online entry. The first partner to register in a partnered event will not be able to indicate the other partner's name. After one partner registers for a partnered event, the next partner will be able to select the desired partner and the two will be linked.

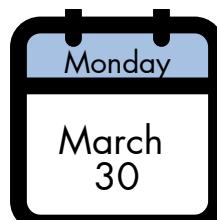
State Finals Partners

Participants may substitute a partner if the qualifying partner from Local Games is unable to attend State Finals. The substitute must have qualified in that event to be eligible to participate in State Finals.



2026 Schedule of Events

Subject to change as needed



Disc Golf | 9:30 AM

March 30

East Clayton Community Park
1774 Glen Laurel Road
Clayton, NC 27527



Open Ceremony | 10:30 AM

Fun Walk | 11:00 AM

March 31

Lunch | 11:30 AM

Football Throw | 12:30 PM

Softball Throw | 12:30 PM

Municipal Park
325 McCullers Street
Clayton, NC 27520



Bocce | TBA

April 1

Clayton Community Center
715 Amelia Church Road
Clayton, NC 27520



Track Events | 8:30 AM

April 7

(400 Meter Run, 100 Meter Dash,
800 Meter Run, 1500 Meter Power
Walk, 50 Meter Dash, & 200
Meter Dash)

Long Jump & Shot Put | 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Discus Throw | 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Smithfield-Selma High School
700 M Durwood Stephenson Pkwy,
Smithfield, NC 27577



Bowling Doubles | 1:00 PM

April 13

Rainbow Lanes
850 Veterans Pkwy
Clayton, NC 27520



Swimming | 9:30 AM

Basketball Shooting | 2:00 PM

April 14

SRAC
600 M. Durwood Stephenson Pkwy.
Smithfield, NC 27577



Shuffleboard | TBA

April 15

Clayton Community Center
715 Amelia Church Road
Clayton, NC 27520



Pickleball Doubles | TBA

Tennis Singles | TBA

April 16

Clayton Community Center
715 Amelia Church Road
Clayton, NC 27520



Bowling Singles | 1:00 PM

April 20

Rainbow Lanes
850 Veterans Pkwy
Clayton, NC 27520



Pickleball Singles | TBA

April 21

Nance Park
601 E Hill Street
Benson, NC 27504

Horseshoes | TBA

Benson Civic Center
1204 N Johnson Street
Benson, NC 27504



2026 Schedule of Events

Subject to change as needed



Bowling Mixed Doubles | 1:00 PM

Rainbow Lanes
850 Veterans Pkwy
Clayton, NC 27520



Mini Golf | 11:00 AM

Frankie's Fun Park
11190 Fun Park Drive
Raleigh, NC 27617
*Raindate: Friday, May 1



Billiards | 11:00 AM

Cleveland Draft House
461 Shotwell Road
Clayton, NC 27520



SilverArts Drop-Off Artwork

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
2:00 PM – 6:00 PM

SRAC

600 M. Durwood Stephenson Pkwy.
Smithfield, NC 27577



Pickleball Mixed Doubles | TBA

Smithfield Community Park
600 M. Durwood Stephenson Pkwy.
Smithfield, NC 27577



SilverArts Showcase | 4:00 PM

SilverArts Performance

Showcase & Gala | 4:30 PM

SRAC

600 M. Durwood Stephenson Pkwy.
Smithfield, NC 27577



Cornhole Mixed Doubles | TBA

Cornhole Doubles | TBA

Clayton Community Center
715 Amelia Church Road
Clayton, NC 27520



Cornhole Singles

Clayton Community Center
715 Amelia Church Road
Clayton, NC 27520



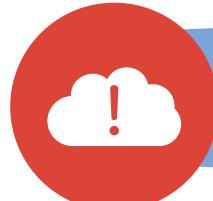
Golf | 9:00 AM

Country Club of Johnston County
694 Country Club Rd
Smithfield, NC 27577



5K Run | 9:00 AM

Run the Branch at Municipal Park
325 McCullers Street
Clayton, NC 27520



Inclement Weather Plans

For the latest on schedule changes during JCSG, please call (919) 553-1550 for event updates and information.

SilverArts Rules & Information

SILVERARTS SHOWCASE

Drop off art at the Smithfield Recreation and Aquatic Center on Tuesday, May 5, between 9-11 AM or 2-6 PM. For other arrangements, call Tiffany Pearson at (919) 934-2148. The exhibit runs until 6:30 PM on Thursday, May 7. Artists must pick up their work **AFTER** the SilverArts Performance Showcase & Gala dinner on May 7, from 4:30 - 6:00 PM.

