



Code of Conduct for Facilities and Programs

Vancouver Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services (PRCS) strives to provide an environment where everyone can safely enjoy visiting our facilities and participating in our programs and activities. This general code of conduct was created with that goal in mind. Some programs and activities may have additional rules or requirements, which will be provided during registration or shared at the start of activities that do not require registration.

PLEASE DO

Encouraged Behavior



- Conduct yourself in a manner that is respectful to other patrons, participants and staff.
- Service dogs are welcome. To request accommodation for other service animals, contact adacoordinator@cityofvancouver.us.
- Respect all PRCS property and the property of other patrons. Please check with staff before using any equipment and/or rooms.
- Follow all posted rules, written and/or verbal program rules and staff requests.
- Secure all personal belongings. PRCS is not responsible for lost and/or stolen items.
- Dress appropriately for a public place. Wear a shirt and shoes in the facility at all times, except when using the pool.
- All belongings/bags brought into the facility must be carried in a single trip, kept contained, out of the way of others and within your reach at all times. Do not leave belongings unattended.
- Maintain orderly and safe entry/exit by not loitering in high traffic areas, doorways, aisles and stairways. Keep personal items from interfering with access to the facility.
- Limit active play to areas designated for it.
- Clean-up after yourself, including putting all trash and/or recyclables in the proper receptacles.
- Park in designated and authorized areas only.



DO NOT

Prohibited Behavior

- Engage in disruptive and/or disorderly behavior or conduct that endangers yourself or others and/or damages or defaces property.
- Use profanity or demeaning language, intimidation, taunts, teasing and/or ridicule or any other abusive and/or harassing language or behavior.
- Smoke, vape or use tobacco in any form, including e-cigarettes. Parks and community center campuses are tobacco-free spaces.
- Use drugs, alcohol or other intoxicating substances while at the facility, or be under the influence of such substances while using the facility.
- Bring emotional support animals, companion animals or pets to facilities or programs. Animals may not be left unattended outside City facilities.
- Play personal audio equipment at a volume that disturbs others.
- Ride bicycles or scooters, skate or skateboard inside the facility or leave these items unattended in the building and/or building walkways.
- Use the restroom for purpose of shaving, bathing, haircutting, washing clothes or other uses it was not intended for.
- Leave young children unsupervised.
- Use cell phones with photographic capabilities in the locker rooms and/or restrooms.
- Camp and/or sleep at the facility and/or grounds. Conduct any type of pedestrian interference in a public place; obstructing pedestrian or vehicular traffic.
- Possess any weapons without a permit.