

SPORTS COURTS USE POLICY

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- 1.1. Sports Courts. The Parks may have multiple sports courts, including a basketball court, volleyball court and other athletic courts (“Sports Courts”). The Cove has multiple sports courts, including a basketball court, a tennis court, pickleball courts, and other athletic courts (“The Cove Sports Courts”). The term “Sports Courts” will collectively refer to all courts located in Parks at The Cove, unless specified.
- 1.2. Use of the Sports Courts. Sports Courts are available for the general informal use to Users and their guests provided that such use is consistent with the planned use for the court. Sports Courts are open on a first-come, first-served basis, subject to Section 1.3 herein and additional policies as adopted by the District from time to time. Continuous use of the Sports Courts is limited to one (1) hour. Commercial use of the Sports Courts is prohibited.
- 1.3. The Cove Sports Courts Registration and Use. All Users who desire to access The Cove Sports Courts shall register prior to accessing as required in Article I of Policies and Procedures Governing the Barefoot Recreation Amenities and as amended from time to time. Users may access The Cove Sports Courts by issued Access Card or other method as determined by Board. Users shall adhere to the reservation, check-in and access processes subject to section 1.6 herein or as determined by District and or Community Manager prior to entering area for staff to determine User registration, reservation, and track for play time limits.
- 1.4. User Age and Use Restrictions. No person aged 12 or under may use the Sports Courts unless accompanied by a parent, legal guardian or other adult, or authorized minor over the age of 16 as authorized by parent or guardian.
- 1.5. User Guests. Users are allowed to bring guests subject to Article 1 of the Policies and Procedures Governing the Barefoot Recreation Amenities and as amended from time to time.
- 1.6. Hours of Operation. Hours of the Sports Courts are posted on-site or on the District’s website. The Sports Courts hours of operation are subject to seasonal adjustments or changes deemed necessary and appropriate by the Board in its discretion. Additionally, the District, the District Manager, and the Community Manager reserve the right to close the Sports Courts due to inclement weather, preparation for major events, safety incidents, or other reasons.
- 1.7. The Cove Sports Court Play Reservations. The Cove Sports Courts may be reserved for play by signing up on the on-site signup sheet available through the Community Manager. Users may reserve up to one (1) hour at a time on The Cove Sports Courts and may reserve additional one (1) hour slots, so long as it does not interfere with already reserved time-slots or the reservation is at least two (2) hours later than the end of the User’s previous one (1) hour reservation. Reservations can be made up to seven (7) days in advance and reservations must be made at least one (1) hour in advance of available time slot. The Sign up and reservation process may be amended from time to time in by the Community Manager as deemed necessary.

- 1.8. Smoking, Drugs and Alcohol. Smoking is not permitted within twenty-five (25) feet of the Sports Courts, and the use of marijuana or illegal drugs is not allowed and shall not be permitted on or around the Sports Courts. The consumption of alcohol on or around the Sports Courts is prohibited.
- 1.9. Sports Courts Rules. Users shall adhere to all District rules, regulations, policies and procedures, and staff direction at all times. Sports Court rules are posted in the Court area and may be obtained directly from the District Manager or the Community Manager. Staff reserves the right to remove Users from the amenity due to misconduct, violation of rules and policies, and inappropriate behavior.

General Sports Court Rules and Regulations:

- 1.9.1. Sports Courts are open dawn to dusk.
- 1.9.2. All users under the age of 12 shall be accompanied and supervised by parent, legal guardian, or other authorized responsible party at all times.
- 1.9.3. Basketball and volleyball courts will be used on a first-come, first-serve basis.
- 1.9.4. User Reservations for The Cove Sports Courts use will be prioritized over Users with no reservations. If no reservations are made, courts will be used on a first-come, first-serve basis.
- 1.9.5. Users shall not make any adjustment to nets or any equipment. User shall notify District Manager if any adjustments are necessary.
- 1.9.6. Appropriate attire should be worn by all Users and their guests when utilizing Sports Courts. Shoes with non-marking soles must be worn on Sports Courts.
- 1.9.7. No Rollerblades, skateboards, bicycles and strollers are permitted on Courts.
- 1.9.8. Pets are not permitted on Sports Courts.
- 1.9.9. All lessons must be approved by the District.
- 1.9.10. Smoking, the use of marijuana, and the use of illegal drugs within the court fence or within 25 ft. of the Sports Courts are prohibited.
- 1.9.11. No food of any kind may be brought within the Sports Court enclosures.
- 1.9.12. Loud, boisterous conduct or profanity will not be tolerated on the Sports Courts.
- 1.9.13. Alcoholic beverages are not permitted.