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***49th Annual Upper Shore Decoy Show***

*North East, Maryland*

*October 21-22, 2016*

*The longest continuously running decoy show in the country*

 *North East Fire Hall (Upper Chesapeake Ballroom)*

*Preserving The Lifestyle of The Waterman & Hunter*

Dear Exhibitor,

The Upper Bay Museum is pleased to offer you an invitation to exhibit at the 49th Annual Upper Shore Decoy Show to be held Friday October 21st and Saturday October 22nd, 2016.

This is an exciting time as we continue to improve and grow to make the show even better every year. This year we are continuing the tradition of this show in North East, MD as we again remain in the North East Fire Hall, now called the Upper Chesapeake Ballroom. We have many exciting events in store such as our decoy auction, demonstrations, and exhibits , as well as rekindling community connections.

We would greatly appreciate it if you would consider donating an item to be sold in our fundraising auction, sold in our gift shop, or used in a future auction.

To reserve a space, you must return the enclosed application with payment in full, payable to the Upper Bay Museum by Sept 15th 2016. The show schedule will be as follows:

Friday 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm Show set-up (Must be complete by 4:00 pm)

 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm Open to the public

 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Auction Preview Party

 7:00 pm Decoy Auction

Saturday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm Open to the public

 4:00 pm Exhibitor break down

 In addition, coffee and donuts will be set up for our exhibitors on Saturday morning. During the show, there will be food vendors available for patrons and exhibitors on the premises.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Rick Bouchelle, Decoy Show Chairman, at decoyshow@upperbaymuseum.org. We look forward to a successful 49th Annual Upper Shore Decoy Show and we hope to have you join us at the oldest continuously running decoy show in the country.

Best Regards,

Rick Bouchelle

Decoy Show Chairman

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 North East, Maryland 21901

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**SHOW APPLICATION**

Exhibitor Name/Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Website or Facebook page (for advertising): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Additional Badge Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

What are you exhibiting? (decoys, flat art, model boats etc.)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT** – check here if you require:

* Electrical Outlets (wall spaces are limited)
* Space for a large free-standing display
* Any other special considerations \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Number of spaces reserved: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Total amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Spaces:**

Each space will be one 8’ table and 2 chairs will be provided, each space fee is $80.00. All tables must be covered, NO additional tables will be allowed either in front of or behind exhibitors due to space constraints UNLESS located along the outside walls.

**Set-up/Break down:**

Set-up is Friday 12:00 to 4:00. Break down begins at the completion of the show on Saturday at 4:00.

**Show Hours:**

The doors open Friday evening at 4:00pm – 6:00 pm, the auction will begin at 7:00 pm. We will have a preview for the auction starting at 6:00 pm. Saturday will be 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Maryland Sales Tax:**

It is the responsibility of the vendor to collect and submit the sales tax. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Please sign and return this application with payment to Upper Bay Museum, all checks are to be made out to Upper Bay Museum. Although we take extreme care, Upper Bay Museum cannot be responsible for your goods during the show. Exhibitors agree to hold harmless Upper Bay Museum for any damages to or loss of exhibitor’s property. Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_