

Borough of Franklin Park
USE OF PARKS AND PARK LAND
RULES AND REGULATIONS

**THE FOLLOWING RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERN THE USE OF ALL
BOROUGH PARKS AND PARK LAND:**

1. Organized groups shall not use any Recreational Facility for any purpose without first obtaining a permit from the Borough. (I.E. sports leagues, daycare facilities, parties, personal/group training, or other activities deemed organized by the Borough of Franklin Park)
2. All parks and park land of the Borough shall be closed daily to the public between dusk and dawn. No person, other than authorized employees of the Borough shall be in any park area between dusk and dawn unless participating in a permitted activity.
3. No person shall deface, remove, or damage any of the trees, turf, buildings, structures, fixtures, regulations, or notices, therein or any other property of the Borough located within a park area.
4. No person shall conduct themselves within a park to disrupt others using the park for recreational purposes. (I.E. loud music, misbehavior, gambling, profane language)
5. No person shall dispose of any litter on park grounds except by disposing of litter in receptacles designated for this purpose. Excess litter shall be removed by the user of the park.
6. Alcohol is limited to paid and permitted reservations within the parks. No person shall bring any alcoholic beverage into any other park area for themselves or others. Reservation information can be obtained at the Borough office or www.franklinparkborough.us.
7. Motorized vehicles are only permitted on designated roadways and parking lots. No motorized or recreational vehicles other than Borough equipment or emergency vehicles shall be permitted outside of these areas in any park. All posted vehicle parking regulations and restrictions must be observed when using the park. No person shall wash, clean, polish, grease, lubricate or otherwise make repairs to any motor vehicle in any park area, except when emergency repairs of a minor nature may be required.
8. Horseback riding is permitted only on designated equestrian trails.
9. Permits for the use of park buildings, shelters, fields, or other areas are hereby required and may be obtained only by persons over twenty-one (21) years of age. Reservation information can be obtained at the Borough office or www.franklinparkborough.us.

10. Pets are permitted only when on a physical leash. Pets are not permitted on any athletic field, playground area, or as otherwise posted. Owners shall be responsible for cleaning up after their pets.
11. Fires may not be built anywhere in the park without permission of the Borough of Franklin Park. No person shall throw away or discard any lighted match, cigar or cigarette anywhere other than the designated containers
12. Peddlers, picnic parties, or any other person whosoever shall not sell or offer for sale any article or service for hire within the limits of any park or set up therein any stand or booth for such purpose or distribute or display handbills, cards or advertisements of any nature whatsoever unless duly authorized to do so by written permission from the Borough.
13. Moving of picnic tables is permitted in the parks; however, they must be replaced to original location before leaving the park.
14. Camping is not permitted in any of the parks, except by authorized permit.
15. Any person, group or organization reserving Borough facilities must use them strictly for their own use. Any use, sub leasing, or permission given to other parties may result in termination of lease/permit without refund.
16. No hunting is permitted within any borough park without permission and approval of the Borough of Franklin Park.
17. It is prohibited to throw, discharge or otherwise place or cause to be placed in the water of any fountain, pond, lake, stream or other body of water in or adjacent to any Borough park or any tributary, stream, storm sewer or drainage flowing into such waters, any substance, matter or thing, liquid or solid, which will or may result in the pollution of said water.
18. It is prohibited to bring in or dump, deposit or leave any bottles, broken glass, ashes, paper, boxes, cans, dirt, rubbish, waste, garbage, refuse or other trash on any park land.
19. The use of all public address systems, radios, stereos, and any other sound amplification device shall be used in a manner consistent with Borough Ordinance Chapter 136, Articles I & II entitled Noise except for approved events.
20. No person shall operate any recreationally remote-controlled device in any park without permission of the Borough of Franklin Park.
21. Any person, partnership or corporation violating any provision of these Rules and Regulations shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$300.00 plus damages and cost of prosecution as set forth under Ordinance #127-73.