



BOLINGBROOK PRIDE PICNIC VENDOR INFORMATION PACKET

JULY 27TH, 2024 - 11 AM - 7 PM



Bolingbrook Pride is a community-driven organization dedicated to fostering inclusion, unity, and love, especially during challenging times. We're committed to supporting LGBTQ+ individuals and their allies, spanning all ages, backgrounds, and walks of life. Our town, Bolingbrook, is a vibrant tapestry of diversity, embracing differences in race, ethnicity, income, gender, and sexual orientation.

By teaming up with other local LGBTQ+ organizations, we strive to raise awareness and improve access to support services, extending the reach of Bolingbrook Pride throughout the community.

Did you know that research from the Family Acceptance Project (2009) shows that LGBTQ+ youth from unsupportive families are *8.4 times* more likely to face mental health challenges? That's why we're leading initiatives to promote understanding and acceptance within families, working hand in hand with youth, school, faith-based congregations, and family organizations to provide non-punitive education and outreach aimed at increasing understanding to reduce the risk of suicide among LGBTQ+ youth.

Our overarching mission is to create a tight-knit community where no one feels isolated or afraid due to their sexual orientation or gender identity. When you support Bolingbrook Pride, you're not just backing a cause; you're standing up for equality and dignity, making a tangible difference in the lives and loves of our LGBTQ+ neighbors.

Together, we're building a brighter, more inclusive future for all.



WHY BECOME A VENDOR FOR THE BOLINGBROOK PRIDE PICNIC?

Thank you for your interest in the Third Annual Bolingbrook Pride Picnic and Puppies Event! Our last event attracted over 1,000 attendees and this year is on track to nearly double. Our picnic is a family-friendly experience for the community with affirming vendors, resources, events, music, and fun!

DEADLINE INFORMATION

- **June 17, 2024** Application and agreement submission deadline
Complete and sign the pdf form and email to:
events@bolingbrookpride.org
OR Complete, sign, print and mail this form to:
P.O. Box 755 | Bolingbrook, IL 60440
- **June 24, 2024** Electronic notice of approval status / invoices sent.
- **June 30, 2024** Payment Due (Payments received after this date will be subject to a \$20 late submission fee)

Event Information

- Third Annual Bolingbrook Pride Picnic and Puppies Event
- Saturday, July 27, 2024 11:00 am – 7:00 pm
- 375 W. Briarcliff Rd, Bolingbrook

Booth Fee Information

Non-Profit (501c3) Organizations.....	\$75.00
For-Profit Organizations.....	\$125.00
Table and Chairs Rental	\$30.00
<i>Includes one (1) table and two (2) chairs</i>	
Electricity	\$15.00
Food Booth	\$400.00
<i>Includes Inspection fee and Electricity</i>	

Vendors who plan to sell food will need to contact the City of Bolingbrook for permit requirements prior to setting up at the event. A copy of the required permit will need to be provided to the Event Coordinator 48 hours prior to the event.

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COMPANY NAME

CONTACT NAME

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

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ZIP

PHONE NUMBER

EMAIL ADDRESS

SOCIAL MEDIA URL/HANDLE(S):

WHAT TYPE OF BUSINESS ARE YOU?

For Profit Business

Non-Profit Business (Please provide IRS EIN) _____

WHAT GOODS OR SERVICES WILL YOU BE PROVIDING?

DOES YOUR BOOTH REQUIRE ANY SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS OR PLACEMENT AT THE EVENT?

What is the length of time you will need for setup?

Group 1

30 Minutes

Group 3

60 Minutes

Group 2

45 Minutes

Group 4

90 Minutes

TERMS OF SPONSORSHIP

Bolingbrook Pride is pleased to work with vendors who support its mission to promote an understanding of, and equality for, the LGBTQ populace within our community by raising awareness.

PLEASE NOTE

By submitting this application, you are agreeing to the following:

- All spaces will be assigned by us when your application is approved
- Spaces are approximately 10'x10'
- No merchandise, tents, or equipment may extend beyond the assigned booth space
- The event will be rain or shine
- Unless otherwise notified, vendors must supply their own tent and tent weights
- The front table of the booth must be covered and skirted
- All displays must be attractive and in good working order. Vendors are expected to have a professional-looking booth
- Vendors are responsible for staffing their booth the entire duration of the festival. Event staff will not be able to assist with setups or operate booths
- Vendors who will be taking payments need to have a sign that clearly identifies whether you take cash only, credit cards, or both
- **Vendors hold Bolingbrook Pride harmless** for any damage arising from participation in this public event, whether by weather, volunteers, attendees or other unforeseen circumstances.

Contact

For more information or answers to questions you may have, contact Amelia Kehl or Allaina Humphreys | events@bolingbrookpride.org

Please sign here

By signing, you certify agreement to our terms and further certify that you have a non-discrimination policy in your workplace and practice no bias in the execution of your daily operation or in service to your customers.



CONTACT US

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