



Photography Use Agreement At Appleton Farms

The property is owned and managed by The Trustees of Reservations, a member-supported nonprofit conservation organization that preserves, for public use and enjoyment, properties of exceptional scenic, historic, and ecological value in Massachusetts, and works to protect special places across the state. Appleton Farms is available as a site for commissioned or in-kind professional outdoor photography/portraits, however, in order to provide the best possible experience and avoid conflicts with other visitors to the property, the following guidelines must be followed:

1. Whenever a photographer is commissioned to take portrait photographs the User (photographer or client) must first pay a photography fee and sign a Photography and Property Use Agreement, prior to using the property.
2. Rates:
 - One-day Use: \$100
 - Season pass: Up to 10 sessions anytime: \$400
 - Season pass extended: Up to 20 sessions anytime: \$600
3. No more than 10 people (not including the photographer) may attend the photography session.
4. The User is not entitled to exclusive use of the property. The grounds will remain open to the public.
5. Considerations of public safety and the protection of the man made and natural resources at Appleton Farms shall have absolute preference over any of the User's activities. The Trustees of Reservations reserves the right to monitor all of the User's activities and prohibit any use that it deems to be in conflict with The Trustees operating policies, including but not limited to:
 - Conduct which disturbs the tranquility of the property or its enjoyment by others is prohibited
 - Littering is prohibited. Please carry out anything you carry in.
 - Cutting or removing vegetation is prohibited.
 - Alcoholic Beverages are not permitted on the property at any time.
 - Nudity is prohibited.
 - Parking on lawns is prohibited
 - Sitting on the historic stone walls in not allowed. Please obey signage.
 - No photography is allowed inside of any barns, buildings, or structures.
 - Appleton photographers lanyard must be worn when photographing on the property. Photographer will be required to show lanyard upon request by staff.
 - If a public program or event is happening, photographers must avoid the programmed area completely.
6. User shall be responsible for all of the actions and activities of their party (photographer, client and guests). The User agrees to assume all liability for any property or personal damage resulting from their use of the property. The User shall hold the Trustees of Reservations harmless for any loss, injury, damage or expense arising out of his use of the property.
7. The photographer, clients and guest shall park in the parking areas provided.
8. Payment must be received at least 48 hours prior to the photography session. A photographers lanyard will be mailed to the photographer or can be picked up at the farm office.
For season passes, full payment is due at time of registration.

After reading the above Photography Use Agreement, please fill out the following form and return it with a check or call the office to pay by credit card.

I have read and here by agree to the terms and conditions set forth in this agreement.

User's Signature _____ Date _____

Company _____

Address _____

Phone _____ email _____

Description of Use (1 day, season pass, etc.) _____ Rate: _____

Please make checks payable to The Trustees of Reservations
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