

# **Washington Township Road District**

## **Township Park Rules**

### **Effective 7/15/2013**

1. No person shall permit any dog or other animal to run at large within the park. All dogs and other animals shall be attended to and maintained on a leash at all times. All persons are responsible for removing feces deposited by their animals.
2. No persons shall carry, possess, or discharge weapons or fireworks, including but not limited to, explosives, bows and arrows, slingshots, air rifles, paintball guns or any other device (other than a firearm as defined by Section 6120 (b) of the Pennsylvania Uniform Firearms Act Editors Note: See 18 Pa. C.S.A & 6101 et seq.) capable of throwing any projectile of any sort, including the hand throwing of rocks or stones intended to be used as weapons. This subsection shall not be operative in any specific area now designated or which may be designated in the future by the Township as an archery range or other specific area whose purpose is to allow activities otherwise prohibited by this subsection.
3. No person shall discharge any firearm as that term is defined by Section 6120 (b) of the Pennsylvania Uniform Firearms Act except for the justifiable use of force as authorized by Chapter 5 of the Pennsylvania Crimes code. Editors Note: See 17 Pa. C.S.A & 101 et seq.
4. No person shall transport, possess, use or be under the influence of alcohol or controlled substances.
5. No person shall remove, injure or damage anything natural or physical on Township property.
6. No person shall deface or destroy any posted signs or other Township property.
7. No person shall litter or discard debris of any kind on Township property. The Township park shall be a trash-free park, all items shall be carried in and carried out.
8. No person shall operate any motor vehicle at any place upon Township property unless permitted by the Township. No person shall operate any motorized recreational vehicle within any Township recreation area. Pedestrians, bicycles, skateboards, and roller blades are permitted on paths.
9. Parking is permitted only in designated areas.

10. No person shall wash, wax, repair, or otherwise work on any vehicle on Township property, provided; however, that this shall not apply to Township employees maintaining Township vehicles.
11. No person shall vandalize or trespass on any property adjoining Township property.
12. No persons riding bicycles or skateboards or using roller blades shall interfere in any manner with pedestrian traffic on Township property.
13. No person shall engage in any violent, abusive, loud, boisterous, vulgar, lewd, wanton, obscene, or otherwise disorderly conduct tending to create a breach of the peace or to disturb or annoy others while in or on any Township property. No person shall commit any indecent or immoral act intending to debauch the morals or manners of the public while in or on any Township property.
14. No person shall drive or chip golf balls.
15. No person shall trespass in any natural or wetland areas on Township property except on designated paths or walkways.
16. No person shall smoke or otherwise use tobacco on Township property.
17. No person is permitted to build an open fire on Township property. Cooking fires must be in an approved grill or firepit. No person shall drop, throw, or otherwise scatter lighted matches or burning cigarettes or cigars within any park area.
18. Horses shall be permitted on Township property only if a horse and carriage is the means of transportation for the person(s) visiting the Township property. All horses and carriages shall be secured in the parking area of the Township property at all times other than when entering and exiting the Township property.
19. The Township Picnic Pavilion and use of the ball field shall be available to all Township residents for an entire day for a fee of \$100.00 plus a \$100.00 security deposit.
20. The Township Park shall be open to the public from dawn to dusk each day unless different hours are established by the Board of Supervisors.