257 Massapoag Avenue, North Easton, MA 02356



# **2022 Family Fun Day & 50**<sup>th</sup> **Anniversary Celebration**Borderland State Park

# **VENDOR FORM**

Date: Saturday, October 8, 2022 (rain date is Sunday, October 9, 2022)

Event Time: 9:00am-4:00pm

### Overview:

The Friends of Borderland and The Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) are planning a Family Fun Day that will highlight Borderland's historic, natural and recreational resources while highlighting the local communities.

In 2019, we relaunched the Family Fun Day at Borderland State Park, drawing over 900 people. We provided guided hikes, guided tours, animal shows, guest speakers, musicians, fairytale story hours, a few local non-profit groups, Easton and Sharon FD and PD, and much more. Our goal is to provide that same level of program/ activity options; but include vendors as well.

## The Friends of Borderland:

A tax exempt, 501(c)-3 non-profit organization, the Friends of Borderland have been working to assist in preservation and interpretation of the cultural and natural resources at Borderland State Park since 1972. Over the last 50 year, the Friends have spent fund on preserving historical items inside the Ames mansion, purchased flower and other gardening material to keep Borderland a beautiful place and spends over \$2,000 annual for Mutt Mitt® bags, so that visitors can help keep Borderland clean. All vendor donations will continue to assist in our mission and will be put to good use.

### **Vendor Information:**

Vendors are considered but not limited to crafters, artists, local businesses, organizations, food trucks etc., that will be selling goods, food, or services during the event.

Our goal is to make this Family Fun Day a community event, showcasing a variety of activities, local organizations, performers, and local vendors (crafts, arts, local businesses, food etc.) For any vendor

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that is selling goods, services or food, there will be a \$50 donation fee to attend. Vendors who wish to attend this event must complete and submit the form below. The Friends of Borderland will review all vendor applications and will make a selection. Not every vendor that applies will be selected to attend the 2022 Family Fun Day. The \$50 donation fee will only be collected from vendors who have been approved to attend.

The Friends of Borderland and the DCR will not provide tables, tents, chairs, Wi-Fi, electrical or water hookups. It is your responsibility to bring whatever is needed to be successful. Each approved vendor will be given a  $12' \times 12'$  space. (If you need a larger area, please indicate that on the application form.

We must adhere to all DCR guidelines; therefore, no alcoholic beverages will be allowed to be consumed, sold or sampled. We ask that all vendors stay for the duration of the event (9:00am-4:00pm).

All vendors must submit an application form to the Friends of Borderland by **August 15, 2022**. The Friends of Borderland will review all applications and will alert the approved vendors by September 1, 2022 with your site location as well as other details including, where to park (free), set-up times (7:00am-8:30am), take down times (4:00pm-6:00pm).

Finally, with the ongoing pandemic, we ask that all vendors must adhere to the current local, state, and federal guidelines. If anything changes, in regard to the pandemic (e.g., mandates etc.), we will notify all groups via email to ensure everyone is aware and will be the responsibility of your group to provide PPE for themselves and their table.

### How to APPLY:

- Submit an application form to the Friends of Borderland Deadline is August 15, 2022
   Forms can be emailed to: familyfunday.fob@gmail.com
- 2) The Friends of Borderland will reach out to approved vendors by **September 1, 2022** with more details.
- 3) It is that simple. If approved, you will need to make a non-refundable \$50.00 donation to the Friends of Borderland. Donation fees are due by **October 1, 2022**.

Make check payable to: The Friends of Borderland

Mail to: Friends of Borderland

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# **Reminders and Conditions for Participating:**

You are responsible for set up and cleanup of your area. The Friends of Borderland will assign spots/locations based on a whoever applies and get accepted basis. On the date of the event, you will enter at 257 Massapoag Avenue (Maintenance entrance for Borderland State Park). A volunteer will check you in and direct them to your designated location. You will be allowed to drive to your location prior to 8:30am. At 8:30am all vehicles must be removed from the field and parking in the designated parking location. Each group will be allowed no more than 2 vehicles that can park in the designated parking area at no cost. If you arrive after 8:30am on the date of the event, you must park and carry your items to your location – if park staff is available, they may offer to help; however there is no guarantee. The event ends at 4:00pm, if you must leave prior to 4:00pm – you must carry your items to your vehicle yourself. No vehicles will be allowed to drive and collect their items at their location until 4:00pm or after.

Together we are celebrating 50 years of Borderland being a State Park and 50 years of our organization raising fund to assist Borderland State Park to ensure all who visit can enjoy the beauty of the nature and the historical importance of the Ames family.

We want to thank you for helping us celebrate this milestone and together showcase everything our communities have to offer. If you have any questions or concerns about Family Fun Day, Borderland State Park or the application process, please feel free to reach out to us at:

familyfunday.fob@gmail.com or email Paul Clifford, Park Staff at paul.clifford@mass.gov



# **2022 VENDOR Application Form**

Family Fun Day – Borderland State Park

Name*:					
Company/ Organization Name:					
Address*:					
City/Town*:	State*:		Zip Code*:		
Phone Number*:		Cell:			
Email Address*:					
Social Media Handle:					
Website:					
What will your booth provide?					
Reasonable Requests?					
Will you have any sort of activi-	ty? Yes	No	If yes, explain:		
Does your organization have in	surance? * Yes	No			
Will you be planning to stay the	e duration of the e	vent (9:00an	n-4:00pm)? * Yes	No	
*required fields.					
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Authorized Signature:			Date:		