

PARK USE INFORMATION

Thank you for reserving one of our Sioux Falls Parks and Recreation facilities. We hope your event will be enjoyable.

Please use the following information to help plan your event.

You may call the Park Office at 367-8222 for more information or to apply for permits. Please note that you must obtain

any necessary permits from the Park Office

a minimum of two working days prior to your event.

Park shelter reservations must be made at least five working days in advance of the reservation date. If a shelter has not been reserved, it is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

- * Consumption of malt beverages including beer is allowed in nonglass containers in all parks, except the following: **Alcohol is prohibited at Arrowhead, Falls, Fawick, Heritage, Kenny Anderson, Lyon, McKennan, Pasley, Tomar, Tower, Tuthill, Van Eps, Veterans' Memorial, and Whittier Parks.** No alcohol other than malt beverages is allowed in any park.
- * Use of glass bottles in parks is prohibited.
- * Vehicles are not allowed on the grass or sidewalks in parks. Catering vehicles are allowed on blacktop surfaces only and cannot leave vehicle-designated areas.
- * Grills are not available in any parks but you may provide your own. Using grills **under** shelters is not permitted—grills must be used away from shelters. Coals must be cold to the touch before being placed in garbage cans. Please do not dump coals on the ground. No portable fire pits are permitted.
- * There are approximately eight to ten picnic tables under each picnic shelter. The Sertoma shelter has enough tables for 440 people. If more tables are needed for your event, you are allowed to move tables from a nearby open area in the park; however, vehicles may not be used to do so.
- * Electrical use should not exceed 110-volt/20-amp. This will allow two home appliances, such as a coffeemaker and a roaster, to be plugged in. You will need to provide a generator for any additional electrical needs.
- * Hog roasters may not be pulled onto grass or sidewalk areas. They must be set up in a parking lot.



- * Volleyball courts can be used on a first-come, first-served basis, but cannot be reserved with a picnic shelter.
- * Dunk tanks are prohibited.
- * Children's trains or petting zoos are prohibited.
- * Pony rides or carriage rides in parks or on bike trails are prohibited.
- * Tents and canopies are allowed with a permit obtained through the Park Office. The permit must be posted and visible on the outside of the tent.
- * Portable toilets may be allowed with a permit obtained through the Park Office. The permit must be posted and visible on the outside of the portable toilet.
- * Commercial inflatable devices or portable play structures are allowed with a permit obtained through the Park Office. The permit must be posted and visible on the outside of the device or structure. Proof of general liability insurance is required to obtain this permit. For a list of vendors who have acceptable liability coverage, please call the Park Office.
- * City ordinance requires amplified sound permits for sound variances over a certain decibel level. If your event may have this situation, please contact the Sioux Falls Health Department at 367-8760 a minimum of two weeks prior to your event to obtain this permit.
- * It shall be unlawful for any person to promote, sell, or offer to sell any article or anything of any type in any park except by permit.
- * Handbills may not be placed in or on any vehicle within any park.
- * Except when permitted by the Director of Parks and Recreation, no person shall erect any sign or attach any notice or other writing to any tree, post, wall, fence, or building within any park. Temporary signs are allowed with authorization by the Director of Parks and Recreation. Signs may not block any park signs or hang from any chain-link fence. Banners attached without being nailed or staked into the ground are allowed. Banners and temporary signs must be removed immediately following an event.
- * Chairs may be brought in for weddings, or other large events, but must be removed immediately following the event. Chairs may not be delivered the day before an event and left overnight in the park.
- * Garbage cans and recycling containers for plastics, tin, and aluminum are available at each shelter location. We appreciate your help with litter pickup to ensure that the park is ready for the next group.

**Please share this information with your group.
Enjoy your event.**

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