



Birthday Parties

AT JANE'S CAROUSEL



Available when the Carousel is Open to the Public

2019



Jane's Carousel, set on the East River in Brooklyn Bridge Park, is a year round magical venue for a super fun Birthday Celebration.

Parties are Available for a maximum of 50 people and can be arranged during times that we're open to the public. Wristbands will be distributed to everyone for unlimited rides throughout the party. All guests will all receive a gift of a souvenir ticket for a future visit. Experienced and friendly staff will be on site to operate the Carousel for the duration of the party.

The Duration of the Party is two hours. We book just 2 parties a day at 11:00-1:00 and 3:00-5:00. Setting up will be permitted 45 minutes prior to the official start time of your party. After the party and rides end, you (the host) will be given ½ hour to clean up and vacate the designated party area. Please remember that you, not the Carousel staff, are responsible for the coordination, set up and clean-up of your party. The Carousel staff is present to operate the Carousel.

Cost of the Party is \$300 for a maximum of 30 people and \$500 for a maximum of 50 people. Children, babies and adults are all included in the guest count.

In Summer Months and good weather, outdoor seating will be provided in the popular picnic grove. Four 30" x 96" picnic tables with benches, clearly marked for Carousel use and outfitted with colorful umbrellas for shade, are reserved and dedicated exclusively for our Birthday Parties.

In Winter Months and inclement weather, a picturesque indoor seating area will be provided inside the Carousel pavilion. Four tables 30" x 96" and four benches are provided along with coat racks and hangers. The pavilion is fully heated and very comfortable and cozy in the winter.

Food, Decorations and Entertainment are not provided by Jane's Carousel. Of course you are welcome to bring your own simple refreshments, party food and decorations. Entertainment, face painters, etc. are always fun and permitted but must be approved at least one week prior to the party.

For Booking Inquiries:

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Birthday Parties at Jane's Carousel are always amazing and create wonderful memories.



Some Necessary Rules and Regulations

All Carousel rules, as posted in the pavilion, as well as all Brooklyn Bridge Park rules must be respected and obeyed.

Alcohol is strictly prohibited in Brooklyn Bridge Park and not permitted in the pavilion when the Carousel is open to the public.

Decorations are welcome but helium balloons are not permitted in the pavilion and signage may not be posted on the Carousel pavilion façade.

BBQ's, open flame grilling and cooking on site are not permitted in Brooklyn Bridge Park or the pavilion.

Popcorn and cotton candy machines cannot be allowed at parties when we are open to the public.

Open flames, except for birthday candles are not permitted in the pavilion.

Parking and Drop Off. There is no vehicle access to the Carousel. There is parking available in nearby parking garages as well as some limited street parking. The closest intersection for drop-offs is Water Street at Dock Street.



2019 Prices subject to change

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Frequently Asked Q and A

Will I be able to come early and set up?

Yes, you will be given approximately 45 min-1 hour prior to the party start time to set up.

Am I responsible for the children at my party throughout the entire time?

Yes, you are responsible for the children at your party. Carousel staff's primary function is to operate the Carousel.

Do I have to clean up after the party?

Yes, you are responsible for the clean up of your party. Once the party time ends, you will have 1/2 hour to clear the space.

What if I bring over 30 people to a 30 person party?

You will be charged for a 50 person party.

Do babies get counted as a child?

Yes, everyone is counted.

Can I have a grill, extra table, bouncy castle, cotton candy machine, etc?

Brooklyn Bridge Park has designated rules for the picnic grove. It is always a good idea to ask before bringing any additional items. The park does not allow open flame grills, BBQs, etc. in this section of the park. Bouncy castles, cotton candy and popcorn machines are also not allowed in the picnic grove or in the pavilion when the Carousel is open to the public.

Can I serve alcohol?

Alcohol is strictly prohibited in Brooklyn Bridge Park and is not permitted in the pavilion during hours when the Carousel is open to the Public.

Is there electrical power in the picnic grove?

There are no electric outlets in the picnic grove.

What size are the tables?

There are four 30"x 96" tables with benches inside the pavilion and outside in the picnic grove.



Outdoor Picnic Tables (for use in summer & nice days)

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You reserve four tables in the picnic grove, can I reserve more?

Jane's Carousel can only reserve four tables in the grove. Additional tables are available on a first come, first serve basis. If tables are available you are welcome to take them, but please be considerate of other park goers and parties.

Once our two hour time period is over, can we stay at the picnic tables?

A staff member from Jane's Carousel will inform you when you need to clear the picnic tables.

Please remember that we have two parties a day and the tables may be needed again.

Can I have my party inside?

Indoor parties are held throughout the cold winter months and only in the event of inclement weather in the summer.

How far away are the restrooms?

Restrooms are about one block away in the Brooklyn Bridge Park Education Center at 99 Plymouth Street.

They are equipped with changing tables.

There are no balloons allowed at the Carousel, what if I want a balloon animal artist?

Jane's Carousel does not allow *helium* balloons inside the Pavilion, however, you are welcome to have a clown or balloon artist who makes balloon designs. Helium balloons let loose can float up, get tangled in, and damage the Carousel gears!

Can we drive into the park to unload our party food, decorations, gifts, guests, etc.?

