

BOROUGH OF ST. LAWRENCE
PLAYGROUND PARTICIPANTS RULES AND REGULATIONS

GENERAL PLAYGROUND RULES

1. All participants are expected to follow the rules and commands given by the playground leaders while on the playground property. Talking back, swearing, spitting, rudeness and disrespectful behavior will not be tolerated.
2. No climbing of fences, trees, roofs or equipment not designed for climbing. No jumping or standing on tables and benches. No hanging from the pavilion rafters.
3. No throwing of sticks, dirt, woodchips or food.
4. Playing is not permitted in the street, alley, steps or restrooms. The alley is not considered part of the playground for play purposes.
5. No standing or jumping on play equipment.
6. Be respectful of playground property and return all equipment to the office at the end of the playground session.
7. No children are permitted in the office without a leader present.
8. Children are not permitted in the concession stand.
9. All children 6 years of age or younger must be accompanied and supervised by an adult.
10. Be respectful of the other children on the playground.
11. All trash must be thrown in the trash cans provided and recycling is to be placed in the proper containers. All children will be required to participate in picking up trash if the playground doesn't remain clean. Failure to participate in cleanup will result in a warning. If your child leaves the playground to avoid picking up trash, they will not be allowed back on the playground.
12. If the playground is not clean, the concession stand will not open. If it is a special food night, the event will be cancelled.
13. Keep the bathrooms tidy.
14. No smoking or alcoholic beverages are permitted on the playground.
15. By Borough Ordinance, No pets are permitted on the playground property (including the curb area) at any time.
16. HITTING WILL BE AN AUTOMATIC THREE (3) DAY SUSPENSION
17. STEALING FROM THE CONCESSION STAND WILL BE AN AUTOMATIC SUSPENSION FROM THE PLAYGROUND PROGRAM FOR THE SEASON.
18. NO GUNS OR TASERS PERMITTED ON THE PLAYGROUND.
19. PROPER FOOT ATTIRE (no open toes, sandals or flip flops) IS REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE IN PLAYGROUND ACTIVITIES

CONSEQUENCES OF RULES VIOLATION

1. First Offense – warning or child asked to leave playground, depending upon the nature of the offense.
2. Second Offense – three (3) day suspension from the playground, parents called.
3. Third Offense – suspension from the playground for the season, parents called.

IF PARENTS HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE RULES OR THE APPLICATION OF THE RULES, PLEASE CONTACT THE BOROUGH OFFICE; DO NOT CONFRONT THE PLAYGROUND LEADERS.

**PARENT AND LEGAL GUARDIAN RESPONSIBILITIES
2011 PLAYGROUND SEASON**

1. The playground is not a babysitting service; please do not treat it as such.
2. Children are free to come and go as they please. We are not responsible if your child leaves the playground without your permission.
3. If you pick your child up, you must be prompt. The leaders wait until the last child is picked up to leave. If you are constantly late picking up your child, your child will not be allowed to participate in the program.
4. **NO SMOKING**
5. **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE NOT PERMITTED ON THE PLAYGROUND**
6. You must be aware of the weather at all times and pickup your child if severe weather occurs. The playground closes during severe weather. (See Inclement Weather Information)

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, AN ISSUE WITH THE PLAYGROUND PROGRAM OR PERSONNEL, PLEASE CONTACT BOROUGH HALL @ 610-779-1430.

I understand the above rules and regulations. I understand that it is my responsibility to ensure that my child(ren) understand the rules and regulations and if my child does not follow the rules, he or she may lose their playground privileges.

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

PLEASE RETAIN THE FIRST SHEET FOR YOUR INFORMATION