

hundred fifty dollars (\$250.) or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding fifteen (15) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

## Chapter 41

### PARKS

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[HISTORY: Adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Port Dickinson ?1/11/94 as Local Law No. 1-1994.]

#### § 41-1. Purpose.

The purpose of this local law is to regulate the use of parks of the Village of Port Dickinson.

#### § 41-2. Definitions.

The following terms shall have the meanings indicated in this section:

Parks — The grounds, buildings therein, water therein and any other property necessary for the operation thereof, and constituting a part thereof, which is now or may hereafter be maintained, operated and controlled by the Village of Port Dickinson for public park purposes.

Person — Any individual, firm, partnership, corporation or association of persons; the singular number shall include the plural.

Village — Village of Port Dickinson.

#### § 41-3. Prohibited Activities.

The following activities are prohibited:

- a. Parking a motor vehicle in other than designated locations.
- b. Operating a motor vehicle in excess of ten (10) miles per hour or in any manner contrary to posted regulations.
- c. Operating a motor vehicle on other than the designated roads.

- d. Operating or parking a snowmobile.
- e. Horseback riding.
- f. Dogs.
- g. Sports other than in locations designated by the Village Board.
- h. Entering or using the parks during other than the designated hours posted by the Village Board.
- i. Refusing to comply with the time sharing plan posted by the Village Board or its designee for the use of any recreational facility.
- j. Operating or parking a motorcycle, minibike or other form of recreational vehicle except on designated roads.
- k. Overnight parking of motor vehicles.
- l. The sale of alcoholic beverages, as defined in Alcoholic Beverage Control Law, in any Village parks.
- m. The use of any alcoholic beverage in any Village park.
- n. The use of or being under the influence of any illegal drug or substance in any Village park.
- o. Possession or use of firearms, bow and arrow or other dangerous weapons within any Village park.
- p. Disturbing the peace and good order in the parks by fighting or arguing in loud voices or threatening violence to any person or the property of others.
- q. Begging, hawking, peddling or soliciting within the parks except as authorized by the Village Board.
- r. The use of profane or abusive language while in the parks.
- s. Injuring, defacing, destroying, disturbing, or removing any part of the parks.
- t. Loitering in or near park restroom buildings.
- u. Littering or leaving behind refuse and garbage. Park users must bring their own trash bags and remove their trash upon leaving the park.
- v. Starting a fire in a park except in park grills, fireplaces or designated areas.
- w. Failing to extinguish before leaving the park all fires started or used. The dumping of ashes or fire onto the ground is absolutely prohibited.
- x. Golf practice.
- y. Making noise of a type and volume that a reasonable person would not tolerate under the circumstances, which noise causes public annoyance.

§ 41-4. Reservations.

- a. Reservations are required for use of park pavilions and athletic facilities for organized events.
- b. No park or portion thereof will be reserved for any group whose size or activity will be detrimental to the park in the opinion of the Village Board.
- c. Reservations for organized events will be issued by the Village Board or its designee.
- d. Prior to April 1st of each year reservations will be made only for Village residents or Village organizations. After April 1st reservations may be made by either Village residents or Village organizations or non-residents or organizations.
- e. The use of Village park pavilions by groups is prohibited without first obtaining permission from the Village Board or its designee, to guarantee that the area has been properly cleaned up after such event and no damage has been caused thereto by the applicant.
- f. Park Fees for Group Reservations

Village Residents

- Free when available
- Free for the following churches:
  - Community Baptist
  - Saint Catherines
  - Ogden Methodist

Non-Village Residents

20 to 30 people	\$25.00
31 to 75 people	\$50.00
76 to 150 people	\$100.00
over 150	to be determined by Village Board

- g. Insurance. Organizations are required to provide a certificate of insurance naming the Village as an additional insured when making reservations to use athletic fields.
- h. Clean-up Deposits. Deposits to cover clean-up are not required. However, any group which does not properly clean up the area it has used prior to departing from the park will be billed at the rate of \$25.00 per reservation or the actual cost to the Village of cleaning up that area, whichever is greater, and/or may be denied use of the park in the future.

§ 41-5. Hours of Closing.

- a. No person shall be permitted to remain, stop or park within the confines of any Village park between dark and daylight except in emergencies or with special permit from the Village. In case of an emergency or when in the judgment of the Village Board or its designee the public interest demands it, any portion of the park may be closed to the public or to designated persons until permission is given to reopen.
- b. Notwithstanding the hours of closing stated herein, the Village Board or its designee may establish closing hours for designated park facilities.

§ 41-6. Penalties for Offenses: Enforcement.

- a. A violation of this local law shall constitute an offense punishable by a fine not to exceed fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each and every such offense.
- b. Any Village police officer, state police officer or police officer of Broome County or any of its municipal subdivisions may, without a warrant, arrest any offender whom he/she may detect in the violation of any of the provisions of the above sections, and take the persons so arrested forthwith before a Magistrate having competent jurisdiction, and he/she shall have at all times a right to enter the premises of any building, structure or enclosure in any park, including such grounds, buildings, structures or enclosures in any Village Park which may be leased or set aside for private or exclusive use of any individual or groups of individuals for the purpose of arresting violators hereof, and may use all necessary means to attain that end.

§ 41-7. Severability

Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this local law be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this law shall not be affected thereby.

§ 41-8. Repealer

All ordinances, local rules and regulations inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

§ 41.9. Effective Date

This local law shall take effect immediately.

Chapter 43

PEDDLING AND SOLICITING

- § 43-1. Registration; information required.
- § 43-2. Restrictions.
- § 43-3. Exceptions.
- § 43-4. Penalties for offenses.

[HISTORY: Adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Port Dickinson 7-9-74 as Local Law No. 1-1974. Amendments noted where applicable.]

- § 43-1. Registration; information required.