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**North Carolina Fourth of July Commemorative T-Shirt
SHOP LOCAL AND SUPPORT NC 4TH OF JULY FESTIVAL
June 16th-July 4, 2020**

SOUTHPORT-OAK ISLAND AREA, NC – The NC 4th of July Festival apparel is highly sought after each year. In lieu of a traditional annual design of festival t-shirts, this year's commemorative design will be available in eight area businesses. We encourage you to support local businesses by purchasing one of the 4th of July t-shirts.

The 100% cotton Gildan short sleeved shirt is available in adult sizes small to 3 xl, will retail for \$19.99 and will be on sale at the following locations beginning Tuesday, June 16th: *Boo & Roos*, 112 E. Moore Street, Southport; *Color me Carolina*, 4143 Colfax Lane; *Doc Meridian Wine & Beer Shop*, 305 N. Howe Street; *Frying Pan Restaurant*, 319 West Bay Street; *Party Time*, 1658 N. Howe Street; *The Pearl*, 114 N. Howe Street; *Ricky Evans Gallery*, 211 N. Howe Street; and *Southport Trading Company* –105 E. Moore Street.

We invite you to join us July 2-July 4, 2020 and celebrate our 225th year. This year's Virtual Festival kicks off Thursday, July 2, with an online showing of Window & Home Dressing Challenge submissions. The deadline for photo submissions is June 26.

View the entire VIRTUAL Festival schedule and contests at <http://www.nc4thofjuly.com> and the public is invited to Like the official 4th Of July Facebook page to watch and participate: <https://www.facebook.com/nc4thofjulyfestival/>.