

## PARK GUIDELINES

### Part A. Nazareth Borough Baseball Field

1. The facility is for all appropriate teams to enjoy. Take pride in the facility and help keep it in fine playing condition.

2. Be sure to remove any equipment from field when use is finished.

3. Pick up trash on the fields, in the dugouts, bleachers and rest rooms.

4. Vehicles are prohibited on any turf area unless given special permission for use to drag and manicure field.

5. Backstops or chain link fencing shall not be used for practicing pitching or batting.

6. Be sure to lock up snack bar facility, storage shed and gated field sites when finished with use.

7. Use proper mats during batting practice to prevent excessive wear and tear on infield.

8. Comply with all field schedules and closures due to inclement weather. If field is very wet, use the bating cage for batting practice to help maintain the infield grass.

9. After games and practice, make sure to rake the infield and water the pitcher's mound and home plate area.

10. The field is to be used for regulation baseball. The base paths and pitcher's mound are not to be altered for the purpose of playing softball or baseball with less than ninety (90) foot base paths.

### Part B. Nazareth Borough Skate Park

1. Use at your own risk. Use may result in serious injury.

2. It is strongly recommended that the following safety equipment be worn at all times:

- a. Helmet.
- b. Knee pads.
- c. Wrist guards.
- d. Elbow pads.

3. Do not proceed down a ramp until it is clear of other skaters.

4. No foul language.

5. Skate with safety. Weather conditions may create unsafe surfaces.

## PARK RULES

In accordance with Sec. 109 of Part 1 of Chapter XVI of the Code of Ordinances of the Borough of Nazareth, Council of the Borough of Nazareth implements Park Rules.

### Sec. 1. Park and Picnic Facilities Rentals.

1. The management of the Nazareth Borough Park (hereinafter "Park") and the picnic facilities located therein shall be by direction of the Economic Development Committee of the Council of the Borough of Nazareth, as administered by the Park Manager (hereinafter "Park Manager").

2. All reservations shall be made through the Park Manager or the Borough Administrative Clerk out of season.

3. Reservations for picnic tables shall require payment to be made in full within ten (10) days after the request for space. Tables shall be reserved on a first-request basis at a rate per table to be set by Council. Any person renting a picnic table that is moved during use shall return it to its original location before leaving the park. Checks shall be made out to Nazareth Borough and sent to the Park Manager for recording. The Park Manager will forward all checks to the Borough Administrative Clerk for deposit. There will be no refund of payments made for reservations.

4. Any reservation canceled will receive a refund of the reservation fee if it is re-rented.

### Sec. 2. Pool Rules.

1. No running on the pool deck or in the hallways or dressing rooms.

2. Diving permitted in diving area only. No diving in shallow water.

3. Accidents or safety hazards should be reported immediately to the lifeguard.

4. The following are not permitted in the pool enclosure:

Glass containers, cans, bottles  
Flotation devices, only in organized classes  
Frisbee, ball playing, horseplay  
Skateboards  
Swim fins, masks and snorkels  
Cutoffs  
Toys  
Snorkel gear

5. The following are permitted in the pool:

Goggles that do not cover the nose  
Inflatable balls at least ten (10) inches in circumference

6. Persons under the age of eight (8) must be accompanied by a person at least sixteen (16) years of age.

7. Persons with communicable diseases, skin or eye infections, shall not use the pool.

8. Food permitted in designated area only.

9. No cannon ball--no one may land closer than six (6) feet from another swimmer.

10. No diving or jumping within ten (10) feet of guard stand.

11. The Park Manager is authorized to revoke pool passes and privileges when the holder of a pass is found to be in violation of these rules and the ordinances governing the Nazareth Borough park.

12. Lifeguards must be obeyed. Persons disobeying lifeguards may be removed from the pool.

13. The Park Manager is authorized to close the pool due to inclement weather, inadequate patronage, or other good cause.

14. No refunds will be issued.

15. Smoking, to include the carrying by a person of a lighted cigar, cigarette, pipe or other lighted smoking device, is prohibited.

Sec. 3. Sliding Board Rules.

1. Non-swimmers may not go on slide.
2. Use of the sliding board shall be limited to persons exceeding forty-two (42) inches in height.
3. One person on the slide and the ladder at a time.
4. No horseplay, swimming, jumping or diving in the slide area.
5. Look below to be sure water is clear of all people before going off the slide.
6. Feet first off the slide. (Sitting position only.)
7. Immediately swim to the nearest side away from the slide.

