

Splash Pad Rules & Regulations

Alcohol: Alcohol is prohibited on District property.

Attendance: To ensure the safety of your guests, party size must not exceed the approved limit; exceeding it may forfeit the deposit. Youth Groups: Require 1 adult per 10 children.

Attire: Only proper swimwear is permitted at the splash pad. Children who are not toilet trained must wear snug-fitting plastic pants over a swim diaper. Disposable diapers are not allowed. To maintain a safe and clean environment, street shoes are prohibited—only bare feet or aqua socks are permitted on the splash pad surfaces.

Cancellation & Rescheduling Policy: Cancellations made at least 14 days in advance are eligible for a full refund, minus a \$10 service fee, or may be rescheduled for a \$25 fee. The Lindenhurst Park District reserves the right to cancel rentals due to unforeseen safety concerns (e.g., flooding, fire, thunder, lightning). In such cases, renters may choose to receive a full refund or reschedule within the same season at no additional charge. If severe weather shortens a rental, rental fees will be pro-rated to the nearest half-hour. Please note that renters assume the risk of inclement weather for outdoor facility rentals—no refunds will be issued for weather-related cancellations or early departures. For your safety, the splash pad will close for 30 minutes following any thunder or lightning.

Decorations: Only blue painter's tape or Command hooks allowed. Staples, tacks, nails, pins, clear tape, confetti or glitter is prohibited.

Hours: Rentals are available from 10a until park closing at sunset, unless otherwise specified. Items may not be stored or delivered to the property before or after your contracted time on the approved application.

Oak Ridge Park Picnic Area: Keep the celebration going at our picnic area, located near the Splash Pad. Enjoy exclusive access to two picnic tables and endless fun at the archaeological dig site—don't forget to bring your shovels and buckets! Grilling is not permitted.

Organizations: Organizations must provide a \$1,000,000 Certificate of Liability Insurance naming Lindenhurst Park District as additionally *insured at the time of reservation*.

Park District Contact – Day of Rental: *If you need to reach a Park District employee in the evening or on the weekend, please call 847-356-6011 or email Lfriedl@lindenhurstparks.org with your phone number and the reason for contacting us. Please note that responses may not be immediate. If you arrive at your rental site and find it in an unacceptable condition (e.g., trash, damage, graffiti), you must email us with photos before or within 15 minutes of your rental start time to avoid being held responsible for the condition and incurring additional fees. To minimize day-of concerns, renters are encouraged to visit the rental site in advance to review seating, decorations, food setup, electricity, water access, restrooms, and other facility details.*

Payment Policy: Rental fees may be paid by cash, check, or all major credit cards. Checks must be made payable to Lindenhurst Park District, and full payment is required at the time of reservation to secure the rental. All renters are required to have a valid, unexpired credit card (not a debit card) on file, which will only be charged if additional fees apply. A \$25 fee will be charged for any returned checks or declined cards.

Pets: Pets are not permitted on park property.

Post Rental Inspection & Fees: Following your rental, the premises will be inspected. If the space is left in good condition—free of damage, excessive trash, or violations of the rental contract—the card on file will not be charged. However, if any damage, excessive mess, or contract violations are found, a minimum fee of \$100 will be charged to the credit card on file. Any additional costs beyond \$100 will be based on the actual expenses incurred by the Park District for repairs, replacements, or cleaning.

Refreshments: Food and beverages are only permitted in designated picnic areas. Glass containers and coolers are prohibited in the Splash Pad area. A water fountain is available on-site; however, water from the splash pad features is not safe for drinking. Grilling is not allowed.

Renter Requirements: Renters must be at least 21 years of age and in attendance for the duration of the rental. Renter must declare on the contract all activities which will take place on Park District property. Renter will assume full responsibility for the rental and is solely responsible for the actions of any member of their group.

Restrooms: Restrooms may be utilized by the public during your rental. Due to continued vandalism, soap is no longer provided in shelter restrooms; bring your own hand soap. Restroom doors are on timers. Emergency lock release feature located inside restrooms.

Safety Reminders: Admission to the facility shall be refused to all persons having any contagious disease or infectious conditions such as colds. No climbing or hanging on the splash pad equipment and fences. For the safety and enjoyment of your guests – please make sure rules are known to all members of your party. Splash Park rules are posted at the facility.

Signage: Signs will be clearly displayed to indicate when a private rental is in progress and the area is temporarily closed to the public.

Spray Features: Spray features are motion activated and will turn off if not used within 15 minutes. To reactivate, use the motion sensor located on the pole near the water features. Spray features will turn on at the start of your rental.

Sales/Soliciting: Sales of any kind, including, but not limited to: soliciting donations, ticket sales, admission sales, merchandise sales, food/beverage sales, accepting orders, etc., are prohibited without an approved Special Use Permit. Special Use Permits require Executive Director and Board of Park Commissioners approval. Gambling in any form is prohibited.

Vendors: Entertainment providers, equipment rentals, and service providers (bands, generators, tents, canopies, caterers, etc.) hired from a rental company and/or personally owned must be listed for pre-approval and will require a Certificate of Insurance with a \$1,000,000.00 general liability coverage policy listing the Lindenhurst Park District as additionally insured. A copy must be provided to the Park District two weeks prior to the event.