Limit of 3 pieces per sub-category

Prohibited Items

- No Kits, i.e. Diamond Art, Latch Hook, anything that is pre-designed/pre-cut or commercially produced.

VISUAL ARTS

Sub-Categories: Acrylics, Drawing, Mixed Media 2D, Mixed Media 3D, Oil, Pastels, Photography, Sculpture, Watercolor

- All artwork, except free standing pieces, must be framed (or gallery wrapped), securely wired, and ready to be hung (no serrated hooks or string). Artwork, not properly wired will not be displayed.
- Artwork, except free standing pieces, can be no larger than 36" x 42", including matting and frame.
- Free standing pieces may be Sculpture, Mixed media & Digital Art.
- Freestanding entries must be able to be displayed in an area 3' (W) x 3' (L) x 4' (height).
- Entries can be no heavier than 50 pounds.
- Groupings (sets) may have no more than 3 pieces per grouping (set).
- Photography film or digital - determined by the medium on which the image is recorded.
- Artists, or their representatives, are responsible to deliver and pickup their entry at/during the designated times.
- If on-site assembly is required, details must be specified on the Information Form for NCSG prior approval.
- The art piece must be an original work, not a print.
- Artist's name and title of entry must appear on, or be attached to, entry for identification.

- Artist must submit a photo of entry when registering online or with State Finals Entry Form and SilverArts Information Form. Photos cannot be returned.
- An artist may only submit one (1) entry per sub-category at State Finals.

HERITAGE ARTS

Sub-Categories: Basket Weaving, Crocheting, Jewelry, Knitting, Needlework, Quilting (Hand-stitched & Machine stitched), Stained Glass, Tole/Decorative Painting, Pottery (Thrown & Hand built), Weaving, Woodcarving, Woodturning, Woodworking

- Entries must be the work of the individual and not a group.
- Heritage Art entries must be an original work. Patterns may be used, but no stamped pieces will be accepted.
- Pottery must be hand built or thrown.
- Entries from ceramic molds will not be accepted.
- All framed entries must be securely wired, ready to be hung (no serrated hooks or string). Two-dimensional work not properly framed and wired will not be displayed.
- Framed entries can be no larger than 36" x 42", including matting and frame.
- All entries, except framed work, must be able to be displayed in an area 3'(W) x 3'(L) x 4' (Height).
- Entries can be no heavier than 50 pounds.
- Groupings (sets) shall have no more than 3 separate pieces per set. All objects within each piece of the set must be contained within or attached to one of the 3 pieces of the set.
- Artist's name and title of entry must appear on, or be attached to, entry for identification.
- Artist must submit a photo of entry when registering online or with State Finals Entry Form and SilverArts Information Form. Photos cannot be returned.
- Artists, or their representatives, are responsible to deliver and pickup their entry at/during the designated times.
- The heritage arts entry entered at State Finals must be the same entry that won at the Local Games.
- An artist may only submit one (1) entry per sub-category at State Finals.

SilverArts Rules & Information

LITERARY ARTS

Sub-Categories: *Essay, Life Experience, Poem, Short Story-Fiction*

- All Essay, Life Experience, and Short Story entries must be typed, double-spaced on 8-1/2 x 11 paper, and have a minimum of 1" margins. A minimum font size is 10-pt type (preferably "Times New Roman or Arial"). Essays, Life Experiences, and Short Stories can be no longer than 8 pages.
- Poetry entries must be typed, on 8-1/2 x 11 paper, and have a minimum of 1" margins, but double spacing is not required. (Appearance must support and contribute to the meaning of the poem and its impact.) A minimum font size is 10-pt type (preferably "Times New Roman or Arial"). Poems can be no longer than 40 lines.
- All entries must have a title page, which includes title of entry, sub-category, and name of artist.
- Artist's name must not appear on the content pages.
- A display-quality copy of the winning Literary Arts entries must be submitted upon registration. Online copies must be in a pdf format. Mailed copies should have one original and two additional copies with their official State Finals Entry Form and SilverArts Information Form. No framed or matted entries will be accepted.
- The original and all copies will be retained by NCSG.
- The literary arts entry entered at State Finals must be the same entry that won at the Local Games.
- An artist may only submit one (1) entry per sub-category at State Finals.

All entries must be received by February 28, 2026.

