

Weddings @

Appel Farm

Arts & Music Center



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Welcome to Appel Farm!
We provide the space and flexibility to create your own unique DIY wedding. What better way to share your creativity and love with family and friends!!



About Us: Appel Farm is nonprofit arts education center, featuring a residential summer arts camp, family arts retreats, outreach in the schools & arts integration charter school, located in a picturesque, rural landscape near Elmer, New Jersey.

Our Facility: With over 115 acres of open fields & woods, Appel Farm offers a rustic and uniquely unforgettable setting for your wedding! Receptions & ceremonies can be held indoors, outdoors, or both! Most buildings can be reached via wheelchair-accessible paths.

Our Grounds: Across campus, guests will discover beautiful murals & sculptures installed by artists from all over the world--great for wedding photos! Outdoor amenities include: two (2) tennis courts, a basketball half court, a volleyball net, two Gaga pits, and the "Bunny Trail" that follows our brook for a walk in the woods.



We also have two outdoor stages, a grand Pavilion with adjacent courtyard & mini-stage, and outdoor campfire pits.

Green picnic tables & handcrafted Adirondack chairs provide guests with comfortable seating throughout the grounds. Several gardens, and lots of trees and fields offer guests plenty of natural space in which to celebrate your special day.

Our Wedding Packages: We offer indoor and outdoor options for a combined wedding and reception packages, as well as indoor and outdoor options for receptions only.

www.appelfarm.org/site-rentals/weddings

Why choose Appel Farm?

- Affordable & customizable options
- Flexible scheduling & DIY venue
- Beautiful grounds with plenty of photo opportunities!
- Close proximity to major cities: Philadelphia, New York, D.C.
- Great for both small, intimate weddings & big celebrations!
- On-site support from Appel Farm staff throughout the duration of your event

Our Mission

The mission of Appel Farm is to provide people of all ages, cultures and economic backgrounds with a supportive, cooperative environment in which to explore the fine and performing arts. We believe that the arts are an exciting and essential part of the learning process and that artistic talent is innate and waiting to be developed in every person.

Accessibility

Appel Farm is dedicated to providing all patrons with a friendly, caring environment in which to enjoy the arts. Assistance animals are welcome at Appel Farm. To provide you with the best experience as possible, patrons requiring assistance should contact Appel Farm at least two weeks in advance.

Need assistance? Call us at: 856-358-2472 | Ask for Heather

<https://www.appelfarm.org/plan-your-visit/accessibility-information/>

***Learn More &
Schedule a Tour***

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Wedding Packages

Wedding and Reception

Package #1: The Best of Both Worlds ~ Pavilion Wedding & Indoor Reception

Welcome your guests for a morning or mid-afternoon wedding for up to 200 under the outdoor pavilion and then celebrate your reception in comfort in the spacious, indoor dining hall! DIY the entire event with your special touches including bringing your own caterer or securing food trucks. Cubicle Suite available for wedding party prep before your ceremony. Dinner/Lunch and dancing in the dining hall. As a special thank you, Appel Farm will provide s'mores & firewood for a campfire at the dining hall fire pit. Decorative Pavilion curtains and/or white pipe and drape for the dining hall as well as overnight accommodations in cubicle suites available at additional cost.

Spaces Included: Dining Hall & Kitchen • Pavilion • Cubicle Suite • Restrooms • Campfire

Price: \$4,000

Decorate on Friday, Celebrate on Saturday, Clean up and depart by 2:00 PM Sunday | 200 guests

Package #2: Outdoor Delight ~ Pavilion & Courtyard Wedding and Reception

Keep it simple & all in one place! Start with ceremony on the stage in the courtyard, accompanied by drinks around our signature green picnic tables while your caterer prepares the pavilion for your reception and dancing. Cubicle Suite available for wedding party prep for your ceremony. Decorative Pavilion curtains, use of dining hall kitchen as well as overnight accommodations available for additional fee.

Spaces Included: Pavilion • Courtyard • Cubicle Suite • Restrooms

Price: \$3,500

Decorate on Friday, Celebrate on Saturday, Clean up and depart by 2:00 PM Sunday | 150 guests



Wedding Packages

Reception Only

Reception Package #1: Dining Hall Extravaganza

Looking for a DIY reception with your special touches? Rent the dining hall and decorate to your hearts delight. Bring in your own caterer or bring in food trucks! This package allows you to host your wedding reception indoors with access to full commercial kitchen. Enjoy cocktails on the back patio and dream by the camp fire in our comfy Adirondack chairs.

