

Boston Public Library	Operations Policy
Private Event Policy	Date Approved: November 16, 2010 Previously Approved: January 16, 2007, November 16, 2004

POLICY

The Board of Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, or its designee, approves all event usage of the Boston Public Library. The Trustees may determine the number of events to be operated simultaneously and does not guarantee sole use of the Central Library. Library programs and events take precedence over external group events.

No political activity or campaign fundraising is permitted. Wedding ceremonies performed in conjunction with a reception are permitted.

All organizations or groups shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Boston Public Library and the City of Boston, its officers, agents and employees from and against any and all claims, suits, actions of any kind, arising and resulting and accruing from any negligent act, omission or error of the organization or group resulting in or relating to personal injuries, property damage, or any other claim arising from the organization/group's event or use of the Library's event spaces.

Companion Documents: Boston Public Library, Private Event Procedures
 Boston Public Library, Private Events Pricing Guide