

Greensboro Parks & Recreation Rules & Regulations

1. No motorized vehicles in the park.
2. All dogs must be on a leash and under the owner's control.
3. Selling, peddling, or soliciting is prohibited, unless written authority is given by the Parks & Recreation Director, or his/her designee.
4. Disorderly conduct, such as violent behavior or abusive language, that might provoke a breach of peace, or create a physically-offensive or dangerous condition, is unlawful.
5. No beer, wine, ale or other alcoholic beverages are allowed in the parks.
6. No dumping or littering allowed.
7. It shall be unlawful to use public parks or park facilities any time between the hours of dusk to dawn, except for facilities that are lighted, specifically for organized programming.
8. The carrying of concealed handguns, with or without a permit, is prohibited within city parks.
9. No amplified music allowed in the parks.
10. Warning: Engaging in activities in the parks after hours can be hazardous.

The City is not responsible for loss or injury, occurring when the park is closed.
(C.O. 18-24 and N.C.G.S. 14-415 11 (c))

(Pursuant to Section 19-1 of the
Greensboro Code of Ordinances)



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Join our Park Watch program!

The City of Greensboro's neighborhood parks need your help! Our park system, one of the largest in North Carolina, is available year-round for the enjoyment of all citizens now and for future generations. To help protect our parks and ensure the safety and enjoyment continues for everyone, we invite you to join our new *Park Watch* program!

What is Park Watch?

The *Park Watch* program is a partnership between Greensboro Parks & Recreation, the Greensboro Police Department and city residents to reduce crime, vandalism and illegal activities in our neighborhood parks. Modeled after *Community Watch* and *Lake Watch* programs, *Park Watch* provides citizens guidelines to follow when reporting suspicious activities, helping us to keep our neighborhood parks safe year-round.



What can you do?

While visiting our parks, citizens are asked to be on the alert for unlawful fires, vandalism (graffiti), safety hazards, suspicious persons/activities, or other violations of Greensboro Parks & Recreation rules and regulations. Suspicious activities should be reported to the appropriate authorities, using the telephone numbers listed to the right. If there is an immediate danger in a park, call **911**.

Be cautious!

If you do observe someone breaking park rules, committing a crime, or engaging in other illegal activities, **DO NOT** attempt to take action yourself. This is a job for proper authorities. You should note the location of the incident, describe those involved, record a license number of a suspicious vehicle and report the incident. *Park Watch* has great potential to be an effective anticrime program for neighborhood parks at an inexpensive cost to citizens – we need your involvement!



Park Watch Program Procedures

E-mail: leisure@greensboro-nc.gov

If you see a crime, vandalism, or illegal activities taking place in one of our neighborhood parks, record a description of the individuals involved as well as the license number, color and make of the vehicle. If you witness any of the following incidents in a neighborhood park, please call the appropriate authority. You can ask the dispatcher to make your report anonymous.

Call 911 for any emergency

- ♦ For any criminal or suspicious activity
- ♦ For crimes in progress

Call (336) 373-2222 for non-emergencies

- ♦ To report damage
- ♦ To report vandalism such as graffiti
- ♦ To report other suspicious activities

Call (336) 373-CITY (-2489)

- ♦ To report repairs needed
- ♦ To request services, or ask park questions