Spaces Included: Dining Hall and Kitchen • Dining Hall Campfire • Restrooms

Price: \$3,600

Decorate on Friday, Celebrate on Saturday, Clean up and depart by 2:00 PM Sunday | 200 Guests

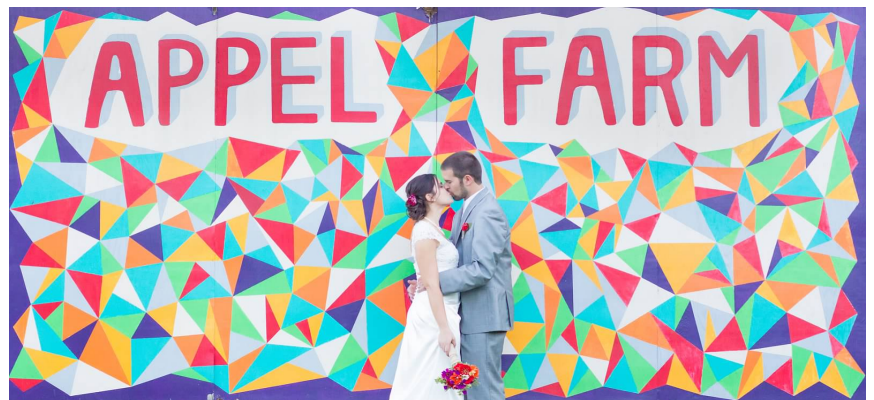
Reception Package #2: Pavilion Party

Looking for an outdoor reception on a beautiful evening or sunny afternoon? Opt for a celebration under our covered Pavilion! Surrounded by verdant woods & grounds, complete with adjacent courtyard, this is a beautiful location with lots of DIY potential. Bring in food trucks or a caterer. (Kitchen rental available for additional fee.)

Spaces Included: Pavilion • Restrooms

Price: \$2,200

Decorate on Friday, Celebrate on Saturday, Clean up and depart by 2:00 PM Sunday | 150 Guests



Additional Information & Add-Ons

Overnight Accommodations

Overnight accommodations available from September to May in the North Building for guests. These recently renovated rooms offer accommodations that sleep 10 per room and are great for visiting guests. Overnights only available on Friday or Saturday nights. Sunday nights only available on holiday weekends.

North

Building \$1,500

Per Room \$300

**ADA-compliant bathrooms available.
Overnight options in North only available
from September to June each year.*

Amenities (Per Room)

- 5 bunk bed units = 10 total beds [Twin]
Bring sleepbags or sheets and pillow
- Sleeps up to 10 people
- Bathroom with sink, toilet, 2 stall showers
- Private entrance, wall-to-wall carpeting
- Heat / Air-Conditioned
- 5 Cubby Units [2 people per cubby] for storage of personal belongings and cloths.

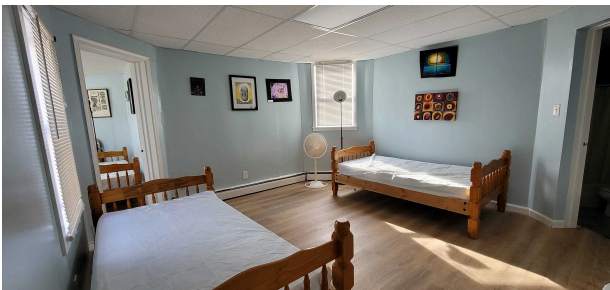
Cubicle Suite

Saturday Night only: \$400

Friday and Saturday Nights: \$650

Amenities:

- 3 Bedrooms: 2 Beds / 2 Beds / 2 Beds
- Sleeps up to 6
- Bathroom with sink, toilet, and bathtub/shower
- Private entrance
- Living Room
- Heated/Air-conditioned
- Kitchen with stove & refrigerator



Overnight options in North only available from September to June each year.

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Dining Hall & Kitchen

HALL AMENITIES

- Heated / Air-Conditioned
- Laminate floors; carpeted walls
- 3500 sq. ft. | Capacity = 200
- ADA-compliant bathrooms
- Front & Back Patios with picnic tables
- Wi-Fi access
- (24) 60" round tables (seats up to 8)
- 200 chairs
- 6-foot & 8-foot folding tables available

KITCHEN AMENITIES

- Commercial dishwasher
- Two 3-compartment sinks
- Walk-in refrigerator & freezer
- Additional reach-in refrigerator
- Ice machine
- Commercial coffee maker
- Oven and Stove
- 2 Convection ovens

Decorative Curtains

(Includes Setup & Breakdown)

Pavilion Curtains - \$500

White Pipe & Drape - \$300

Used to mask Kitchen entrance in Dining Hall only



Payments, Policies, and Provisions

- Appel Farm does not provide linens, bedding, glassware, tent rentals, catering, or staffing for assembling and decorating your wedding. Liaison is provided for facility questions/needs only.
- Appel Farm's Dining Hall tables & chairs are only permitted to be used in that space.
- Wedding Party must purchase separate Event Insurance to be provided to AFAMC prior to event.
- Campfires must be extinguished by 11:00 PM. Complimentary wood offered for one 2-hour fire.
- Guests are welcome to bring their own sports equipment, if desired.
- Pets and/or animals are not permitted on-site, with the exception of certified service animals.
- 50% Reservation Deposit is required to book dates.
- Payments are typically invoiced in two installments in addition to a \$500 refundable security fee.
- REFUND POLICY: Either party may cancel up to 60 days prior to the scheduled date of your event with written notice. A refund will be given less a \$200 administrative fee. Refunds with less than 60 days notice shall not be given.