



24th Brazilian Independence Day Festival

DCR Herter Park, Charles River - 1175 Soldiers Field Road, Brighton, MA 02135

Sunday, September 8th, 2019

12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Boston 2019

Dear Friends,

The “7 de Setembro” Organizing Committee and the Brazilian Women's Group is delighted to invite you to the **24th Brazilian Independence Day Festival**, which will take place on **Sunday, September 8th, 2019 from 12:00 to 6:00 p.m., at the DCR Herter Park**, 1175 Soldiers Field Road (in front of TV Station – Channel 4), Brighton, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Brazilian Independence Day Festival is the largest Brazilian cultural event in New England attracting crowds of over 7,000 people. It is an ideal opportunity to promote your goods and services to the Brazilian community. As in previous years, the 2019 Festival will feature children’s activities, information tables, arts and crafts, ethnic food, live Brazilian music, and many other attractions. Music performances begin at 1:00 p.m. All events are free and wheelchair accessible.

The cost of having a food table, including fees for permits and licenses required, are the following:

One table cost:	\$40.00
Food Permit fee:	\$30.00
Food Inspection fee:	\$25.00
Total cost for one food table:	\$95.00

If you are going to cook in the park, you must also pay an additional \$50 (fifty dollars) for the propane license. In this case, your final total for one table will be \$145.00. Each table rental includes one (1) table, one (1) tablecloth and two (2) chairs. Any other objects/equipment require prior authorization from the Organizing Committee. Vendors may not use their own tables to display products for sale at the event.

Any food or drink prepared off site must be prepared in a kitchen that has a Health Permit provided by the local city. **You must provide proof of the Health Permit to participate in the festival.**

On Monday, August 19th from 6 p.m. to 8p.m., we will hold the Food Vendors meeting. The meeting will be held at the Brazilian Women’s Group office at 697 Cambridge St. Suite 106, Brighton, MA 02135. This meeting is **MANDATORY** for all vendors. At this meeting we will go over current rules from the Department of Public Health and the Fire Department, and update vendors on what they should expect at the festival. This is also a great opportunity to meet other vendors prior to the event and to fill out any outstanding paperwork. **IF YOU DO NOT ATTEND THIS MEETING YOU CANNOT PARTICIPATE IN THE FESTIVAL. We were flexible in previous years, but this year we will be very strict to comply with Fire Department rules.**

To reserve your table, please **sign the attached contract** and **fill out the food license application and propane application (if applicable)** and return it to us by **Friday, August 9th, 2019**, with your check or money order written to the Brazilian Women’s Group. Donations are welcome. Please keep a copy of the contract for your records. If you would like assistance filling out the applications come stop by the Brazilian Women’s Group and we will be happy to help you.

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For additional information regarding sponsorship, or to place an ad in the Festival ad book, please call 617-202-5775. You may also visit us online at www.verdeamarelo.org.

Your participation is the reason for the Festival's success. We look forward to your participation in the 24th Brazilian Independence Day Festival in Boston!

Sincerely,

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