

Harper Woods Recreation Department Picnic Rules and Regulations

1. In order to book a picnic site, you **must be 21 years of age or older and have a valid Harper Woods ID.**
2. Park Shelters and the Pavilion are available for reservations from **12pm - 8pm.** Park attendants will lock the restrooms by 8pm.
3. Alcohol may be consumed in picnic shelter/pavilion areas only. It is not permitted on ball diamonds, play areas or parking lots.
4. Picnic groups may not drive in the park to a picnic site to load or unload supplies. Please do not attempt to drive to your picnic site. If handicapped assistance is needed, please see a park attendant.
5. Motorcycles and vehicles shall be driven only on designated roadways and in speeds not in excess of 10 miles per hour, using care in approaching children and pedestrians.
6. Parking will be permitted only in designated parking areas.
7. **No dogs or other pets allowed in Johnston Park. Dogs are allowed at Salter Park, but not in the shelter or play scape. Dogs must remain on a leash at all times. Rules regarding dogs are posted at the front of Salter Park.**
8. Golf is not allowed in parks.
9. No open flames, bonfires, fireworks, or other unconfined fires allowed.
10. **Bands, DJ's and loud music are not allowed. Any type of firecrackers or fireworks are prohibited.**
11. **Carnival type equipment, such as moonwalks, BOUNCE HOUSES, trains, horses, animals, portable arcades, etc. are not allowed in the parks or parking lots.**
12. All papers and other rubbish must be placed in receptacles. Please keep the site clean.
13. Courtesy, moderation, and respect for the rights of your neighbor will make for a more enjoyable park visit.
14. Boisterous conduct and use of profane language is prohibited.
15. Picnic tables cannot be moved from park sites or outside of the pavilion at Salter Park.
16. We have charcoal grills in the park for use. **You may not bring in your own charcoal grill.** Gas grills are permitted.
17. **Please do not use staples.** They are difficult to remove and the sharp edges pose a safety hazard. Please use only tape for decorations, table cover, or signs. Table clamps are also allowed. **Remove all decorations & place them in receptacles.**
18. We must have a valid phone number and/or email to honor the reservation. If we cannot get a hold of you, your picnic will be cancelled with no refund.
19. The resident who books the picnic is responsible for the conduct of their picnic guests, and any violation of the picnic rules.

***If any picnic is in violation of these picnic rules, the resident in charge will lose their picnic privileges.**

****Any questions or further information, please contact 313-343-2560 or Harperwoodsrec@yahoo.com during normal business hours or on the weekends please call 313-343-2806.**

Your cooperation is appreciated.

****2020 Rules. Rules are subject to change year to year****