



## ***The Longest Night Sponsorship Pledge***

The Longest Night is a fundraising and educational event supporting the Bancroft House, a privately funded and operated homeless shelter in Franconia. Founded in 1982, the Bancroft House provided sanctuary for the homeless in the North Country at little or no cost to those in need. The Bancroft House has provided food and shelter for hundreds of family members over the years and will continue in this mission with your generous support of this event.

The Bancroft House is totally dependent upon the support of donors and supporters.

***The participant asking for your pledge is committing to spending December 21<sup>st</sup> “temporarily homeless” for one night, eating and sleeping out-of-doors from 6:00 PM to 6:00 AM.***

Every dollar you donate helps provide food and shelter to a homeless family in the North Country.

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***Please pay by check made out to The Bancroft House***

*The Bancroft House is a not-for-profit 501c-3 organization - Your tax deductible donation will be gratefully acknowledged.*



## The Longest Night Registration

To benefit the services of the Bancroft House in providing sanctuary for homeless families of the North Country

Participants Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

The Longest Night Event is a fundraiser for the programs of the Bancroft House which provide emergency shelter, food, and resources for the North Country homeless. The event involves camping out of doors at the Dow Field in Franconia, New Hampshire for the evening of December 21<sup>st</sup> from 6:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. Participants are required to have sleeping equipment (blankets, comforters, sleeping bags, etc.) that will insure adequate insulation for extreme winter conditions. The use of personal tents or other shelters is encouraged. Primitive tarp shelters will be available on a limited basis. Parents must accompany any participants under the age of fourteen years.

**Indemnity Agreement & Liability Release:** I, the Participant named above, understand that there are inherent risks associated with winter camping and, in consideration of being allowed to participate in this event, on my behalf, my family members, successors, heirs, administrators and executors, I do hereby waive and release all rights and claims for damages or injury which I may have against the Bancroft House as well as any other person or business, sponsor, or entity connected with this event, including their respective officers, directors, employees, agents, attorneys, administrators, executors, successors, heirs, or representatives, as their interests may appear, with respect to any injury or loss of any kind that I may suffer while taking part in the event or thereafter.

**Representation of Participant:** By participating in this event I agree that I will not be under the influence of any mind or mood altering substance, including alcohol and I certify that I am in good health with no known medical conditions that may be exacerbated by prolonged exposure to the cold or any other conditions that might be experienced during the course of this event.

My signature below acknowledges that I have read and understand the entire document, including the provision relating to **Indemnity and Release of Liability** and that I hereby and herein agree to all said terms and conditions:

Participant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parental Permission:** As the parent or legal guardian of the above participant who is under the legal age of majority in the state of New Hampshire (18 years of age), I do hereby give my permission for him/her to participate in this event, with full understanding of, and agreement to, the **Indemnity Agreement & Liability Release** above and its application to his/her participation in this event. Parents must accompany any participants under the age of fourteen years.

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Bring this Registration, Pledge Sheet (reverse) & Pledges to Longest Night Event on 12/21**