



## **Middlesex County Office of Parks and Recreation**

Reservation Desk – (732) 745-3900

### **General Picnic Regulations**

IF YOU SHOULD HAVE ANY PROBLEMS THE DAY OF YOUR PICNIC,  
PLEASE CALL THE PARK RANGERS AT (732) 745-3800.

**Weekend and Holiday Picnics** – Reservations are held NO LATER than 10:30AM REGARDLESS of when the customer plans to start their picnic.

**Weekday Picnics** – Reservations held NO LATER than 30 minutes after scheduled time.

- 1- Conduct of the group and cleanliness of the area are the responsibility of the person signing the permit. Please remember to recycle.
- 2- No person shall possess or consume alcoholic beverages in any County Park except by PERMIT ONLY.
- 3- Permits for alcoholic beverages are restricted to wine and beer. Bottles and cans ONLY.
- 4- Wine and beer is permitted in picnic groves only when food is being consumed. ALCOHOL IS PROHIBITED IN ALL PLAYING FIELD AREAS.
- 5- Charcoal use ONLY in picnic grills. Propane use by CATERERS ONLY. This office must be supplied with the caterers insurance (please contact reservation desk for specific requirements).
- 6- NO REFUNDS OF PICNIC FEES.
- 7- NO RAINDATES for weekend and holiday picnics. Rescheduling of permit must be done 1 week prior to original date (subject to availability).
- 8- No parking on grass or along roadways, please use parking lots ONLY. No driving or parking inside grove areas.
- 9- No driving of vehicles on any safety zone, bikeway, walkway or roadway designated for limited use.
- 10- Parks open at sunrise and close at sunset, unless otherwise posted.
- 11- No animals are to run at large. All dogs, etc. must be restrained by leash.
- 12- Feeding of waterfowl is prohibited.
- 13- No person shall carry or fire any firecrackers or fireworks.
- 14- No posting of signs or other literature on poles or trees.
- 15- No operation of pony or motorized rides.
- 16- Inflatables (aka Bounce Houses) are permitted in reservable picnic areas. Insurance is required from rental company (please contact reservation desk for specific requirements). Inflatables containing water ARE NOT permitted.
- 17- No vending or soliciting in parks.
- 18- All rules and regulations will be enforced by the park rangers or municipal police.