PERFORMING ARTS SHOWCASE

Sub-Categories: *Comedy/Drama, Dance, Instrumental, Line Dance & Vocal*

- An artist may only have one (1) entry per size of act in each sub-category.
- Performing entries are limited to three (3) minutes of on-stage time. Exceeding the time limit will result in automatic disqualification. Timing is the performer's responsibility and begins with the first note of music or the first movement visible to the audience and ends with the final note of music or movement of the act.
- Performing entries may be one of the following: a) soloists, b) small groups (2 - 4 performers), or c) large groups (5 or more performers). Accompanist(s) will not be counted to determine size of act, but no one under age 50 as of Dec. 31st will be permitted on stage and an accompanist must be a registered participant.
- At State Finals, all performers for all acts must enter and exit stage left or begin and end on the stage. See the stage diagram.
- At State Finals, if recorded music is used, it must be an mp3 file (submitted electronically or on a flash drive, CD's cannot be accepted). Music must be submitted with online registration or sent with the State Finals Entry Form and SilverArts Information Form. No recorded instruction is permitted. This should be the only track on the flash drive or electronic file. Music may be picked up following the performance. It cannot be mailed/returned.
- At State Finals, NCSG can provide the following items: chairs, microphone(s), piano and sound system. The act is responsible for all other props and equipment and must get NCSG advance approval for use at Show. Props must be small, few, light-weight and easy to set up quickly.
- Voice presentations must be a live performance by the artist. Background music can be recorded. Lip-synch is not permitted in any vocal category.
- The group leader, who must be a participant, must complete the SilverArts Information Form for the group and submit it with their State Finals online registration or Entry Form and each member of the group must submit their own personal State Finals Entry Form by the August 1st deadline.
- The performance at State Finals must be the same performance that won at the Local Games; (i.e. same song, dance, music, etc.)
- No live animals are allowed, except for service animals.

REGISTRATION FORM



Before you submit the Registration Form, make sure you:

- Complete required forms, including signature and date as indicated, partner names for doubles events, etc.
- Check ALL the EVENTS in which you want to participate.

Name: First Middle Initial Last First-Time Participant: Yes No

Mailing Address:

E-Mail: Phone:

Date Of Birth: Gender: Male Female
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T-shirt Size: S M L XL 2XL 3XL No Shirt **-(No Exchanges)**

I plan to attend the SilverArts Showcase & Gala (Free): Yes No

My Ethnicity: Black or African American Asian American Indian or Alaska Native White
 Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander Hispanic Unknown/Refused

Emergency Contact Name: Emergency Contact Number:

LIABILITY WAIVER

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the 2026 Johnston County Senior Games (JCSG) Athletic/SilverArts program, as well as related events and activities, I, the undersigned participant agree to the following:

- Indemnify, save and hold harmless, the Johnston County Senior Games or any of their agents or representatives for my health, safety, or any injury resulting from my participation in the Games.
- Have prepared myself for the events which I have entered by practicing prior to the Games. To the best of my knowledge, I have no physical restrictions which would inhibit my participation in the Games. The JCSG has advised me that it would be in my best interest to consult my physician prior to my participation in the games. JCSG has my permission to have a physician attend me if it is deemed necessary during my participation.
- I grant the JCSG the free and unrestricted right to use my name and/or photographs in any publicity for or photographic account of the Johnston County Senior Games.
- Organizations and users of Johnston County facilities and/or programs do so at their own risk.
- I understand that it is my responsibility to check with my local Senior Games Coordinator immediately following my local Senior Games to determine if I qualified for State Finals and to get a State Finals Entry Packet if I do not have internet access. My State Finals Entry Form must be received in the NCSG office in Raleigh by 11:59 p.m. on August 1st. I understand that this deadline is strictly enforced in fairness to all and it is my responsibility to make sure I am registered.

Participant Signature _____ Date: _____

EVENT REGISTRATION FORM



Name: _____

First

Middle Initial

Last

Basketball Shooting

Cornhole Singles (N)

Basketball

Team Name: _____

Disc Golf (N)

Pickleball Doubles (N)

Partner: _____

Billiards (N)

Discus Throw (N)

Pickleball Mixed Doubles (N)

Partner: _____

Bocce

5K Run

Pickleball Singles (N)

Bowling Doubles (N)

Football Throw

Shot Put (N)

Partner: _____

Fun Walk

Shuffleboard (N)

Bowling Mixed Doubles (N)

Golf (N) Foursome Request:

Softball Throw

Partner: _____

Tennis Singles (N)

Bowling Singles (N)

Horseshoes

(N) = National Events

Cornhole Doubles (N)

Running Long Jump (N)

