



LICENSE REQUEST: DANCING & ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE

Expires: July 1st

PETITION TO THE TOWN COUNCIL

To the Honorable Town Council of the Town of Bristol:

The undersigned hereby respectfully requests of
your Honorable Body to be granted a

DANCING & ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE

NAME OF ESTABLISHMENT:

ADDRESS:

101 Ferry Rd., Bristol RI

NAME OF APPLICANT:

Blithewold, Inc.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Monday - Sunday 9AM - 8PM
Friday / Sat / Sunday 5PM - 11PM

- ☒ Dancing & Entertainment License Petition & \$100 Fee (payable after Council approves license)
- ☒ Sketch of proposed location for entertainment

Please attend the Council

Meeting on

June 18, 2025

Petition must be returned by

June 4, 2025

Petition mailed on

Date Received: _____

*SIGNATURE:

Karen Binder

NAME:

KAREN BINDER, Executive Director

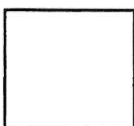
ADDRESS:

101 Ferry Rd

TOWN:

Bristol RI 02809

TAX STAMP



TO BE USED BY FINANCE
DEPARTMENT

*BY SIGNING THIS PETITION, I CONSENT TO EXAMINATION AND
RELEASE OF RECORDS AND INFORMATION REGARDING MY
BACKGROUND, INCLUDING POLICE RECORDS, EDUCATIONAL
INFORMATION, RESIDENCE RECORDS, AND ANY COURT RECORDS.

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TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE
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Town of Bristol

Dancing & Entertainment License – Supplemental Entertainment Hours Form

Business Name: Blithewold

Contact Person: KAREN BINDER

Phone Num

Email: k wold.org

Day	Indoor Start Time	Indoor End Time	Outdoor Start Time	Outdoor End Time
Monday				
Tuesday				
Wednesday			5:00 pm	9:00 pm
Thursday				
Friday			5:00 pm	11:00 pm
Saturday			5:00 pm	11:00 pm
Sunday			4:00 pm	10:45 pm

Sunday

4:00 pm 10:00 pm

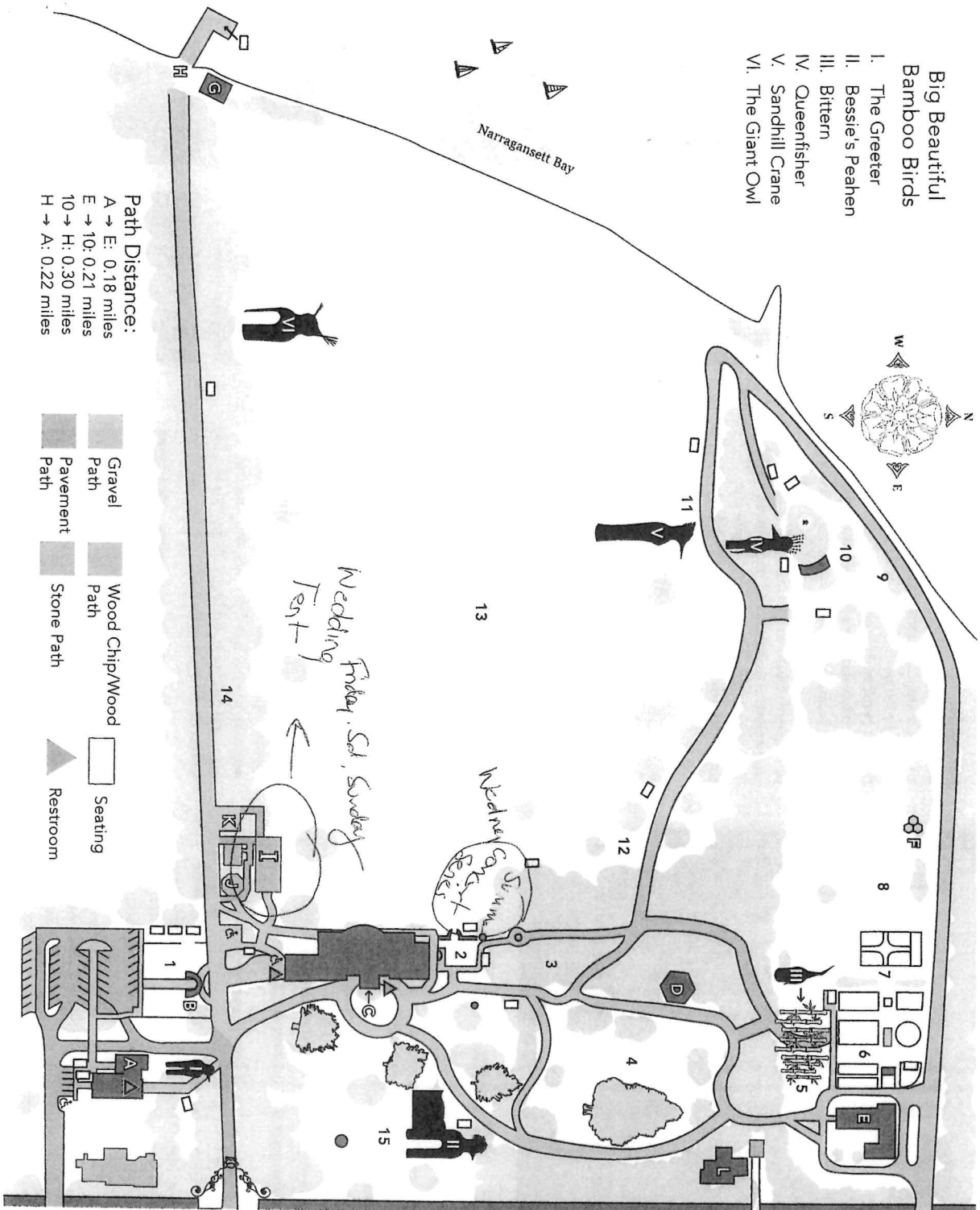
(Holiday Week)

