

History of DeBary Hall

DeBary Hall was the winter retreat of a European-borne wine merchant who chose the St. Johns River country for his hunting estate. Frederick deBary acquired lands in the 1870s, built a large vacation house, and tried his hand at orange growing and steam-boating.



From the 1870s to the 1940s, this estate hosted family and guests, most of whom arrived on steamers owned by the deBarys. Known for its quail hunting and hospitality, the retreat grew to more than 6,000 acres. Today's site features the 8,000-square-foot Victorian house museum and the recently restored historic stables.

DeBary Hall Inc.

DeBary Hall Inc. is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit group of dedicated volunteers. Incorporated in January 1991, it has supported Volusia County in the preservation of this historic landmark.

Through fundraising, DeBary Hall Inc. supports special events and programs that focus on the historical significance of DeBary Hall Historic Site. We look forward to restoring the grounds surrounding and furnishing the main house with period-sensitive pieces.



DeBary Hall in the 1870s.



DeBary Hall's main orange grove in the 1880s.

Mission statement

DeBary Hall Inc. is dedicated to the preservation of DeBary's nationally registered historic site and to support community education programs that help to promote this beautiful site.

How can you help preserve this landmark?

By becoming a friend of DeBary Hall, you will support the preservation of the historic hall and its educational programs. Because DeBary Hall Inc. is a 501(c)(3) corporation, your membership may be tax-deductible. Consult your tax adviser for more information.

Annual membership levels

Student (ages 5 - 18)	\$12
Senior	\$12
Individual	\$15
Family	\$45
Patron	\$100
Guardian	\$500
Corporate	\$1,000

Annual membership privileges

Student, individual and senior membership:

Annual membership card, quarterly newsletter, recognition in newsletter, one tour admission, 10 percent off purchases in the gift shop, and advance invitation to DeBary Hall Inc. events

Family membership: Family membership card, quarterly newsletter, recognition in newsletter, four tour admissions, 10 percent off purchases in the gift shop, and advance invitation to DeBary Hall Inc. events

Patron: Family membership card, quarterly newsletter, recognition in newsletter, four tour admissions, 10 percent off purchases in the gift shop, advance invitation to DeBary Hall Inc. events, and discounts on event tickets

Guardian: Family membership card, quarterly newsletter, recognition in newsletter, six tour admissions, 10 percent off purchases in the gift shop, advance invitation to DeBary Hall Inc. events, discounts on event tickets, guardian level ribbon, and special acknowledgement at annual event.

Corporate: Company recognized at annual fundraiser, business-card ad in quarterly newsletter, six tour admissions, 10 percent off your purchases in the gift shop, advance invitation to DeBary Hall Inc. events, discounts on event tickets, corporate level ribbon, and special acknowledgement at annual event.

Membership form

Please fill out this form and mail it with your check or money order to:

Friends of DeBary Hall

DeBary Hall Inc.
210 Sunrise Blvd.
DeBary Hall, FL 32713

Check one:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Student (ages 5 - 18) - \$12 | <input type="checkbox"/> Family - \$45 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Senior - \$12 | <input type="checkbox"/> Patron - \$100 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual - \$15 | <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian - \$500 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Corporate - \$1,000 |

Name: _____

Address: _____

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Method of payment:

- Check
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 Bill me
 I do not wish to join at this time; however,
I would like to make a donation: \$ _____ . _____

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*The Board of Directors of
DeBary Hall Inc. invites
you to become a member
of its Friends support
organization to help
preserve and restore
DeBary Hall, a nationally
recognized treasure.*

