



Volunteer Lineup Guidelines 2026

Due to a significant increase in numbers joining in the Volunteer Lineup, the decision was made to refine the guidelines for participation and limit the number of participants. Please note that volunteers are always welcome to join the main lottery line with patrons (info [here](#)).

1. Volunteers may enter the site to participate in the Volunteer Lineup no earlier than **one hour before** general admission (3:30pm on Thursday / Friday, 8:30 am Saturday / Sunday).
2. Volunteers wishing to participate in the lottery may **only enter through the West Lottery Gate** (aka Volunteer Kitchen Gate) near Bike-Lockup. Entering from alternate gates may result in not being accepted into the volunteer line.
3. **One Tarp - One Person.** A maximum of 135 volunteers may participate daily. Participants must be a current volunteer and **must be off-shift**. Volunteers arriving after all tickets have been distributed and/or after the lottery draw has begun will be required to wait until General Admission has begun to put down their tarp.
4. Friends or family who are also volunteers but who do not have a tarp will need to wait until the main gates open to join the lineup participants on the hill.
5. **25 minutes prior to main lottery line entry** (approximately 3:35pm on Thursday / Friday, 8:35 am Saturday / Sunday), volunteers **with a tarp** will be given an artist ticket and asked to gather in their artist groupings (9 groups of 15). Volunteers arriving without a tarp will **not** be given an artist ticket.
6. **10 minutes prior to main lottery line entry** (approximately 3:50pm on Thursday / Friday, 8:50 am Saturday / Sunday), the Greetings Volunteers will determine the order of entry through a random draw. Once the draw is complete groups will be queued in order of entry. The Greetings Volunteers will assist the volunteers in accessing the site **after the 8th round of public lottery** participants. If Volunteers wish to enter earlier, they must join the public lottery.

REMINDER:

The people assisting with the line-up are also volunteers. Please be kind and respectful of the guidelines outlined above.