Bold - Tournament Format

Partner: _____

Standing Long Jump

Cornhole Mixed Doubles (N)

Mini Golf

Track Events (N) - 5 Events Max/Person

50 Meter Dash

100 Meter Dash

200 Meter Dash

400 Meter Dash

800 Meter Run

1500 Meter Power Walking

Swimming Events (N) - 6 Events Max/Person

50 yd Backstroke

100 yd Backstroke

200 yd Backstroke

500 yd Freestyle

50 yd Freestyle

100 yd Freestyle

200 yd Freestyle

100 yd Individual Medley

50 yd Breaststroke

100 yd Breaststroke

200 yd Breaststroke

200 yd Individual Medley

50 yd Butterfly

100 yd Butterfly

200 yd Butterfly

SilverArts Events

Literary Arts

Visual Arts

Heritage Arts

Performing Arts

Registration Fee: \$20.00..... = \$20.00

Additional Fees for Events Excluded From Registration Fee

Bowling \$9.00 per event = \$_____

Golf \$55.00 (includes Lunch)..... = \$_____

5K Run \$15.00..... = \$_____

Mini Golf \$6.00..... = \$_____

Gala Dinner Guest Fee \$15.00 = \$_____

Make Checks Payable to
Johnston County Senior Games

Total Amount Paid:

\$ _____

Payment Type:

Cash Check #_____

HERITAGE ARTS INFORMATION FORM



Name: First Middle Initial Last

SUB-CATEGORY

Check only one sub-category. You may only submit three entries per sub-category. You must use a separate Information Form for each entry. Entries incorrectly categorized by you and not in compliance with NCSG Guidelines and Requirements will not be displayed or considered in the judging process at Johnston County Senior Games Showcase.

<input type="checkbox"/> Basket Weaving	<input type="checkbox"/> Needlework	<input type="checkbox"/> Tole/Decorative Painting
<input type="checkbox"/> Crocheting	<input type="checkbox"/> Pottery (thrown & hand built)	<input type="checkbox"/> Weaving
<input type="checkbox"/> General Fiber Arts	<input type="checkbox"/> Quilting (hand stitched)	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodcarving
<input type="checkbox"/> Jewelry	<input type="checkbox"/> Quilting (machine stitched)	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodturning
<input type="checkbox"/> Knitting	<input type="checkbox"/> Stained Glass	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodworking

TITLE OF ENTRY (Required for display card): _____

Brief Description of Entry (subject, color, etc.): _____

SIZE (Required): _____

Maximum size (for entire display/presentation): (W)3' x (L) 3' x (H)4'. Maximum weight for an entry is 50 lbs. Maximum size for framed entry is 36" x 42" including mat and frame.

WEIGHT (Required): _____

IS YOUR ENTRY A SET? Yes No

If yes, # of pieces in your set? _____ (**Maximum 3 pieces**)

Yes, the REQUIRED PHOTOGRAPH(S) of my entry are enclosed with this form. The photograph(s) must be labeled with your name, the title of your entry and the sub-category. Photos cannot be returned.

I have read and understand the NCSG SilverArts Guidelines and Specific Requirements. I certify that the entry is my own work, was created within the last two (2) years and that Johnston County Senior Games will not be held responsible for loss or damage. I understand that my piece must be on display throughout the entire show and must be delivered and picked up at the correct time. JCSG cannot transport or store entries. This piece was not entered in last year's State Finals. I will have my name and the title of my entry attached to it for identification at Johnston County Senior Games. This form is enclosed with my State Finals Entry Form and with the required photograph.

Participant's Signature (required)

Date

VISUAL ARTS INFORMATION FORM



Name: _____

First

Middle Initial

Last

SUB-CATEGORY

Check only one sub-category. You may only submit three entries per sub-category. You must use a separate Information Form for each entry. Entries incorrectly categorized by you and not in compliance with NCSG Guidelines and Requirements will not be displayed or considered in the judging process at Johnston County Senior Games State Finals.

<input type="checkbox"/> Acrylics	<input type="checkbox"/> Mixed Media 3D	<input type="checkbox"/> Photography (Film)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing	<input type="checkbox"/> Oil	<input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture
<input type="checkbox"/> Digital Art	<input type="checkbox"/> Pastels	<input type="checkbox"/> Watercolor
<input type="checkbox"/> Mixed Media 2D	<input type="checkbox"/> Photography (Digital)	

TITLE OF ENTRY (Required for display card): _____

Brief Description of Entry (subject, color, etc.): _____

SIZE (Required): _____ Maximum size (for entire display/presentation): (W)3' x (L) 3' x (H)4'. Maximum weight for an entry is 50 lbs. Maximum size for framed entry is 36" x 42" including mat and frame.

