KENT COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION

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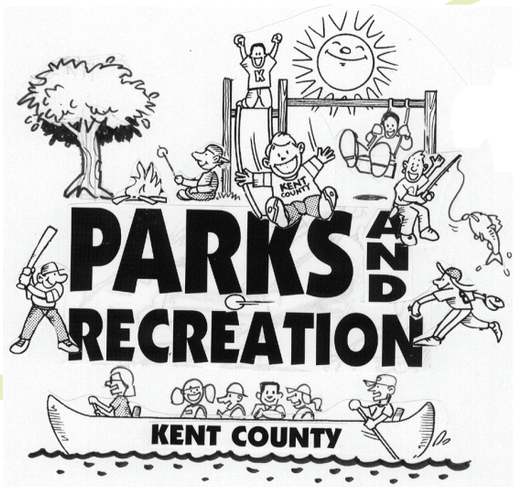
Facility Rental Information



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Kent County's Parks and Facilities

Worton Arena: Originally built as a roller rink, and still features skating on Sundays during the winter, this indoor recreation facility is available for group rentals. Tables, chairs, small kitchen area, restrooms and electric are available to renters.

Worton Park: A pavilion located in the heart of the 72 acre park includes approximately 15 picnic tables, a couple grills, water and electric. Restroom facilities are right across the street from the pavilion. The park also features numerous ballfields, equestrian rings, and tennis, volleyball, and basketball courts. NEW! Worton Park now features a walking trail, six tenths of a mile long, and a safe distance from traffic while still providing an ample view of the playground and fields.

Turner's Creek Park: The picnic pavilion includes barbeque grills, electric, water, approximately 12 picnic tables. Restroom facilities are located in the basement of the historic Lathim House (built in the early 1800's). Other park attractions include miles of nature trails, a waterfront bluff overlooking Turner's Creek on the Sassafras River, an abundance of waterfowl and wildlife, and a famous historic tree grove.

Betterton Beach: A small pavilion overlooking the beach and Chesapeake Bay includes approximately 8 picnic tables and a grill. Grilling is only permitted in the pavilion area, not on the beach. There are restroom facilities just off to the side of the beach.

Toal Park: Located on Route 213 just outside of Galena, Toal Park offers a small pavilion, with approximately 8 picnic tables and 2 grills, perfect for intimate family gatherings.

Edesville Community Park: Features a picnic pavilion/building including electric, water, 2 grills, and approximately 10 picnic tables. The park also features a ball field, volleyball court, playground and walking trail.

Pool Rentals:

-Bayside: Bayside Park is located off of Bayside Avenue in Rock Hall and is centered along the Rock Hall Harbor. The rental will include exclusive use of the pool outside normal operating hours and includes lifeguards.

-Millington Pool: Located in the heart of Millington is available for rentals. The rental will include exclusive use of the pool outside normal operating hours and includes lifeguards.

To Schedule Pavilion Rentals Please Call: 410-778-1948

To Schedule Pool Rentals Please Call: 410-778-1957

Rental Fees

Arena:

$30.00/hr. (in-county)
$60.00/hr. (out-of-county)

Pavilions:

$25.00/hr (3 hour minimum)
$250.00/day

Pools:

$50.00/hr. (in-county)
$75.00/hr. (out-of-county)

Ball Diamonds:

$50.00/game (in-county)
$75.00/game (out-of-county)

Orem Field (A-Diamond):

$75.00/game (in-county)
$100.00/game (out-of-county)

Equestrian Area:

$100.00/day (in-county)
$150.00/day (out-of-county)

Rules and Regulations

-Reservation applicants must be at least 21 years of age. The Contractholder must have the Contract on-site during the permitted activity. The Contract must be shown to Park personnel upon request.

-The Contract entitles the Contractholder to exclusive use of the facility reserved, only for the dates and times indicated on the Contract. No additional setup/cleanup time is allowed for pavilion rentals. Arena rentals are granted 1/2 an hour before and 1/2 an hour after the event to setup and cleanup.

-The person who signs the Contract is responsible for the guests who come with them to the park and is responsible for maintaining orderly conduct among all persons attending the permitted activity. Inappropriate or indecent conduct, harassment and/or language is strictly prohibited.

-In order to rent all park facilities, all fees must be paid in full by the due date shown on the Contract. The Contract is not valid without the County Approved Stamp.

-The Contractholder is not allowed to collect admission fees, or to sell any merchandise, articles or things, including food and beverages, without a permit specifically authorizing such activity.

-Live bands, loud or offensive music, or any excessive noise which disturbs the peace is prohibited in any park area

-Alcoholic Beverages are strictly prohibited in the Worton Arena and grounds. Alcoholic beverages may be consumed by those 21 years old or older in the pavilions. Alcohol can not be sold, only served, and glass containers are prohibited.

- Parking or driving on turf or unauthorized areas is prohibited.

- Trash Removal: The department will hold the Contractholder responsible for the removal of all paper, cans, food, etc. used or deposited during the event. Put refuse in trash bags and inside or next to waste receptacles. This effort is essential for the department to continue the maintenance of its facilities.

- Bees and Insects: Bees and insects are a natural potential problem that may occur with pavilion rentals. Please keep food and beverages covered to discourage bees and other insects. Cleaning up any spills immediately and placing a ring of soap suds around the plastic liner of your trash bags can help. The department sprays for bees and other insects sporadically throughout the summer season, unfortunately we cannot guarantee success. Contractholders are responsible for bringing a first-aid kit to treat bee stings and other minor injuries that may occur.

- Cancellations made by the Contractholder must be made no later than the day before the rental or the Friday before a Saturday/Sunday rental by contacting the office by 4:00 pm. A $5.00 service fee will be deducted from the refund.

-All groups reserving the facilities shall be provided with adequate supervision. Any additional staffing requested or required may result in additional charges.

-A Worton Arena Building Use Policy is also required to be signed for any applicant wanting to hold a party with 30 or more persons.

- An additional Youth Event Contract Rider is required for all youth events in the Worton Arena (i.e. large birthday parties, dances, etc.) along with a list of chaperones. Please see the office for additional information and forms.

- Kent County Parks and Recreation reserves the right to cancel any Contract.

- Kent County Parks and Recreation is absolved of all responsibility and liability for any damage, injury, or loss sustained by persons or property as a result of the Contractholder's negligence or that of any member of the Contractholder's group.

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