



Borderland State Park Suffrage Series



259 Massapoag Avenue
North Easton, MA
(508) 238-6566

I Now Pronounce You

Lucy Stone™

Sunday, August 20, at 2:00pm
Ames Mansion

Challenging discrimination is not easy; Lucy Stone was never one to take the easy road. The first woman from Massachusetts to earn a college degree, Lucy was an ardent supporter of human rights. Always fierce, her belief that women and men are equal was evident in both her political and personal endeavors. Her message inspired thousands to join the suffrage movement, even Susan B. Anthony credits Lucy's impassioned speeches for her involvement. As a scholar, Lucy studied Greek and Hebrew, insisting that ancient scriptures had been mistranslated to objectify women. As a wife, Lucy refused to take her husband's name, becoming the first to do so in the nation, and leading to the moniker of "Lucy Stoner" to describe a woman who does just that! Lucy and her comrades were evolving from successful abolitionists to struggling suffragist. Their fight was ferocious, so come along for the ride. This MUST-SEE presentation is approximately 60 minutes, followed by a Q&A. Presented by History At Play™.



Tickets at \$10 per person. Purchase your tickets in advance online at www.friendsofborderland.org OR purchase your tickets the day of if seats are still available. Presentation will take place inside the ornate two-story library of the Ames Mansion. Photography and videography are strictly prohibited.

Doors open at approximately 1:30pm. For this event, please enter at 257 Massapoag Avenue, North Easton, MA and follow the signs to park.

This event is co-sponsored by the Department of Conservation and Recreation and the Friends of Borderland, a non-profit organization. The Friends of Borderland celebrates women's suffrage through a lecture series, highlighting remarkable women in American history. For more information, please visit www.friendsofborderland.org. Lecture series is rain or shine, all children must be accompanied by an adult. For reasonable accommodations, please call Borderland at (508) 238-6566.



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