

Cottrellville Township Parks and Recreation Rules for Reserving The Pavilion

Purpose: To provide a recreational area within the Cottrellville Township Park for the use of residents and guests.

Park Rules:

1. Do not obstruct any roadway, driveway or walkway within the public park.
2. Do not deface, damage, break or alter any structure, monument, ornament, fence, seat, table, playground equipment, or any property within or pertaining to the park.
3. Do not climb or engage in play on any structure or vegetation in the park not specifically designated and provided for such purpose.
4. Do not remove any structure, vegetation, dirt, sand, earth or sod located in the park.
5. Do not sit or lie upon walk ways, passages, on the parking lot or other areas, which would impede the normal flow of pedestrian or vehicular traffic.
6. Do not congregate within a motorized vehicle parked, stopped or standing in a permissible parking area.
7. Obtain prior written permission from the Township Board of Trustees before using any loudspeakers, public address system or sound amplifying equipment of any kind. Permission will not be granted if the committee deems that such equipment is capable of interfering with the use or enjoyment of the park by other park visitors.
8. Do not engage in loud, abusive, offensive or lewd conduct (or language) that creates a disturbance to other park visitors or nearby neighbors.
9. Do no construct or maintain any structure within the park without prior permission from the Township Board of Trustees.
10. Do not leave or drop off any birds or other animals in the park.

11. Do not throw away trash in any other area of the park, except in the appropriate trash receptacles provided by the park.

Games: Games that involve the tossing of an object, such as a ball, Frisbee, or that would otherwise involve violent or rough play, should not be engaged in any of the following areas:

1. Parking area
2. Any area adjacent to the children's playground
3. Picnic pavilions
4. Areas adjacent to pathways
5. Any area where such activity would interrupt the enjoyment of other park visitors

Vehicle Traffic:

Driving of a motor vehicle, including but not limited to: snowmobiles, motorcycles, trail bikes (peddle type), any type of motorized mini bikes or trail bikes, golf cars and all terrain vehicles (ATV), on park property, except on the appropriate roadway established for that purpose. This does not pertain to motorized or push wheelchairs.

Alcoholic Beverages:

No alcoholic beverages or intoxicants is to be in the possession of a park visitor or guest, whether drinking or just holding a container, beyond a 20 foot perimeter of the pavilion. In addition, no glass bottles or containers are allowed within the park. Any person or person under the age of 21 are not permitted to consume alcohol or intoxicants in the park.

Selling:

No one is permitted to sell or offer to for sale, any article, privilege or service without first obtaining written permission from the Township Board of Trustees. In addition, no begging, hawking or peddling of wares is permitted.

Public & Private Groups:

It is not permitted to arrange, provide, participate in any play, speech, musical or display for the purpose of attracting, amusing, or entertaining the general public without the written approval of the Township Board of Trustees. In addition, no one shall promote, arrange for participation in any picnic or other function involving more than fifty (50) people without the written permission of the Township Board of Trustees. The Township Board may impose additional restrictions upon usage.

Hours:

No one shall enter the park or remain in the park between the hours of sunset and sunrise.

Reservation of Pavilion:

Anyone seeking to reserve the pavilion or a portion of the pavilion for their exclusive use, which would interfere with its normal use, must stop by the Township business office, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12:00 noon, Monday through Friday, to pay the required deposit of \$30 for residents, \$50 for non-residents. They must also sign for the "Rules for the Cottrellville Township Park and Recreations". At the Township hall, you will be asked for your identification and you must pay the deposit (half of which is returned after the pavilion is inspected, following your event). If payment of deposit is not made in person, the date and time of your reservation will not be added to the Pavilion Rental Calendar, thus, not locking in the day and time you desire. Non payment of the deposit will leave the calendar open for some else to reserve the same day and time as yours, as long as they pay the deposit.

Interference With Township Employees:

No one shall resist, oppose, obstruct or interfere with an employee or authorized representative of the Township.

Additional Rules:

The Township Board of Trustees are empowered to make such rules and regulations which pertain to the conduct and use of the park and the park facilities. In addition, the Township are empowered to administer same to and protect the public property as well as the safety, health and welfare of the public. It is the responsibility of the park guest or visitor to comply with all rules put forth.

Signs and Advertisements:

No signs are permitted that advertise the sale of or statement of a particular item. In addition no banners, emblems or designs of a symbol are allowed without prior written permission from the Township Board of Trustees.

Pets:

Tame house pets are permitted in the park area. A dog must be on a leash not exceeding six (6) feet in length. The park visitor needs to bring the appropriate tools to dispose of the animals waste in a sanitary manner. The park visitor's pet is NOT to be left alone, even though on a leash, at any time. The park visitor's pet is to be up to date on all vaccinations required by law, with the animal wearing the appropriate tag.

Fires:

Bonfires are not permitted in the park. The bbq grills provided are for cooking only. When all cooking has been completed, water, and only water, should be poured on the grills to put out the fire. He fire in your bbq grill MUST be out before you leave the park grounds. If a fire should get out of control, please call 911 immediately. Then call the board member, whose number is listed on the information board.

Camping:

There is absolutely no camping allowed or the building of temporary shelters in the park.

Footwear:

While the Township takes every effort to make the Cottrellville Township Park safe for everyone, things can, and do, get overlooked. Keeping that in mind, the Township requires that all guests of the park wear appropriate footwear at all times.

Cottrellville Township Pavilion Information:

1. 7008 Marsh Road, Cottrellville, MI
2. 810-765-4730
3. \$30 deposit for residents, \$50 deposit for non-residents. Half of which is refunded after the pavilion has been checked and released for refund.
4. Must come to the Township Hall to make and confirm reservation. A drivers license is also necessary for this process.