

**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP
IN THE
FAIRBANKS FAMILY IN AMERICA, INC.**

*Every lineal descendant of
Jonathan & Grace Fayerbanke of Dedham, Massachusetts
or the spouse of said descendant
is eligible for membership.*

Regular (Annual) Membership: \$25
Life Membership: \$500

Date: _____

I enclose \$_____ for Regular / Life (circle one) membership.

I am a: direct descendant _____ spouse of a direct descendant _____

Full Name: _____ Maiden: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Occupation: _____

Name as I would like it to appear on my membership certificate (if different from above):

Membership in other Societies (e.g. D.A.R., S.A.R., Mayflower Descendants): _____

I would like to know more about taking an active role in the Fairbanks family association and/or volunteering at the Fairbanks House.

I was born on _____ at _____

1. I was married on _____ at _____

to _____ born on _____

at _____ died or divorced on _____

2. I was married on _____ at _____

to _____ born on _____

at _____ died or divorced on _____

My last Fairbank(s) ancestor listed in the 1897 genealogy by L.S. Fairbanks is:

_____ No. _____ Page _____

**If you have any questions, please call our office at 781/326-1170
or email us at homestead@fairbankshouse.org**

**YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED
TO
BECOME A MEMBER
OF
THE FAIRBANKS FAMILY IN AMERICA, INC.**

WHO WE ARE

The Fairbanks Family in America (FFA) is a non-profit association incorporated in 1903 and organized to own and preserve the Fairbanks House in Dedham, MA built circa 1637-1641 for Jonathan and Grace Fayerbanke and inhabited by their descendants until 1904. The house is furnished with objects donated by members of the family. We maintain an expanding archive of information on the Fairbanks family including genealogical records, historic documents, and architectural information about the Fairbanks House. We work to educate members and the public about the history of the Fairbank(s) family. We are governed by a board of directors elected from our membership, and we host a family reunion each year on the grounds of the Fairbanks House.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

- Subscription to the *Homestead Courier*, published quarterly and filled with information about our family's past and present and the Fairbanks House and its collections
- Free admission to the Fairbanks House for the FFA member
- A 10% discount on all purchases in our on-site gift shop
- An opportunity to meet other members of our extended family at the annual reunion and other events sponsored by FFA
- A certificate of membership suitable for framing
- Your dues help preserve the Fairbanks House, a tangible link to our past and the nation's oldest remaining timber-frame house

HOW TO JOIN

Acceptance for membership requires reasonable evidence that you are a descendant of Jonathan Fayerbanke of Dedham, MA or the spouse of a descendant. We can assist you by comparing your information to the Fairbanks family genealogy compiled in 1897.

Complete this membership application and return it along with your dues payment in cash or check payable to the Fairbanks Family in America. Dues are \$25.00 for an annual membership or \$500 for a lifetime membership. Please allow up to four weeks for us to mail your new member package and membership certificate.

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