

PARK USE POLICY & GUIDELINES

It is the users responsibility to read and follow all rules and regulations listed as well as all other park codes. For a complete list of park codes, visit www.everettwa.gov and search Park Codes. Please read and follow the guidelines below. If you have any questions, please inquire at the Recreation Office. Office hours are Monday through Friday 8am-1pm (phone/email only). The telephone number is 425-257-8300 option 2 or email recreation@everettwa.gov.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OR DRUGS ALLOWED IN ANY CITY PARKS OR SHELTERS!
- When posting signs, please do not attach them to trees, shrubs or other plants.
- Remove all signage and/or decorations when you are finished.
- Dispose of trash properly and remove from park at end of use/event.
- If you move picnic tables from elsewhere in the park, please put them back when you are finished. Tables in picnic shelters are to be used with those facilities and not moved.
- No sound amplification in any City parks or shelters without prior written approval via Special Use Permit. Special Use Applications must be submitted at least 14 working days prior to date of use.
- Performer conduct and performance content whether live or recorded, must be appropriate for families and general audiences. Profane, lewd, indecent or slanderous conduct or content is unacceptable.
- Pets must be on a leash at all times. Obey scoop laws and monitor their behavior.
- Hay/straw must be placed on a tarp during use and removed from the parks after the event. Area must be completely free of hay/straw.
- Large amusement-type equipment such as a dunk tank, moon walk/bounce house, miniature train, etc. are not permitted.
- Ensure all guests park in designated parking areas. If you need to unload, do so quickly and then properly park vehicle. Lock vehicles and keep valuables out of sight.
- Don't feed the wildlife—it isn't good for them. In addition, keep food covered to discourage scavenging by squirrels and crows.
- Objectively monitor group's activities—make sure activities, music, etc. are not negatively impacting other park visitors.
- Be aware that you are in an outdoor environment and there are many potential hazards such as uneven ground, holes, steep banks, muddy trails, etc. Watch children at all times. Watch car traffic. Stay in visible lighted areas, use buddy system and stay alert to potential dangers.
- Routine inspections by the Park Rangers or Everett Police Department may be made to ensure that parks are being used in accordance with the park codes. Park users are requested to cooperate fully during these inspections.
- Report hazards or dangerous situations to the Parks Department staff—425-257-8300 option 2 during business hours; Park Ranger 425-754-4835 or 425-745-4867; Everett Police Department non-emergency line 425-407-3999; For Police emergencies call 9-1-1.