

Camp Dearborn 2023 Season

Rules, Regulations and Policies

(For All)

GUEST

- All guests must purchase a visitors day pass.
- Guests are to park in the visitors parking lot and be picked up from there.
- No drop offs or pick-ups for guests will be allowed at the site. The Camp Dearborn Office Parking Lot will be designated for quick pick up and drop offs for free.
- Anyone found in non-compliance or threatening Camp Staff over guest policy will be evicted from the park and denied entrance. Campers will have to meet their guest outside of the park for further drop off or pick up.
- All Guests and/or children are the responsibility of the person who reserved a site. A responsible adult, 21 or older, must be on site at ALL times with a license to drive and have access to a vehicle to ensure guests can be picked up in a timely and safe manner.
- Guest Day Passes expire at 10:00 p.m. and guests must exit the park by that time. If a guest is staying the night with a camper who has a reservation, they must park their car in the visitors parking lot. The proceeding day they are to exit the park or if they are staying, must purchase a new day pass.
- The pool is NOT open to Guest Day Pass holders.
- Minors are restricted to their campsite from 11:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m.
- Handicap guests will be allowed to go to a site with proof of a placard or plate. They will still be required to purchase a day pass regardless.

ALCOHOL/DRUGS

- Consumption of alcoholic beverages must be confined to the campsite only.
- Underage drinkers will be prosecuted and/or evicted from the park.
- Drunkenness, profanity, fighting, indecent exposure or any other deviant or disorderly conduct is strictly prohibited. The use of illegal drugs or excessive use of alcohol will result in immediate removal by local authorities along with arrest.

CHECK-IN/CHECK-OUT

- For cottages and cabins, Check-in is at 3:00 p.m. and check out is at 11:00 a.m.
- An additional day's charge will result if the site is not cleaned and evacuated by check-out time.
- Keys must be returned or an additional fee will be charged to the household account.
- For RV sites, check in is at 1:00 p.m. and check out is at 12:00 p.m.

CAMPFIRES

- Fires may be built only in approved fire pits or rings.
- Do NOT relocate or dig a new fire pit.
- All fires must be extinguished before leaving the campsite or retiring for the night.

- Violations will be issued for unattended fires.
- Do NOT place trash, bottles or cans in fire rings.
- Do NOT burn any treated or painted wood.
- Cutting trees, saplings and shrubs is strictly prohibited.
- Firewood is available for purchase at Station 35.

CAMPSITES

- You must stay on the campsite selected at time of reservation, unless your campsite has been officially changed in the office.
- All RV's, travel trailers, pop-ups, etc. are to be backed into all sites only. The tongue/front must be facing the road. This is a local fire department ordinance requirement.
- Only one camping unit is allowed per site.
- A maximum of six people per site is allowed.
- Campers may have a dining canopy/tent in addition to their sleeping accommodations. Sleeping is not allowed in the dining tents.
- Only one picnic table is provided per campsite. If additional tables are required for your guest, contact the office.
- Extra tables, if available, will be provided at a charge of \$10.00 per table for delivery.

CANCELLATIONS

- Reservations canceled 30 days or more before the reservation starting check-in date will incur a \$25.00 processing fee.
- Reservations canceled between 14 and 30 days before the reservation starting check-in date will be charged 50% of the reservation as a fee.
- Reservations canceled less than 14 days before the reservation starting check-in date will forfeit a refund of any kind.

DISCLAIMERS

- The Park Manager and/or their designee, have the authority to refuse admission or evict a camper for failing to follow Camp Dearborn's Park Regulations or for demonstrating objectionable behavior while in the park.
- Campers must be 21 or older to rent a campsite. An adult 21 or older must be on-site at all times during the rental period. ID is required for all campers.
- Management reserves the right to evict a campsite permit and evict the campers if the campsite generates an internal or external police report. (This includes Campground Incident Reports generated by the Sheriff or Police Department).
- Regardless of the type of accommodations, guest and visitors assume all risks and danger incidental to their stay, this included, but is not limited to, the danger of being injured by insects or animals, of being injured while participating in recreational activities, and/or being injured as a result of inclement weather conditions.
- Camp Dearborn and its owners, agents and employees are not liable for injuries resulting from such risks and danger. Guests and visitors also assume risks of damage to personal property.

- Camp Dearborn is not responsible for any theft, loss by fire or accident. Any personal property, including-but not limited to-canoes and kayaks, whether on your site or within the park, are stored at your own risk.
- Use of any of the facilities is strictly at your own risks.
- Parents will be held financially responsible for any damages to property, facilities, etc. caused by themselves, their guest's, or their children.

EMERGENCIES

- In an emergency, call 911 first. Contact the main office or gatehouse at (248)-684-6000 to report non-emergency issues, or to summon Michigan State Police.

