



EXETER PARKS & RECREATION

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Rules for Use of Swasey Parkway

The purpose of the guidelines is to assure the safety and pleasure of the recreational users of the Parkway and the preservation of the grounds and structures. The Parkway is open to the public, citizens, and non-citizens of the Town of Exeter. The green space and walkway are the responsibility of the Trustees of Swasey Parkway. The public roadway is the responsibility of the Select Board of the Town of Exeter. We are all its caretakers.

- Open hours are from dawn to dusk; year-round.
- Abuse, destruction or defacing of property within the Parkway is strictly forbidden.
- Swasey Parkway is a carry-in, carry-out area. Littering is prohibited.
- Signs are prohibited.
- Metal Detector Use is prohibited.
- The distribution of posters and handbills is prohibited.
- Dogs and other pets are prohibited.
- The use of tent stakes is not permitted.
- The use of bicycles, skateboards, and other such vehicles is limited to the street only.
- Nothing is to be attached to the trees or shrubs; either permanently or temporarily.
- There can be no removal of trees or shrubs or any part of these except with the permission of the Trustees.
- Design, construction, and planting decisions are made by consultation with the Trustees.
- The Pavilion use along with any planned activity in the parkway must have approval by the Parks and Recreation Department by permit.
- No individual or group may charge for the use, or fenced-in areas, of Swasey Parkway except for events in which state law requires containment, such as for events that sell alcoholic beverages. In addition, permits for such events must be issued by the Town of Exeter. Fines for nonadherence to these rules are administered according to Town ordinances.

The Trustees of Swasey Parkway are grateful to the many who take a proprietary interest in preserving and maintaining Swasey Parkway. We all owe it to future generations to care for this special place.

CATEGORY	EVENT DETAILS	FEES
Exeter Residents & Exeter Organizations: can reserve the parkway 12 months prior to their proposed date. Non-residents: can reserve the Parkway 11 months prior to their proposed date.		
Non-Profit	One- Day Event: A single organization may only rent the parkway for up to 6 dates per calendar year.	\$100/per date
For-Profit	One-Day Event: A single organization may only rent the parkway for up to 6 dates per calendar year.	\$150/per date
	Farmers Market (Seacoast Eat Local): Meets weekly on Thursdays, from April to October. The approval and designated fee for this rental will be reviewed annually.	\$1,200/per year