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Orchard Hills Lodge • 11340 Caves Road, Chester Twp.

GUIDELINES FOR USE

Welcome to ***Geauga Park District's Orchard Hills Lodge in Orchard Hills Park***. This facility may be reserved from 8:30 AM to 11 PM online, by phone, or in person on a first-come, first-served basis. For pricing, please refer to the current fee schedule located on our website under Reservations.

To ensure the facility is well maintained for all who use it, we ask that you observe these guidelines:

- YOUR RESERVATION PERMITS ACCESS ONLY ON THE DAY AND TIME SLOT OF YOUR RESERVATION. YOU MAY NOT SET UP THE SPACE EARLY.
- Bring your own water for drinking and clean-up.
- Adhere nothing to walls, ceilings, windows, signs or road signs. Remove all signs, especially any left near park entrances, and traces of decorations before leaving.
- Smoking and pets are prohibited inside the lodge. Alcohol is permitted indoors only. Alcohol is not permitted in adjacent areas such as trails, roadways and the parking lot.
- Park playgrounds, restrooms, trails and parking lots remain open to the general public even during reservations.

BEFORE LEAVING, • clean lodge • return tables to original positions • secure windows/doors • leave bagged trash in provided containers • turn thermostat to 55 degrees (if heated).

FIREPLACE OPERATION

1) Use paper and kindling to start. No flammable liquids.
2) Add a few logs at a time.
3) Keep the fire small.
4) Do not overfill the fireplace.
5) Do not cook in the fireplace.

Leaving the Fire:

1) Allow the fire to burn down.
2) Coals may be left in the fireplace.
3) Do not extinguish with water (may damage stone).

Amenities inside

- Maximum capacity: 48 people.
- Five (5) picnic tables.
- Electrical outlets. Please do not plug in more than two (2) items per outlet to avoid overloading the circuit.
- Heat is provided Oct. 15 through Apr. 15, weather dependent. Off-season heat requires a daytime forecast of 65°F or below and your request at least 3 days before your reservation.

Amenities outside

- Charcoal grill and four (4) picnic tables.
- Restrooms are located in a separate building from the lodge. They do not have flush toilets or running water.
- Fireplace is available year-round. Bring your own firewood and supplies; some wood may be onsite, but is not guaranteed.

Reservations must be made at least seven (7) days in advance, and to receive a fee refund, cancellation must occur at least seven (7) days prior to the reservation date. Fees are nontransferable.

In the event of an emergency, call 911. For non-emergencies or assistance, call the park office at 440-286-9516. After business hours, call Geauga County Sheriff's Office at 440-286-1234 for a ranger.

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