Vehicles are not permitted in Brooklyn Bridge Park. Drop offs can be made close by at Water & Dock St. or at Main St. entrance to the park.

If there is a line for the Carousel, do my guests have to wait in it?

No. Your guests will be admitted by a Carousel operator. They may stay on the Carousel as long as they'd like, within the 2 hour time frame.



Indoor Tables (for use in winter & rainy days)

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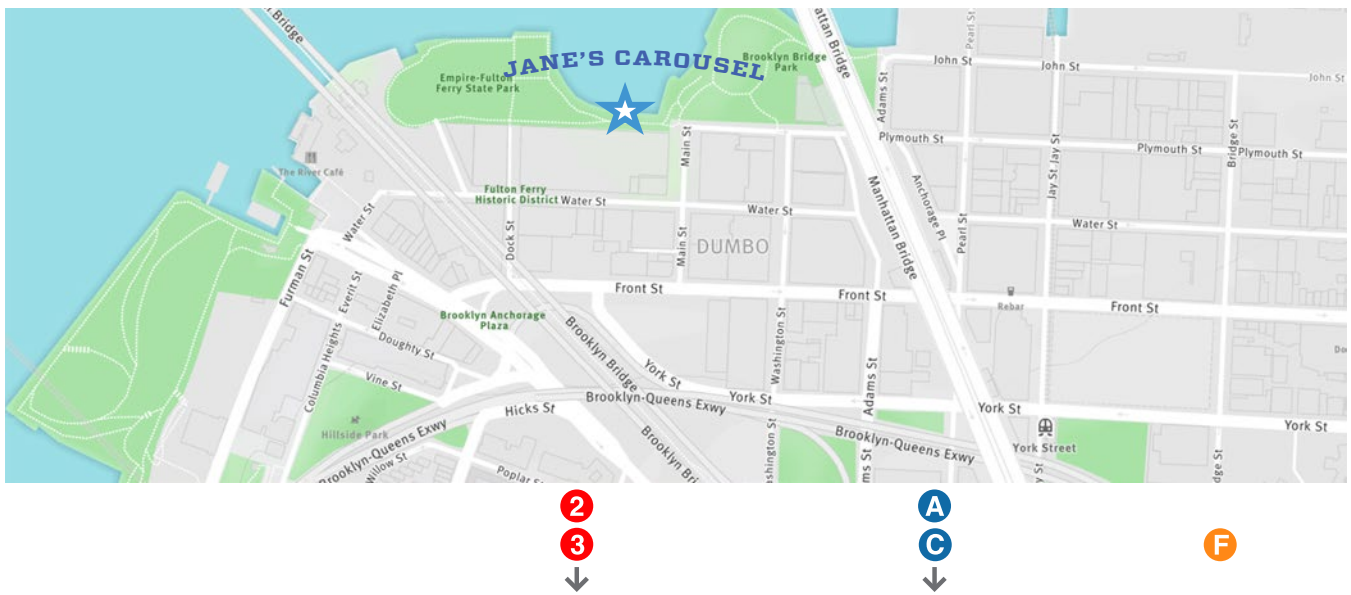
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Jane's Carousel is located in the DUMBO section of Brooklyn Bridge Park, on the East River, between the Brooklyn and Manhattan Bridges. The Carousel is easily accessed from park entrances at Dock Street or Main Street.

By Subway

F F Train to York Street Make a right when exiting the train station. Walk 1 block down Jay Street to Front Street. Turn left, walk 3 blocks to Main Street. Turn right and walk 2 blocks to the park entrance.

A C A/C to High Street If you are coming from Manhattan, exit at the rear of the train. Walk downhill on Cadman Plaza West (which becomes Old Fulton Street) to the river. Walk 1 block right on Water Street and left on Dock Street into the Park.

2 3 2/3 to Clark Street Exit the station elevator and make a left onto Henry Street. Walk down Henry Street and turn left on Old Fulton Street. Continue downhill to the river and turn right on Water Street. Walk 1 block to the Park entrance at Dock Street into the Park.

On Foot

If you have time, it's a thrilling walk over the Brooklyn Bridge from lower Manhattan to the Carousel. Take the footpath over the Bridge which exits on to Washington Street. Walk down the hill, toward the river on Washington Street to Front Street. Turn left on Front Street, walk 1 block to Main Street and turn right. Continue 2 blocks on Main Street to the park entrance at the river.

By Ferry

The ferry is a fun way to come to the Carousel.

[The East River Ferry Service](#) & [New York Water Taxi](#)

By Car

From Manhattan First exit off the Brooklyn Bridge. Stay right down the exit ramp, to Cadman Plaza West, then curve left on to Old Fulton Street. Continue down Old Fulton St. toward the river and turn right on Front Street. Parking is available on Front Street or the corner of Main & Front Street. Enter the park at either Dock Street or Main Street.

From Brooklyn Take Atlantic Avenue to Boerum Place heading toward the Brooklyn Bridge. Boerum Place becomes Adams Street. Stay in the far left lane and turn left onto Tillary Street. Turn right on to Cadman Plaza West. At the end, turn left on to Old Fulton Street. Continue down Old Fulton St. toward the river and turn right on Front Street.

Parking

Front Street (between Dock St & Main Street)

45 Main Street (corner of Front & Main Street)

Adams Street (off the corner of Front Street)

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