PETS

- Maximum of two pets per site.
- Pets must be attended to at all times and leash to no longer than 6 feet in length when outside
- Pet waste must be immediately picked up and disposed of properly.
- Pets are not allowed on the beach, in buildings, on playground or recreation areas, in restrooms/showers, swimming areas, or at Campground events.
- PETS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN CABINS, ON CABIN SITES, OR IN SEASONAL CAMPING AREAS.
- GUEST OF REGISTERED CAMPERS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BRING PETS INTO THE CAMPGROUND.
- Pets may not be left unattended in your RV, on your site, or in any vehicle. If your dog is a constant barker, or aggressive please leave them home.
- If pets at any time become a problem you will be required to remove them from the campground.

PROHIBITIONS

- Trespassing or "cutting" through on another person's assigned site is prohibited.
- Smoking is prohibited in ALL cabins and cabin sites as well as comfort stations.
- The use of loudspeakers, public address systems, or floodlights is prohibited.
- Radios or televisions loud enough to be heard at the adjacent campsites are prohibited.
- Screaming. Loud music or loud talking after 11 p.m. is prohibited.
- The use of paintball guns, BB guns or pellet guns is prohibited.
- The use of firecrackers, sparklers and all other pyrotechnical devices is prohibited.

QUIET HOURS

- Quiet hours are from 11:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m.

SWIMMING

- Swimming is permitted only at designated beaches or at the pool during designated hours only.
- There are no lifeguards on duty at any time at any of our lakes/beaches; swimming is at your own risk.
- Diving is not permitted at the pool.
- Glass containers are not permitted at the beach or pool.

- Smoking is not allowed at the beach or pool.
- An adult must accompany children to the beach or pool at all times.
- Swim diapers are required for children who are not toilet trained.

TRASH/WASTE DISPOSAL

- Trash and/or garbage must be put in plastic bags and placed in the dumpsters located throughout the Campground/ Park.
- Do not leave any trash on your site or next to the dumpster.
- All sites should be maintained and left clean when checking out.
- Do not leave trash in the fire pits; there are several dumpsters in the campground for campers' use.
- Camp Dearborn does not provide trash bags, make sure to pack some to take care of any trash on your site or you can be subject to a site cleanup fee.
- There is a dump station located behind the main office free for all campers to use.

VEHICLES

- Campers may not bring any boats, mini-bikes, mopeds, golf carts, hoverboards or any other motorized vehicles-weather licensed or not- into Camp Dearborn.
- Mini-bikes, dirt bikes, four-wheelers, motorized or electric scooters, mopeds, or kiddie cars are also prohibited, as are battery -powered children's toys, such as power wheels, Barbie Cars etc., and Razor Scooters.
- We only allow cars, trucks, motorhomes and licensed motorcycles.
- Only two vehicles will be permitted per site. These vehicles all must have a pass for the campground. No visitors' cars will be allowed into the campground regardless of pick up and drop offs.
- All other cars must be parked in the designated lots with a purchased day pass in clear view on the dashboard.
- Parking vehicles along the side of the road or vacant sites is not allowed.
- All vehicles must clearly display a car pass on the windshield at all times or will be ticketed and/or towed.
- Removing, altering, forging or re-using car passes is not allowed and will result in eviction and or prosecution.
- Any intimidation/harassment of any Camp Dearborn workers is not tolerated. Doing so will result in the immediate removal from the Campground.
- For the safety of all campers, children, for the benefit of the environment and to reduce traffic, we ask that you minimize the use of your car while in the park.
- Bicycles are to be kept out of the campground buildings and must be parked in bike racks.
- Due to safety concerns, bike riding after dusk is not permitted (Dusk is 30 minutes after sunset).
- Skateboards are not allowed at comfort stations or anywhere near the canteen area.

TRAFFIC LAWS

- Camp Dearborn's speed limit is 15 mph.

- Camp Dearborn is owned and operated by The City of Dearborn therefore all traffic laws are enforced inside the park.
- While in the Park all are required to follow the speed limits and stop signs.
- Continual disregard for traffic laws can result in an immediate removal from the park and a possible ticket.

VANDALISM

- Destruction of any/all Camp Dearborn property will result in an Immediate eviction from the park regardless of reservation and may face prosecution.
- Littering is illegal in the State of Michigan if found littering in the park one can be ticketed by State Police.
- If your property is found vandalized in the Campground/Park please notify the office and call the appropriate legal services.

DECORUM

- Physical and/or verbal harassment or assault against any staff, camper, or guest is not tolerated nor allowed for any reason and will result in removal from park and possible arrest.
 - It is expected that all campers/guests hold themselves and their visitors to a certain level of decorum.
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