

Summary of Rules and Regulations

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Littering

- 1.0 Littering, dumping of garbage, sewage and noxious material is prohibited
- 1.4 Possession of aerosol paint containers is prohibited

Firearms

- 2.0 Discharging of firearms, weapons, and explosives of any type is permitted only within specially designated areas for specially designated purposes within the parks and in compliance with all State of Ohio and Federal laws pertaining to the use of firearms.

Soliciting

- 3.0 Soliciting, unlawful sales, and advertising of commercial enterprises is prohibited
- 3.3 A special use permit from the Director is required for the sale of any articles by any business or commercial enterprise within the parks

Alcohol

- 4.0 Alcoholic beverages are prohibited within all areas of the parks
- 4.3 Obtaining, use of or possession of narcotics and other controlled substances are prohibited

Obscene Behavior

- 5.0 Obscene or indecent acts or behavior are not permitted within the parks

Camping Areas

- 6.0 Camping is permitted in designated areas only, and subject to the rules and regulations posted at that particular site

Fires

- 7.0 Fires are permitted only in picnic grills and fire rings provided for that purpose

Hours

- 8.0 Park hours are from 8:00 am to dark, except in campgrounds and areas where special permit has been granted

Hunting

- 9.0 Hunting, trapping, and the molesting of wildlife is prohibited within the parks. Hunting is permitted only in specially designated areas for those sportsmen obtaining proper permission and adhering to established rules and regulations. Collecting of fruits, nuts, mushrooms and berries is permitted in unrestricted areas.

Pets

- 10.0 Pets must be kept on a leash, and not be left unattended. Attaching leashes to trees is prohibited

Boating

- 11.0 Boating is permitted subject to the statutes of the State of Ohio. Restrictions on size and power vary with locations

Non-registered Vehicles

- 12.0 Non-registered motor vehicles may not be operated on any roadways within the parks

Traffic Violations

- 13.0 Traffic regulations pertaining to right-of-way, speed limits, parking, etc., shall be as posted

Sledding and Skiing

- 14.0 Sledding and skiing are permitted only in those areas which have been designated for that purpose

Swimming

- 15.0 Swimming is permitted only at designated swimming areas and subject to all rules and regulations pertaining to that specific area

Permits

16.0 Possession of a permit is necessary for the use of many park facilities

Scuba Diving

17.0 Scuba diving is permitted only in those areas designated for that purpose and are subject to all rules and regulations pertaining to that specific area

Vandalism

18.0 Vandalism, defacement, destruction, removal or disturbance of park property is prohibited

Disorderly Conduct

19.0 Disorderly conduct is prohibited

19.3 Disturbing the Peace with a sound-producing device is prohibited

Unauthorized Access

20.0 Unauthorized access or presence without proper permit shall be considered trespassing

Rules

21.0 All persons must adhere to the rules and regulations of the Sandusky County Park District and the laws of the State of Ohio, and comply with the orders of Park District Rangers

Smoking

22.0 Smoking is prohibited in all Park District buildings and on the beach