WEIGHT (Required): _____

IS YOUR ENTRY A SET? Yes No

If yes, # of pieces in your set? _____ (**Maximum 3 pieces**)

Yes, the REQUIRED PHOTOGRAPH(S) of my entry are enclosed with this form. The photograph(s) must be labeled with your name, the title of your entry and the sub-category. Photos cannot be returned.

I have read and understand the NCSG SilverArts Guidelines and Specific Requirements. I certify that the entry is my own work, was created within the last two (2) years and that Johnston County Senior Games will not be held responsible for loss or damage. I understand that my piece must be on display throughout the entire show and must be delivered and picked up at the correct time. JCSG cannot transport or store entries. This piece was not entered in last year's State Finals. I will have my name and the title of my entry attached to it for identification at Johnston County Senior Games. This form is enclosed with my State Finals Entry Form and with the required photograph.

Participant's Signature (required)

Date

LITERARY ARTS INFORMATION FORM



Name: _____

First

Middle Initial

Last

SUB-CATEGORY

Check only one sub-category. You may only submit one entry per sub-category. You must use a separate Information Form for each entry. Entries incorrectly categorized by you and not in compliance with NCSG Guidelines and Requirements will not be displayed or considered in the judging process at Johnston County Senior Games State Finals.

- Essay (not autobiographical) - 8 pages maximum**
- Life Experiences (autobiographical) - 8 pages maximum**
- Poem - 40 lines maximum**
- Short Story (fiction) - 8 pages maximum**

TITLE OF ENTRY (Required for display card): _____

Yes, the one required display-quality copy of my literary entry is enclosed with this form and meets the criteria above. It will be received by February 28, 2026.

Important Information

- All entries must be typed, double spaced on 8-1/2 x 11 paper, and have a minimum of 1" margins.
- Essay, Life Experience, and Short Story entries must be double-spaced.
- A minimum font size is 10-point type. Font should be easily readable and "Times New Roman" or "Arial" fonts are suggested. Electronic entries must be in pdf format.
- Entries must have a separate title page that includes title of entry, sub-category, and name of artist. The title page is not included as part of the 8-page maximum.
- Name of artist must not appear on any content pages (only on the title page).

I have read and understand the NCSG SilverArts Guidelines and Specific Requirements. I certify that the literary work is my own work, was created within the last two (2) years and that Johnston County Senior Games will not be held responsible for loss or damage. I understand that my entry must be on display throughout the entire show and that all three copies will be retained by JCSG. This entry was not entered in last year's State Finals. A display quality copy is enclosed. This form is enclosed with my Johnston County Senior Game Entry Form.

Participant's Signature (required)

Date

PERFORMING ARTS INFORMATION FORM



Only 1 Information Form is required for each group/act.

Name of Group/ Solo Act _____

Name of Group Leader/ Solo Performer _____

Names of individuals in act: _____

SUB-CATEGORY

Acts incorrectly categorized and not in compliance with NCSG Guidelines and Requirements will not be judged or allowed to perform at State Finals. An artist may only have one (1) entry per size of Act in each sub-category.

Comedy/Drama **Vocal** **Dance** **Line Dancing** **Instrumental**

SIZE AND LENGTH OF ACT Number of individuals in act: _____ (An accompanist(s) does not have to be counted to determine size of act.)

Solo **Small Group (2-4)** **Large Group (5 or more)**

Length Of Act (3 minutes maximum): _____ Minutes; _____ Seconds.

Exceeding the time limit will result in automatic disqualification. Timing is the performer's responsibility and begins with the first note of music or the first movement visible to the audience and ends with the final note of music or movement of the act.

MUSIC

Title of music for performance (if applicable): _____

Will recorded music be used as part of the act? No Yes

Music must be an mp3 file (submitted electronically or on a flash drive). This should be the only track on the flash drive or electronic file. Music may be picked up following the performance. Please label your music with the name of your act and the group leader/solo performer's name.

EQUIPMENT AND PROPS Please specify what you need. You are responsible for all other equipment and props (including music stands, tables, etc.) Props must be small, few, lightweight and easy to set up quickly.

Sound system with Microphones (3 max) # needed: _____ **Chairs # needed:** _____

I have read and understand the NCSG SilverArts Guidelines and Specific Requirements. This performance was not entered at last year's State Finals.

Participant's Signature (required)

Date