

# 2018 American Folk Festival on the Bangor Waterfront Volunteer Application Form

Each year, the American Folk Festival on the Bangor Waterfront relies on over 900 volunteers! To join in the fun and help make the Festival happen, please fill out this application form and submit it to the AFF office. Volunteers must apply each year (even if you have volunteered in past years). **We will be accepting volunteer applications until August 3, 2018. Volunteer positions fill up fast; fill out your form today!**

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**CONTACTING YOU**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Your email address: \_\_\_\_\_

If you provide an email address, we will email your schedule and other volunteer information to you. *Please make sure you add [kate@americanfolkfestival.com](mailto:kate@americanfolkfestival.com) as a "safe sender" and check your spam folder for Festival messages. Your email will not be shared with anyone outside of the Festival.*

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Home or Cell

Secondary Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Home or Cell

If you do not provide an email address, we will send all volunteer correspondence to the address you provide.

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**ABOUT YOU**

Birthday (if under 18) \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ \*Volunteers must be at least 16 years of age to volunteer without a guardian. Those under 16 may volunteer with a guardian for the on-site donation team. If applicant is under 16, who will they be volunteering with? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you volunteered for our Festival in the past? ( ) Yes ( ) No

For scheduling purposes, please let us know the name of the team, or people you will be volunteering with:

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**VOLUNTEERING**

Please list at least two volunteer positions that interest you, in order of preference:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Do you prefer to work in a busy, social setting? Y or N  
Do you prefer to work in a quiet, low key setting? Y or N

Do you prefer to volunteer in one area, or two or more areas? \_\_\_\_\_

My goal is to volunteer \_\_\_\_\_ hours during the AFF.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have an open schedule; please schedule me where it is needed most!

I have read the job description(s) for the position(s) I am volunteering for. I understand the essential functions of the position and I can volunteer for this job independently.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Initial here)

**Set-up and Strike Volunteers:** circle the days & times you are available to volunteer.

Wednesday 8/22	8a-noon	12-4p	Thursday 8/23	8a-noon	12-4p	4-8p
Friday, 8/24	8a-noon	12-4p	Saturday, 8/25	8a-noon		
Sunday, 8/26	8a-noon	5-8p	Monday 8/27	8a-noon	12-4p	
Tuesday, 8/28	8a-noon					

**All other areas:** please circle the days & approximate times you are available to volunteer.

Friday, 8/24	10:00am-2:00pm	2:00pm-6:00pm	6:00pm-11:00pm
Saturday, 8/25	10:00am-2:00pm	2:00pm-6:00pm	6:00pm-11:00pm
Sunday, 8/26	10:00am-2:00pm	2:00pm-6:00pm	

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**VOLUNTEER T-SHIRT**

Circle your t-shirt size: YOUTH: SM MED LG      ADULT: SM MED LG XL 2X 3X

Please note: To ensure you get the correct t-shirt size you must pick up your shirt on Aug. 7<sup>th</sup>.

Details about t-shirt pickup will be included with your schedule information.

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**Please read carefully before signing:**

*I understand that:*

- » Completion of this application does not indicate whether there are any positions currently open.
- » The American Folk Festival will make every effort to match me with the area(s) I requested, but may not always be able to do so.
- » The American Folk Festival reserves the right to decline any volunteer application or limit the number of volunteer hours.
- » My file will be kept confidential.
- » If I am scheduled to volunteer, I will wear the official Festival volunteer t-shirt during all of my volunteer shifts.
- » If I do not pick up my t-shirt at Orientation I may not receive the size I requested.

Please send me:

\_\_\_\_\_ Information on making a 2018 AFF financial contribution.

\_\_\_\_\_ Festival Newsletter (*please circle one: email or mail*)

My signature affirms that the information contained in this application is true and complete, and that I have read and understood the above information. **(Applicant must be at least 18 to sign. If applicant is under 18, a legal guardian must sign for them.)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Printed Name*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

**Please return one form per volunteer by August 3, 2018 to:**

Volunteer Coordinator • American Folk Festival • P.O. Box 1206 • Bangor, ME 04402 • (207) 262-7765

**Thank you for sharing your time and talents with the American Folk Festival!**