

18TH ANNUAL  
**WATERSHED** *festival*  
Hosted by **MONTANA OUTDOOR SCIENCE SCHOOL** 2016



**Volunteer Information**

**VOLUNTEER EVENT OVERVIEW**

**Thank you for supporting the Watershed Festival and helping us make the event happen!**

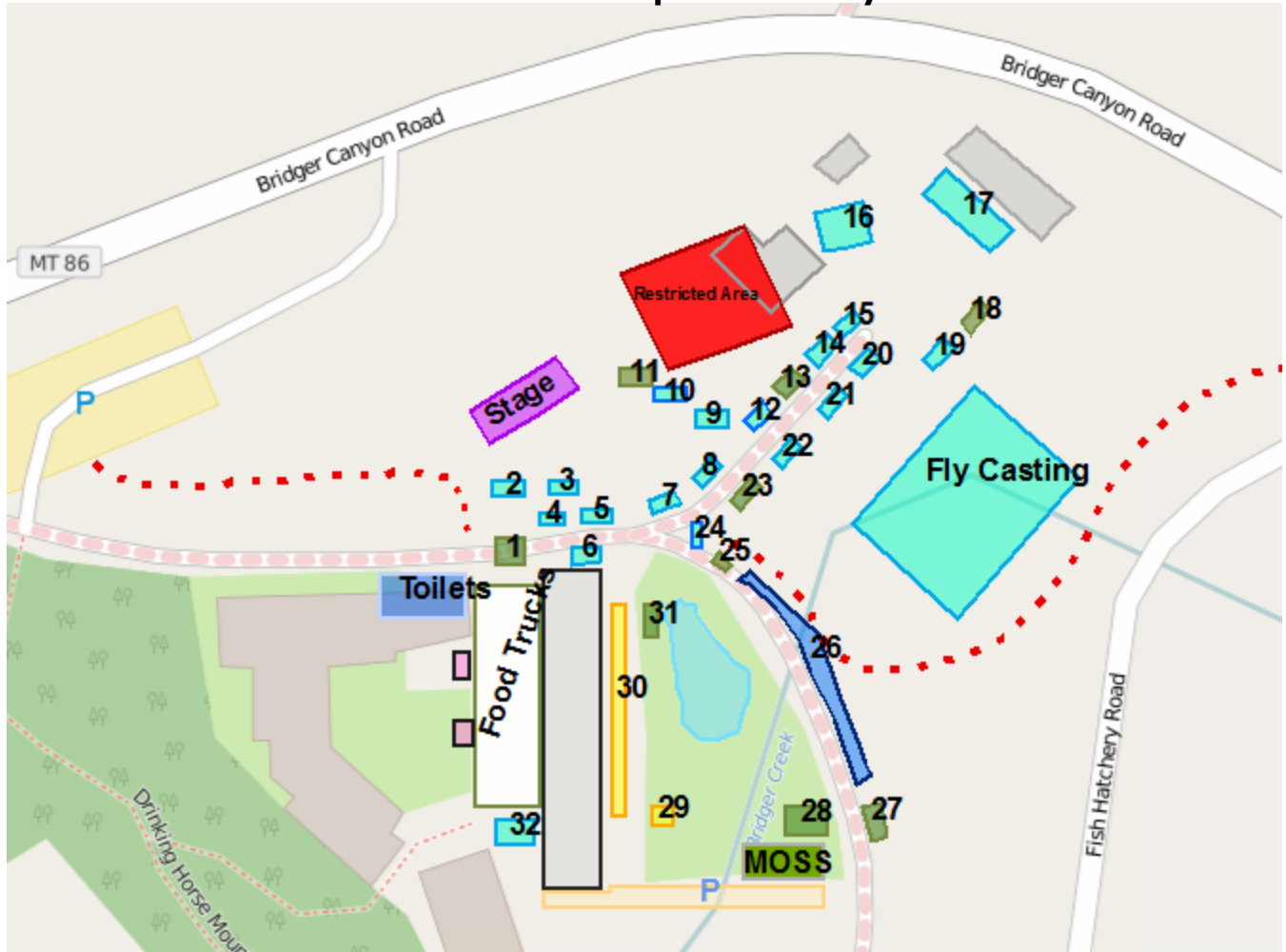
Here's what you need to know for the event:

