

Carter Park Picnic Shelter Rules and Regulations

Hours of Operation: 7:00 a.m. – Dusk

- All food, garbage and other waste must be disposed of using onsite waste receptacles. If the waste generated is more than what can be handled by onsite containers, then the shelter user is responsible for properly disposing of their waste at another location (i.e. Elmont Convenience Center or at the user's home). A Town employee may check the area at any time to assure proper clean up. Failure to properly clean the shelter area after the event or any damage to the shelter may result in a prohibition for any future rentals and forfeiture of all deposits.
- Alcoholic beverages are prohibited on Town property unless the user receives written approval from staff and the user obtains the appropriate permit from the ABC Authority. A copy of the ABC permit must be provided to the Town prior to the reservation date. All ABC permitted events must have clear boundaries for alcohol consumption and appropriate security measures.
- Signs, banners, and sound systems must be approved in writing by the Town of Ashland. There are no electric outlets available.
- Reservation of the picnic shelter includes only the shelter itself and the area immediately surrounding the shelter and does not include the playground or other amenities at the park. The general public is always welcome within the park. Reservation of the shelter does not include any other park privileges, such as access to the Carter Park Pool. Picnic tables, if moved from the shelter, must be returned to the area before your party leaves.
- The following are prohibited at the shelter:
 - Unleashed animals
 - Profanity
 - Smoking or drug use
 - Glass containers
 - Confetti, glitter, paint, or nails
 - Carnival-type activities, such as inflatable attractions, dunk tanks, petting zoos, etc.
- Picnic shelter users must be current on all Town taxes and fees prior to reserving the shelter. Refunds are only given in case of inclement weather that hampers outdoor activities.
- Fees may not be collected within the park.

- Closings for maintenance, safety, or other reasons deemed appropriate for the management and protection of property shall be at the discretion of the Department.
- The user and their guests agree to hold harmless the Town of Ashland for any injury, death, impairment, or damage to persons or property that may result due to the use of the shelter.
- Violation of any rules or regulations may be cause for prohibiting any future rents from the person, group or organization on the agreement and forfeiture of all deposits.

For more information Monday – Thursday 7:30 a.m. through 6:00 p.m. call Town Hall (804) 798-9219.

In case of an emergency dial 911.