Outer Banks Visitors Bureau
Gross Meals Summary
2013-2026

	2026	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
January	12,363,704	11,603,500	11,179,366	15,014,241	10,601,001	10,669,210	9,567,693	9,232,116	6,630,060	6,907,169	6,951,100	7,366,165	6,423,044	5,737,827
February	12,365,886	16,306,677	12,929,929	12,282,779	13,854,379	9,647,064	9,280,396	7,938,346	8,081,163	8,107,544	7,190,738	6,442,985	6,280,032	5,873,076
March	22,987,799	19,564,191	19,422,840	19,052,221	17,964,701	17,851,725	7,466,202	13,993,067	12,472,869	12,750,137	12,593,172	10,133,762	9,481,493	10,153,689
April	29,389,487	28,246,857	26,222,012	29,882,256	29,762,315	26,101,925	3,749,728	20,152,467	17,693,017	19,029,550	15,347,188	15,145,381	14,781,867	13,161,426
May	41,383,202	40,836,160	39,078,063	37,191,059	35,766,126	36,273,162	14,079,809	27,895,551	25,305,198	24,480,322	22,700,007	23,106,126	22,196,739	20,503,341
June	59,772,696	56,609,219	57,344,840	53,653,158	49,188,354	48,603,545	35,377,612	39,212,117	37,728,467	36,369,937	33,185,424	33,214,790	31,198,217	30,968,797
July	69,698,404	68,267,572	64,106,859	62,371,753	61,144,299	55,983,285	37,531,226	47,545,995	44,840,505	43,176,322	42,856,387	41,248,363	38,508,812	37,227,457
August	59,063,920	61,828,174	57,116,087	54,381,491	52,469,499	45,615,512	34,686,508	44,023,260	39,760,919	37,942,828	39,204,887	38,491,312	38,663,206	36,725,099
September	42,518,237	37,038,765	40,124,326	39,511,303	39,658,009	38,713,169	31,758,793	24,552,170	24,228,769	27,122,726	26,673,486	26,274,599	23,584,456	23,168,505
October		28,168,549	30,027,178	30,360,180	18,866,693	29,131,584	22,495,453	19,796,005	18,452,784	19,261,951	15,237,438	16,212,875	16,047,497	14,278,541
November		19,484,587	20,897,820	19,332,007	28,176,947	17,621,266	16,322,421	12,708,341	12,448,598	11,764,460	11,846,267	10,809,353	9,863,383	9,161,206
December		16,413,185	16,400,335	15,703,818	14,853,412	15,637,654	10,519,542	10,994,527	9,670,246	10,184,239	9,049,333	8,333,905	7,902,396	6,839,007
Total	349,543,335	404,367,436	394,849,655	388,736,266	372,305,735	351,849,101	232,835,383	278,043,962	257,312,595	257,097,185	242,835,427	236,779,616	224,931,142	213,797,971
	2.72%	2.41%	1.57%	4.41%	5.81%	51.11%	-16.26%	8.06%	0.08%	5.87%	2.56%	5.27%	5.21%	2.46%
Month Increase	**14.79%**	**-7.69%**	**1.55%**	**-0.37%**	**2.44%**	**21.90%**	**29.35%**	**1.33%**	**-10.67%**	**1.68%**	**1.52%**	**11.41%**	**1.80%**	**5.04%**

(September increase/(decrease) over prior year)

Note: This report shows total gross $ reported to Dare County for prepared foods and beverag
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