

# Winton Woods

## Campground Policies



### REFUND POLICY

Camping is an outdoor experience; we cannot give discounts, credits or refunds due to inclement weather. Reservations are refundable more than 30 days in advance of check-in. For cancellations of less than 30 days, but more than 48 hours in advance, a \$5 reservation cancellation fee will be charged. Cancellation credit will be placed in a house account to apply to a new reservation within one year. If canceling less than 48 hours from the date of check-in, there is no refund or credit issued.

### CHECK-IN

Check-in is at 2 p.m. for campsites and 3 p.m. for cabins. Campers must stop at the campground office before entering the campground. When the campground office is closed, check the information board inside the camp office lobby for further details.

### CHECK-OUT

Check-out is by noon for campsites and 11a.m. for cabins. Campers must vacate their campsite/cabin by the date shown on their site tag. Campers must notify the attendant of any difficulty in vacating their site by the specified check-out time. Failure to comply may result in impoundment of equipment or an additional charge. Late check-out is not available to cabin renters.

### CAMPER CONDUCT & BYLAWS

All Great Parks' bylaws and regulations apply to the campground area. Great Parks' Rangers may terminate occupancy or remove individuals from the campground with no refund or credit at their sole discretion. Profanity and loud or abusive behavior is prohibited. Conduct that could endanger the welfare of others or infringe on others' enjoyment will not be tolerated.

### ALCOHOL

Alcohol may only be consumed in campsites and at cabins only, subject to Ohio laws. Consumption is not permitted in public areas.

### STAY LIMIT

Occupancy at Winton Woods Campground is limited to no more than 14 days in a 30-day period. Exceptions require management approval.

### QUIET HOURS

Quiet hours are 11 p.m.-9 a.m. If you or your group can be heard on an adjacent campsite, then your group is too loud. Generators, flood lights, radios, televisions, etc. may not be used during quiet hours.

### PETS

Pets must be kept on a six-foot leash (maximum) and under voice control at all times. Barking or aggressive dogs will not be tolerated. Pet owners must clean up after their animals. Owners may be asked to remove dogs at Great Parks' discretion. Renters staying in cabins are not permitted to bring pets.

### OCCUPANCY

A campsite/cabin may not be occupied by more than six people unless approved in advance. At least one camper at each site must be a responsible adult (18 years or older for campsites, 21 years or older for cabins) who assumes responsibility for all actions at their campsite/cabin and should remain with campers and visitors at all times. Camper parking or storage is not permitted.

### MOTOR VEHICLES

Two motor vehicles are permitted at each campsite/cabin, no exceptions. Additional vehicles may use the campground visitor parking lot. Motor vehicles in the campground must display the Campground Vehicle Pass on the rear view mirror all days camping. A 5-mph speed limit is strictly enforced. All motor vehicles must be parked on the surfaced pad at all times; parking in the grass is prohibited. Visitor lot spaces are not held if you leave and return. The parking area next to the shower building is for use of that building only, and is limited to 30 minutes.

### VISITOR POLICY

Visiting hours are from 9 a.m.-11 p.m. If your site already has two vehicles, then visitors must park in the visitor lot. Campers are responsible for their visitors' actions and compliance with the campground rules. Loud or unruly behavior may result in visitors being asked to leave. Large groups should arrange to meet at an alternate location.

### SHELTER

Registered campers may use the picnic shelter inside the campground located next to the playground from 9 a.m.-11 p.m. when currently camping at the campground. This is a public space not intended for exclusive use or for outside guests; therefore, alcohol is not permitted at the shelter.

### CAMPING EQUIPMENT

Campers are limited to one camping unit per campsite plus one additional tent and one dining fly. A camping unit is defined as either an RV, fifth wheel, trailer, pop-up or tent. Camping in vehicles is not permitted. A camping

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unit must be present on the rented site. RVs, fifth wheels and trailers must remain on the surfaced pad. Large trailers may reduce the number of cars permitted on your site. Only tents and single-axle pop-up trailers are permitted on the grass areas.

### FIRES

Fires are permitted in grills or fire rings only. Fires should not exceed three feet in height. Do not cut trees or move fire rings. Do not leave your fire unattended. Be sure that your fire is completely extinguished before leaving. The emergency fire extinguisher is located on the outside of the shower building. Chainsaw use is prohibited.

### FIREWOOD QUARANTINE

Our region is under a firewood quarantine to help prevent the spread of invasive insects like the emerald ash borer that threaten our forests. These pests spread primarily through movement of firewood. For that reason, moving firewood in or out of the campground is prohibited. Approved Firewood is available for purchase through the Campground Office.

### CONSERVATION

Cutting or chopping of tree limbs and vegetation, collecting of natural material and molesting of birds and wildlife is strictly prohibited. Feeding of wildlife is strongly discouraged. Regular feeding can cause dependency on people for food, loss of survival instincts, animal/people conflicts and spread of disease. Please help keep our park beautiful. Do not litter.

### LOW SPEED VEHICLES

Low speed vehicle (LSV) use is permissible. A maximum of one LSV per site is allowed. Driver must be 16 years old and have a valid driver's license. LSV use is limited to the campground drive. LSV is for daytime use only, unless the cart is equipped with headlights and taillights. LSV use is permitted within the campground and park property only. No LSV shall be permitted to travel on any park roadway where the speed limit is greater than 25 mph. LSV's must obey all road signs, traffic laws and travel in the same direction as vehicle traffic.

### SEWAGE DUMP STATION

Campers must stay with their trailer at all times until servicing is completed and remove the camper from the dump station area immediately afterward. Use the hose to flush down the concrete apron after use. An additional fee is required for use by non-campers.

### CLEANUP

Campers must maintain a clean campsite. Campers should place all trash and recyclables in the appropriate dumpsters at check-out. Do not place garbage in your fire ring or burn trash at your site. Vacated sites requiring cleanup by staff may be assessed a cleanup fee.

### FISHING

Bank fishing is permitted by registered campers who are staying on lakeside campsites. Campers are only authorized to bank fish from their own registered campsite. Fishing is also permitted at the boat launch inside the campground and at the harbor. A valid Ohio fishing license is required.

### BOATING

Registered campers are permitted to launch their private canoes or kayaks at the ramp located between sites 47 and 49. Canoes and kayaks must be licensed and all Ohio Watercraft laws apply. Kayak spray skirts are not permitted. Swimming is not permitted.

### SEVERE WEATHER

Great Parks highly recommends that outdoor activities cease and everyone seek shelter when severe weather is present. Remember: When thunder roars, go indoors.

### EMERGENCIES

For emergency assistance, call 911. For non-emergency assistance, call Ranger dispatch 513- 521-3980 or the Hamilton County Communications Center at 513-825-2280. There is an emergency telephone located outside the campground office. Great Parks' Rangers patrol the campground 24 hours a day.

### QUESTIONS

For questions, contact the campground office at 513-851-2267, or contact the Rangers.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Participation in group gathering activities may result in injury or contracting illnesses including communicable diseases such as influenza, MRSA, Coronavirus etc. Camping has many hazards, there are risks that cannot be eliminated. Camping at any Great Parks of Hamilton County campground is at your own risk.

No fireworks, firearms or weapons of any kind are permitted at Winton Woods Campground.

As a matter of courtesy, our guests are to exercise good sense and respect for others. Please remember that we enforce our rules to protect our guests and our parks.