**Great Northeast Jug Band Festival**

**Know Before You Go & Accessibility Information**

**Accessibility**  
Accessing the outdoor space - The terrain of the outdoor space is mostly a flat grassy lawn. There are several large trees with protruding roots around the perimeter of the property. Parking is located along Mass Ave and Jason Street. For wheelchair and stroller access to the outdoor space, patrons can take a right onto Jason Terrace off of Jason St and there is a parking lot located behind the museum with a paved path to the lawn area. The perimeter also features a stone wall with an entrance opening along Jason Street. At this entrance, there is a small step up onto the pathway which is made up of large paver stones and grass.

Accessing the Jason Russell House - A ramp provides wheelchair and stroller access to the Museum and the ground floor of the Jason Russell House.

**Admission**

No admission is required for this event, but refreshments require payment.   
  
**Directions and Transportation**  
The Jason Russell House and Museum are easily reached by automobile. From outside Boston take I-95 to Exit 29A, Route 2 East. Proceed on Route 2 to exit 59A, Pleasant Street. Make a left onto Pleasant Street. At Massachusetts Ave. make a left heading west toward Lexington. Make a left at Jason Street. Parking is located on Jason Street or take the next right onto Jason Terrace – the parking lot is located behind the museum. Additional parking may be found on Mass Ave and Arlington’s closest municipal parking lot is located at 78 Chestnut St, Arlington, MA 02474 and is .4 miles away from the Jason Russell House.  
  
Public transit offers several choices to bring you to our door. The MBTA bus routes 67, 77, 80, 87, and 350 all stop at Arlington Center. Many of these buses can be caught at the Red line station at Harvard or Alewife. Get off the bus in Arlington Center and travel west on Massachusetts Avenue to Jason Street.

**Event Location and Venue Contact Info:**

Jason Russell House & Smith Museum

7 Jason Street

Arlington, MA 02476-6410  
Phone: (781) 648-4300  
Email: [contact@arlingtonhistorical.org](mailto:contact@arlingtonhistorical.org)

**Event Set Up**  
The Arlington Craft Beer Garden will be providing beer and food available for purchase via credit card or cash, on the south side of the lawn. A tent with our feature Jug Band musicians will be set up on the north side of the lawn and patrons are invited to settle themselves somewhere on the grassy lawn to enjoy musical performances.  
  
**Masking**

Masking is not required for the Beer Garden or Jug Band Festival spaces. Visitors are encouraged to wear a mask in the small interior spaces of the Jason Russell House.

**Rain Location**

If the Beer Garden is cancelled due to inclement weather, the Jug Band Festival and related activities will move indoors to the Arlington Community Center at 27 Maple St. Accessible parking and elevator access are available in this space. This location will not feature the beer garden or other refreshments.

**Seating**

There is no seating provided in the outdoor lawn space. Visitors are encouraged to bring lawn chairs and blankets.