Please indicate below if there are any changes to your proposed entertainment hours compared to last year:

This has been our schedule for 21 years
at least. Thank you.

Big Beautiful Bamboo Birds

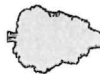



- I. The Greeter
- II. Bessie's Peahen
- III. Bittern
- IV. Queenfisher
- V. Sandhill Crane
- VI. The Giant Owl



Gardens

1. Rose Garden
2. North Garden
3. Bosquet
4. Enclosed Garden
5. Bamboo Grove
6. Idea Gardens
7. Vegetable Garden
8. Pollinator Garden
9. Rock Garden
10. Water Garden
11. Shrub walk
12. Nut Grove
13. Great Lawn
14. Lover's Lane
15. East Lawn

Significant Trees





-  Sequoiadendron giganteum,
Giant Sequoia
A Rhode Island Champion
Full Sun, zone 6
-  Davidia involucreta,
Dove Tree, Handkerchief
Tree Sun and moist soil, zone 5/6
-  Franklinia alatamaha, Franklin Tree
Full sun, zone 5/6
-  Magnolia stellata, Star Magnolia
Full sun, zone 4

Buildings

- A The Carriage House
- Visitors & Education Center
- B Moongate
- C Manor House Entrance
- D Summerhouse
- E Julia L. Morris Horticultural Center:
1901 Lord and Burnham Greenhouses
- F Bee Hives
- G Pump House/Bath House
- H Dock
- I Events Tent
- J Van Wickie Pavilion
- K Catering Tent
- L North Cottage - Horticulture Offices

Path Distance:

- A → E: 0.18 miles
- E → 10: 0.21 miles
- 10 → H: 0.30 miles
- H → A: 0.22 miles

-  Gravel Path
-  Wood Chip/Wood Path
-  Seating
-  Restroom



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Steven Contente
TOWN ADMINISTRATOR

FROM: Melissa Cordeiro
TOWN CLERK

DATE: May 29, 2025

RE: Karen Binder, Executive Director on behalf of
Blithewold, Inc., 101 Ferry Road, re - Dancing &
Entertainment License

May we please have your recommendation or the recommendation of the department head you deem appropriate in order for the Council to review the request at the Town Council Meeting to be held on **June 18, 2025**.

All items for this docket must be received in the Clerk's office by Wednesday, June 11, 2025. All and any items received after the deadline will be held until the next council agenda.

Thank you for your cooperation and prompt reply.

Attachments