Regional museums, like your local library, are a great cultural, educational and recreational resource. The Friends of the Barrington Public Library have created a small fund to encourage Barrington residents to visit some of the many wonderful museums throughout New England. To be eligible, you must be a Barrington resident and a library patron with no outstanding fines or fees on your family’s cards. The fund is exhausted for the year.

Reimbursements will be made on a first come, first served basis.

It’s Time to Explore a New England Museum!
New England has a wonderful history which is presented and documented insightfully in museums throughout the region.

Have you ever wanted to learn more about New England's deep maritime history, or see works of art created by local artisans, or bear witness to how so many people survived over the last two hundred years? If history or art doesn't interest you then there are many excellent Science Museums and Discovery Centers in New England that provide you with a glimpse into Space and Nature.

In order that everyone has a chance to experience these museums, The Friends of the Barrington Public Library is offering a reimbursement on admission charges to any museum in New England of $20 per Barrington household (not to exceed the admission fees), with one reimbursement per family per year. The Children's Museum in Dover is excluded from this program.

**So Many Museums...So Little Time!**

The following is a list of some of the amazing museums in New England. For other New England museum listings, visit: [www.visitnewengland.com](http://www.visitnewengland.com). More information is available at the circulation desk at the Library. In addition to the Museum of Science, Boston Aquarium, Boston Children's Museum and the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, consider exploring one of these sites:

**Connecticut:** New England Air Museum, Windsor Locks
- Connecticut River Museum, Essex
- Mystic Seaport Museum

**Maine:**
- Maine Maritime Museum, Bath
- Portland Museum of Art, Museums of Old York
- Penobscot Marine Museum, Searsport

**Massachusetts:**
- Old Sturbridge Village
- New Bedford Whaling Museum
- Higgins Armory Museum, Worcester

**New Hampshire:** Strawberry Banke Museum, Portsmouth
- Canterbury Shaker Village
- Currier Museum of Art, Manchester

**Rhode Island:**
- Providence Children's Museum
- Newport Preservation Society (Newport Mansions)
- Naval War College Museum, Newport

**Vermont:**
- Montshire Museum of Science
- Lake Champlain Maritime Museum, Vergennes
- Shelburne Museum

Also, visit [HistoricNewEngland.org](http://HistoricNewEngland.org) for information about historic houses open for tours throughout New England.

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**Museum Admission—Reimbursement Form**

Name: _________________________________________________________

Home Address: __________________________________________________, Barrington, NH

Barrington Public Library Card Number: ____________________________

Museum (name/state): _______________________________________________________________________________________

Date of Visit: ______________________________ Number of people in your group: _____________________

Remember to attach your admission receipt!

The check will be made out to this person and sent to this address.

For Friends Use Only:   Ck #_________   Date of Check:_________