

19th Annual

Maine Herpetological Society Reptile Expo

In a new location!

Sunday, August 25, 2019

9am-4pm

Ramada Lewiston and Conference Center, Lewiston, Maine

490 Pleasant Street

Lewiston Maine 04240 off I-95/Maine Turnpike Lewiston Exit

Please fill out Completely and Return with Payment:

I need the following # of tables _____ @ **\$40** each totaling \$_____

Please make checks payable to the "Maine Herpetological Society" and mail to
MHS, 99 Water, Millinocket, ME, 04462

Business _____ Contact Person _____

Address _____

City/ State/ Zip _____

Phone number _____

Email _____ website /URL _____

What are you selling? _____

Please carefully read the vendor regulations and information on the reverse side of this application.

"I have read and agree to abide by the vendor regulations listed on the reverse side of this application and to hold the Maine Herpetological Society, the coordinators and staff of the Lewiston Reptile Expo, and the Ramada Lewiston and Conference Center Lewiston, ME harmless from all claims beyond the price of the rental table."

Date _____ Signature _____

Vendor Requirements:

Tables/Payments

- Tables are 6 ft. long and only \$40 each. Tables are not considered reserved until receipt of payment. If you cancel your space before July 25, 2019 so that we may resell the space, the table fee will be refunded. **If cancellation occurs after that date, there will be no refund issued.**
- Tables must be claimed by 9am or they may be made available to other vendors.
- MHS retains the right to prohibit certain types of exhibits and behavior that we feel is inappropriate or unsafe. For example, excessive flashing lights, loud music, handing out flyers away from your table, walking around with animals for sale is prohibited.
- Signs or banners may be taped but not nailed to the wall behind your table if you have wall space. Please use tape that will not damage the surface of the wall.

Set Up

- Vendor set-up time is from 7am to 9am. Show hours are from 9am to 4pm

General Rules

- No smoking or alcoholic beverages are allowed at the Expo.
- The staff reserves the right to refuse entry or evict any vendor not in compliance with any of the above show regulations without refund of table rental fee.

Animal Rules

- All animals for sale or display **MUST** be on the State of Maine Unrestricted Species List. The unrestricted species list can be found at <https://www.maine.gov/ifw/docs/unrestrictedspecies.pdf>.
- Although we do not restrict sales to just captive bred animals, we do require that all animals be healthy and acclimated. Any animal deemed unsuitable or unhealthy by the MHS staff or our Expo Vet must be removed from the table without question.
- All animals must be sold in secure, sanitary containers or bags. No loose animals please.
- Animals for sale must be properly housed and not displayed in overcrowded cages.
- Crickets or other feeder insects are allowed only in sealed, pre-counted boxes.
- No live mice or rats, except eyes-closed pinky/fuzzy feeders are allowed inside the building.
- No venomous reptiles are allowed to be sold.
- Vendors must be prepared to provide a receipt upon request to the purchaser that includes the vendor's name, address, and phone number.
- Vendors assume full responsibility for all animals brought to the show, and any injuries caused by animals brought by a vendor are the sole responsibility and liability of that vendor.

Stay current on updates related to the Lewiston Reptile Expo by visiting <https://www.meherpsociety.org>

Event Organizer: Doug Kranich

For event related questions, contact Doug at (585) 781-8168 or Jeremy at (207) 485 2778

or email MeHerpSociety@gmail.com

Please make checks payable to: **Maine Herpetological Society**

Mail checks & Vendor Applications to: **Doug Kranich, 99 Water Street, Millinocket, ME 04462**

Payments may also be made via PayPal to: MeHerpSociety@gmail.com (same as the email)

Filled out vendor applications can also be sent via email to MeHerpSociety@gmail.com