Sec. 4. Kiddie Pool Rules.

1. A person sixteen (16) years of age or older must accompany youngsters to the pool. Children must be supervised at all times.
2. All children not potty trained must wear swimmies.
3. Toys are allowed in the wading pool at the lifeguard's discretion.
4. Anyone coming into the pool area, including preschoolers and mothers (including those just watching the child) must have a family pass or get a day pass.

Sec. 5. Tennis Court.

1. Only smooth soled shoes shall be worn on the courts.
2. Chairs, bicycles, skates, skateboards, roller blades, etc., are not permitted on the courts.
3. Court time is limited to one hour when others are waiting to play.

4. Borough residents have preference for the use of the courts.

Sec. 6. Park Rules.

1. All licensed motor vehicles must remain in the parking lot. Licensed motor vehicles may not be driven on park roads or other park property without the permission of the Police Department or the Park Manager. The Police Department or the Park Manager may permit licensed motor vehicles to drive on park roads or other park property for purposes of loading and unloading at the log cabin only. One (1) motor vehicle may be parked at the log cabin facility to provide transportation for elderly or handicapped persons utilizing the facility. Entrance to the park roads or other park property shall only be through the gate on Schoeneck Avenue.

2. Cooking fires must be set in grills only.

3. Skateboards and in-line skates are only permitted in the Skate Park. Skateboards and in-line skates are not permitted to be utilized on any walkways.

4. Bicycles are confined to the parking lot and entrance area of the Park and are not permitted on any of the walking paths.

5. No tents, canopy sheds or other structure may be erected without prior approval.

6. No generators, compressors, or electric motors without prior approval.

7. Pets under the control of the owner are allowed in designated areas. Owners must comply with the animal defecation ordinance.

8. Park hours shall be:

Sunrise--10:00 P.M. daily

Sec. 7. General Rules. (Also applicable to satellite parks)

1. No littering.
2. Audio devices may be used as long as they do not disturb the other park users.
3. No firecrackers or fireworks.
4. No weapons.
5. Park hours in the satellite parks are sunrise to sunset.
6. Any revenue producing enterprise wishing to rent or utilize any park or part thereof shall first request approval from the Borough Council. Council may, at its discretion, impose a fee for renting or utilizing the park. Council will exempt any enterprise if its purpose is community service, civic or charitable. (10 P.S. 162.2) Fees shall be provided in the Park Fee Resolution passed by Council.

Sec. 8. Skate Park.

1. Hours of permitted use: 8:00 a.m. until sundown.
2. Use at your own risk. Use may result in serious injury.
3. It is strongly recommended that the following safety equipment be worn at all times:
  - a. Helmet.
  - b. Knee pads.
  - c. Wrist guards.
  - d. Elbow pads.
4. No glass containers on skating surface.
5. No other items such as benches, picnic tables, or other objects may be used as ramps or jumps on skate park surface.
6. No pets allowed on skate park surface.

7. Do not proceed down a ramp until it is clear of other skaters.

8. Alcohol, tobacco and drugs are prohibited.

9. Only skateboards and in-line skates are allowed on the skating surface.

10. No foul language.

11. Skate with safety. Weather conditions may create unsafe surfaces.

12. The Borough reserves the right to close this facility for any circumstance, restrict entry to this facility and ask persons to leave this facility if guidelines are not followed or if unsafe behavior is observed.

#### Sec. 9. Dog Park.

1. Aggressive dogs must be removed from the park immediately.

2. Dogs known to be aggressive towards other dogs or people may not enter the off-leash area.

3. No more than two (2) dogs per handler are permitted in the off-leash area at one time. Handlers must be responsible adults.

4. Puppies under four (4) months old are not permitted in the park.

5. No animals other than dogs are permitted in the off-leash area.

6. Handlers must be present with their dogs and have them under visual and voice control at all times.

7. Dogs in heat, ill or with internal or external parasites (fleas, ticks and worms) are not permitted in the park.

8. Dogs must be leashed when existing or entering the off-leash area. Handlers must have a leash in hand at all times while in the off-leash area.



9. Dog waste must be collected by the handler and placed in the proper receptacle.

10. No rawhide, treats, or food for pets or humans is allowed in the off-leash area.

11. All dogs must display current license and vaccination tags.

12. No children are permitted in the off-leash area unless accompanied by an attending adult.

13. The Borough reserves the right to close this facility for any circumstances, strict entry to this facility, and ask persons to leave this facility if guidelines are not followed or if unsafe behavior is observed.