1. The event begins at 10:00am. After 9:30am the road traveling through the Fish Technology Center grounds will be restricted and closed for the duration of the event.
  - a. Arrive by 9:30am assist with setup, become familiar with the festival grounds and your volunteer assignments, and to secure parking in the Drinking Horse parking lot or behind the MOSS office.
  - b. If you are scheduled for specific times in the day, please arrive at least 10 minutes in advance.
  - c. Head to the MOSS office and pick up your volunteer packet and any materials you may need for your assignment.
  - d. If you are scheduled to arrive or leave the festival between the hours of 9:30am to 3:30pm, be sure to park your vehicle at either the Oak parking lot at the fairgrounds or the Drinking Horse Parking lot.
2. This year we are providing shuttle service starting at 9:30am from Gallatin County Fairgrounds Oak parking lot located on Oak Street just west of the Rouse intersection. The shuttle will pick up people at the Fairgrounds lot on the half hour until 1:30p and leave from the FTC grounds on the hour with the last shuttle running at 3:00pm. Please encourage people to utilize this resource. Parking is SEVERLY LIMITED at the event. If possible, PLEASE CARPOOL! If driving is your last resort option and you are joining us all day, please park next to the MOSS Building. However, if you are only slotted for specific times during the day, you will have to park in the parking lot above the FTC grounds. This will be full!
3. You will be assigned to one or two areas. First, head to the MOSS building to receive your assignment and materials. The information here will lead you to your designated station to set up for the event or ask you to check in with the person in charge of the station. In the event that you need to leave your area, please make sure that someone else is covering this area or that those whom you are assisting are aware of your absence.
4. Coffee and doughnuts will be available in the morning, generously donated by City Brew and Granny's Doughnuts. Snacks and refreshments will be provided for volunteers throughout the event.
5. If you have any questions, please contact Alexandria Wilkins at 406-582-0526 or by email at [alexandria2016.moss@gmail.com](mailto:alexandria2016.moss@gmail.com).
  - a. If you have questions the day of the event, Alexandria can be reached via cell at 714-204-5394.

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## Festival Map & Directory



\* Overview of 2016 Watershed Festival

Booth #	Organization/Activity	Booth #	Organization/Activity
1	MOSS Welcome Booth	17	USFS Bear Aware Trailer
2	Coyote Kids	18	MOSS Incredible Journey
3	Yellowstone National Park	19	Fly Tying
4	Montana Wilderness Association	20	MSU Extension
5	American Rivers	21	Clark Fork Watershed Education Program
6	Gallatin River Task Force	22	Gallatin County Weed District
7	Bozeman Public Library	23	MOSS Bubble Painting
8	Jack Creek Preserve	24	Ken Hall Photography
9	MT Watercourse/Project WET	25	MOSS Bucket Raffle
10	Buffalo Feather Studio	26	FTC Fish Cleaning
11	MOSS Decomposers	27	MOSS Macro Invertebrates
12	Maggie Perrott Fine Art	28	MOSS Face Painting
13	MOSS Watercolor Painting	29	Duck Booth
14	MT Energy Education Council	30	Duck Raceway
15	Bozeman Water Conservation	31	MOSS Fish Dissection
16	Montana Raptor Conservation Center	32	Bridger Volunteer Fire Dept.



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**VOLUNTEER POSITIONS & RESPONSIBILITIES**

**Here is an overview of the different roles volunteers will be playing during the event:**

- **Shuttle & Parking Attendant**: Assists with setup of shuttle stops, rides the shuttle, greets event guests, monitors parking within lots, and provides directions and information to guests.
- **Traffic Control & Parking Attendant**: Directing traffic for the Drinking Horse parking lot and informing festival patrons of acceptable parking locations for the festival.
- **Duck Race Assistants & Sellers**: Assist duck race coordinator with duck runs, keeping track of duck numbers, selling ducks as necessary, supervising the participants during heats, and awarding prizes.
- **Fishing Derby**: Help the Fish Technology Center staff re-spool fishing lines and direct guests to the fish cleaning tables and the fish pond. Have the opportunity to be a part of child's first catch!
- **Arts & Crafts Booths**: Get crafty and creative with kids and adults! May get a little messy.
  - Watercolor Painting
  - Bubble Painting
- **Incredible Journey Game Booth**: Get active in a game that involves rolling dice and moving between stations as it demonstrates the journey a water droplet takes through the water cycle.
- **Face Painting**: Hone your artistic talents painting faces with all sorts of designs! Prior experience is not necessary.
- **Fly Casting**: Be a part of teaching festival guests how to properly cast a fly fishing rod through demos and hands-on learning.
- **Roving Event Attendants**: Get some exercise in as you walk around the event assisting festival guests with directions and event information, helping keep the festival grounds clean, and assisting with breaks for volunteers throughout the day.