Port of Kalama

PARKS AND RECREATION RULES

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General

The Port of Kalama welcomes you to our parks and recreation facilities. We work hard to provide a safe, clean, and friendly environment for all visitors. We enjoy having you as a guest and expect all visitors to treat others and the facilities with courtesy and respect. We appreciate your cooperation. Violating these values and/or rules may result in ejection and/or trespass from Port property.

1. Park and facility calendars are posted on the Port's website, at https://portofkalama.com/recreation/.

2. Large events are required to submit an application for review and will require insurance. Events with over 30 persons must complete a Recreational Use Agreement form for approval. The Port will direct large events to a specified location to avoid conflicts with other events, and address parking and security issues. We will try to accommodate requests. Select facilities may be reserved. Parks, parking, and picnic shelters may not be reserved and are only available on a first come, first served basis. Please contact the Port to discuss your event at (360) 673-2325.

3. Events without prior authorization may be asked to leave the grounds. The picnic pavilions are available first come first serve and are unable to be reserved.

4. Users must remove their personal equipment after each use of the parks.

5. During an approved event, users are responsible for ongoing restroom cleaning and paper stocking, emptying garbage cans and picking up litter.

6. Disorderly conduct, abusive language, noisy disturbances will be grounds for immediate removal from the park by police, security, or authorized Port personnel. Port Security is authorized to issue trespass notices.

7. Children shall not be left unattended in the park.

8. Overnight camping is not permitted.

9. Sound amplification (loudspeakers, sound systems, stereos, inappropriate lyrics, etc.) is prohibited, unless specifically permitted by the Port.

10. Parks are open for public recreation from sunrise to sunset. The Port may permit specific exceptions.

11. No weapons or dangerous objects may be used on Port property.

12. Park users will be held fully responsible for conduct that violates regulations, Port rules or damages the park or its equipment.

13. To ensure everyone's safety, all animals must always be leashed and in control. No animals are allowed at Haydu Park, unless authorized by the Port for a specific event.

14. For safety reasons, horses are not allowed on any Port property including beaches and dunes.

15. The Port is not responsible for accidents, injuries, or loss of property by fire, theft, wind, flood, or other natural acts which are beyond their control. Equipment furnished on the grounds is solely for your convenience and used at your own risk.

16. The Port is not responsible for any personal injury from using playground and/or workout equipment. Use equipment at your own risk.

17. You should immediately notify the Port of Kalama of hazardous conditions in the park or situations that violate these rules.

Automobiles and Motorized Vehicles

1. Motor vehicles parked outside designating parking areas will be towed at the owner's expense and owner may be permanently banned from the parks.

2. Auto and boat repairs are not allowed on Port property.

3. No overnight parking, except by permit. Permits are available at the Port administrative office during normal business hours and at McMenamins for their overnight guests.

4. Obey posted speed limits. Use extra caution for children and pedestrians.

5. Bicycles and other types of non-motorized vehicles must be used safely and courteously.

6. No motorized vehicles of any kind are allowed in/on parks, sidewalks, pathways, or other pedestrian areas. Mobility assistance transportation is allowed.

7. No skateboards, roller skates, long boards or roller blades are allowed in/on parks, sidewalks, pathways, or other pedestrian areas.

8. Disruptive or careless operation of motorcycles, automobiles or other types of motor vehicles will be grounds for removal from the parks and/or citations by police.

9. Vehicles and boats may not be parked for sale on Port property.

10. NO ATV'S/UTV's/Dirt Bikes/Side by Sides or any offroad vehicles allowed in recreational use areas including north port dunes. Reckless driving, dangerous driving or 4-wheeling on any Port property is strictly prohibited.

Park Buildings and Facilities

1. Park buildings and facilities are provided for your privilege and convenience. Keep them neat and clean and respect others. Immediately report irregularities to the Port.

2. All materials including tape, streamers, banners, etc., must be completely removed after each use.

3. No signs shall be posted on the trees or shrubs. No nails, screws, staples, tacks, or any other foreign objects may be driven into park structures or trees.

4. Nothing greater than 5 lbs. shall be attached to or hung on any structures for any reason.

Solid Waste Disposal and Fire Protection

1. Place garbage in the proper receptacles.
2. Do not use Port garbage receptacles for disposing of garbage from outside the Port.
3. Absolutely no fires/fire pits are allowed on Port property without prior Port approval.

Grounds

1. No digging, removing, destroying, injuring, mutilating, or cutting any grass, trees, plants, shrubs, blooms, flowers, or any portion thereof growing in the park.
2 No climbing, hanging from, or attaching anything to trees, shrubs, or other vegetation.
3. No stakes of any kind are allowed in the ground (tents, awnings, games, etc.).
4. Golfing is strictly prohibited in the parks.
5. Rummage sales/give aways of any kind are not allowed on Port property without prior Port approval.

Right of Entry Permit

To gain admittance to recreational areas within the Port's North Port property, Industrial Park property, East Port and/or South Port properties during daylight hours only, you must acquire a Right of Entry Permit from the Port Office. NO ATV'S/UTV's/Dirt Bikes/Side by Sides or any offroad vehicles allowed in recreational use areas including north port dunes. Disruptive or careless operation of motorcycles, automobiles or other types of motor vehicles will be grounds for removal from the parks and/or citations by police. Permits can be obtained at the Port office or from any Security Agent. All animals must be in your control at all times in the North Port dunes area.

Assumption of Risk & Port Immunity

The Port is making this park and its recreational facilities available to the public free of charge. The Port is not liable for any injury to park users as provided under RCW 4.24.210. By using the park, all users recognize the inherent risks with outdoor recreational and sporting activities. The Port does not supervise or monitor any of the events or activities in this park. Each park user agrees to assume full responsibility of risk for injuries that may occur in conjunction with use of this park.