



# CRETE PARK SHELTER & BANDSTAND RESERVATION RULES

Park Hours: 7 AM - Dusk

## A. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

1. The use of all facilities for any purpose whatsoever shall be cleared through Crete Park District. Use will be strictly confined to areas designated or included in the permit. The applicant/organization will be held responsible for the compliance of these rules by all persons participating in or pertaining to the activity. Failure to comply to these rules will be sufficient reason to cancel current rental, cancel future privileges of park facilities and the police may be notified.
2. All permits issued by Crete Park District may be canceled by the District for good cause.
3. The following items/activities are prohibited in the park:
 

Glass bottles or containers	Fires	Alcoholic Beverages	Golf
Abusive/Obscene language	Graffiti	Gang-like Activities	Firearms/Fireworks
Fortune Telling	Gambling	Games of Chance	Camping
Motorized Vehicles			
4. No furniture or equipment shall be used or moved without express approval on the permit. Picnic tables will remain in the shelter.
5. It may be necessary to some organizations, depending upon the size of the group to have police on duty. If required, it is the renters responsibility to hire and for licensed, bonded security.
6. Vandalism on any Park property will incur a fine of \$75 to \$750. Please call 911 if you witness someone vandalizing the park.
7. Electricity is available but will require the use of extension cords. Shelter plugs are located by the ceiling and bandstand receptacles are on the outside of the structure.

## B. USE OF PARK PROPERTY

1. Please dispose of trash properly in containers provided. A large dumpster is available off Park Street.
2. Concession stands shall not be operated in any fashion. No other solicitation may take place without the approval of the Director.
3. Activities which utilize an entry/admission fee are NOT authorized without approval of the Director. The park is public and play grounds WILL be used by the public during your rental.
4. Erection of any athletic equipment, stands, bleachers, fences or buildings of any nature shall not be permitted without approval of the Park Director.
5. Park property shall not be used for the teaching, promoting, disseminating or furtherance of any authority of doctrine of subversive nature, intended or threatening to undermine, or overthrow the constitutional form of government of the USA or the State of IL.
6. No one may use park property to advertise an item or promote an event without the express approval of the Park District.
7. Animals must be leashed (10 foot maximum) at all times and owners are to clean up after their pet.
8. All outdoor activities must be suspended when lightning or thunder is observed or heard. It is renters responsibility to advise and enforce this policy. Safety is the first priority.
9. Park District staff reserves the right to terminate a rental at any time. Multiple rentals may take place at one time. Consideration must be given to all rentals at the same time. Please keep noise levels to an acceptable level. Any use of speakers/sound equipment must have permission from the District and a noise permit from the Village.
10. If you rent an inflatable piece or hire other outside entertainment, you must provide Crete Park District with a certificate of insurance with the District listed as additionally insured.

## C. RENTAL FEES - All rental fees are nonrefundable.

1. Rental fees are approved by the Crete Park District Board of Commissioners. Residents must prove their residency to receive the discount.
2. Additional fees may be charged to cover expenses associated with larger picnics (over 100 people), company outings and events which are publicized and which the public is invited. The fees include, but are not limited to clean-up, police, electricity, water, staff, insurance, etc.
3. Resident nonprofit rates are for groups located within the Crete Park District and registered as nonprofit with the State's Attorney's Office.
4. Security deposit will be required for special events or when deemed necessary by the Director of Board of Commissioners.

## D. CLEAN UP REQUIREMENTS

1. All users of park property or facilities shall assume the responsibility to leave said property in its original state.
2. Please dispose of trash properly in containers provided. A large dumpster is available on Park Street.

## E. TENNIS COURT RULES

1. Individuals scaling the fence will be reported as trespassing.
2. It is recommended that children under 12 are supervised by an adult.
3. No glass containers, alcoholic beverages or tobacco products are permitted in the tennis courts.
4. Anyone causing a disturbance, including but not limited to fighting, foul language, inappropriate music and/or volume of noise, will be required to leave the park.
5. Users are required to follow the tennis court rules as posted.

Please bring your rental form/receipt with you to the park. The office may be closed during your rental. If someone else is in your shelter, call the Crete Police Department and show them your contract.