

DARKE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

South End Camping

Rules and Regulations

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I. TRAILER PARKING

A. Check cement markers at your lot. (L/M-Left of Marker, R/M Right of Marker)

A-L/M B-L/M C-R/M D-L/M E-R/M F-L/M G-R/M H-L/M HC-L/M
I-R/M J-L/M K-R/M L-L/M M-R/M N-L/M O-R/M P-L/M XX-L/M
X-L/M VS-R/M XA-L/M W-L/M

NOTICE ALL CAMPERS:

- A. All campers 12 & over must have Fair Ticket to camp. 18 & over can purchase membership or non-membership tickets.
- B. Fair Tickets must be presented or purchased when camper is brought in. A list of people staying in camper must be provided along with Fair Passes.
- C. All RV's must be backed into camping lots. Campers parking permit **MUST BE DISPLAYED IN CAMPER WINDOW** facing the driveway of Lot # & Name visible for Emergency purposes.

II. WATER HOOK-UP

- A. A permanent direct water hook-up for the week of the fair is permitted. There is a hook-up for each trailer. In some areas to achieve this, trailers may have to put a "Y" connector in the water hook-up.

III. ELECTRICAL/SEWER HOOK-UP

- A. There is one electrical hook-up per trailer. Proper electric cords (outdoor, heavy duty) must be used.
- B. Anyone hooking up electric before Thursday of fair week will be charged an additional \$15.00 per day.
- C. **New sewer hook-ups must have sewer collars.**

IV. VEHICLES IN CAMPING AREA

- A. Each camping trailer is permitted one vehicle to be parked in front of the campsite - weather permitting.
- B. The vehicle used to drive in and out of the camping area must have a Vehicle Permit on front windshield. Only one permit will be issued per site. Anyone tampering with passes is an automatic removal and loss of campsite.
- C. Cars parked in the camping area without a permit will be towed away.
- D. Only vendors/concessions campers under contract with the Fairboard are permitted to utilize Golf Cars, Mules, and/or Gators by permit. Motorized wheelchairs for the handicapped are the only other authorized vehicles permitted on the Fairgrounds.

V. HOLDING TANKS

- A. Holding tanks pumping fee will be **\$10.00** or more depending on the contract once it is made. Pay at the Camp Office the day before the pump is needed to be emptied out. All gray water and sanitation tanks must be closed at all times while camping. Anyone dumping on the grounds or when leaving will not be renewed the following year. The Dumping Station is near the Youth Building and west of gate one, across from the camp lot on the South end. Holding Tanks must be dumped at Dumping Stations only. 7:00-9:00 a.m. only.

VI. TRASH BARRELS

- A. Trash barrels or dumpsters will be located on the outer perimeter near cinder track and at the end of each row for the collection of trash.

VII. PETS

- A. By the rules of the Darke County Agricultural Society, **NO DOGS** are permitted on the fairgrounds except for exhibition purposes. Once dogs show then they need to be taken off the grounds.

VIII. TRAILER SIZE

- A. Due to the size of the lots, trailer size will be taken into consideration. Pull-outs and awnings must not interfere with neighbor or may be asked to be kept in or a vehicle may have to be left off the campsite.
- B. Depending on the size of your trailer is what the size of your lot will be based on and decided upon by the Camping Office. Any trailer which has outgrown their site will be asked to relocate. Camper size and demand is definitely considered on wait list and move up list.
- C. Decks must be kept to size no larger than 8' wide x 16' long 1 level only. No appliances outside of unit.
- D. Campers may have screen room or awning but not both and it must be attached to trailer.

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IX. LOCATION & PARKING CAMPERS

- A. **All Campers MUST stop at Camp Office before parking. After Camper has been parked, do not unhook until checked by South End Camping Representative.** The Friday a week before the commencement of the fair each year, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M. only. For safety reasons, No trailers after dark.
- B. **All payments/cards for camping are to be received by July 15** of each year. Payments can be made at the Secretaries Office under the Grandstand or by mailing them to Darke County Agricultural Society, 800 Sweitzer Street, Greenville, Ohio 45331.
- C. All Campers in Sewer lot, Steam Threshers and Row J **MUST USE GATE 1.**
- D. All Campers camping outside walk through gate such as VS-Row X-38, woods & primitive **MUST USE GATE 6.**
- E. All Campers in Horse camping VN-Row-, Cinder track, Row X, starting with XX and HC row **MUST USE GATE 5.**
- F. **Handicapped Parking is located at GATE 6.**
- G. **Horse People Use GATE 5.**
- H. All Campers need to remember extra parking is outside the gates! Continual abuse of this rule will cost you your parking pass for your campsite!

X. WAITING AND MOVE-UP LIST

- A. Anyone wishing to obtain a campsite, and does not currently have one, will be placed on a waiting list. As campsites become available, individuals will be notified in the following manner.
 1. Campers already with assigned a site who wish to relocate will be the next to be notified.
 2. Campers who are in primitive and on the waiting list.
 3. Patrons who are on the waiting list not currently assigned a camp site.
 4. Primitive campers not on waiting list.
- B. You must put your name on the move-up list to be moved up. Once you are moved up you will not be permitted to move-up again for at least 3 years.
We will not move the same people up year after year.
- C. Names will not be allowed on the waiting list more than one time or under a different name.
- D. Anyone wishing to obtain a campsite, and does not currently have one, will be placed on the waiting list.
- E. **YOU MAY NOT RENT YOUR SITE TO SOMEONE ELSE OR LET ANYONE ELSE USE YOUR SITE.** Anyone giving up his/her site, and wanting a campsite at a later time, must be put back on the waiting list.
- F. **NO** one under the age of 18 is allowed to rent a campsite. Anyone staying in a site, under the age of 18, must be supervised by a legal adult responsible for that site. All campers renting a site must be occupied by camper responsible for site by noon, first Friday of Fair.
- G. If there is a divorce then both parties need to come to an agreement on who will get the campsite. If no agreement is made then both parties will have to be placed on the bottom of the waiting list.
- H. Primitive Camping. Tents allowed in Primitive Area only. Generators are only allowed in Primitive Area and must be shut off before dark.
- I. The Camp Office has the right to put a primitive camper in a camp spot that becomes unoccupied during fair week should a camper choose to pull out early.
- J. Campers must be used not just occupied by a camper.

XI. ALL CAMPSITES

- Should be quieted down by 12:00 midnight.
- In case of an emergency please dial **-911**
- **NO DESTRUCTION OR TAMPERING THE PROPERTY OR YOU WILL BE EVICTED.**
- No Banners or Political Signs of any kind permitted.
- All Campers must be removed by Wednesday after the Fair or a \$15 per day camping fee will apply.
- **NO FIREWORKS, NO LAWN MOWERS OR MOWING PERMITTED.**
- **NO FIRES OF ANY TYPE ARE PERMITTED ON THE FAIRGROUNDS.**

Effective August 24, 2007, any individual found tampering with or defacing Board owned equipment, specifically electrical equipment, shall lose their Fair camping location indefinitely, as well as their parking pass and gate pass for the year the incident occurred.

ALL RULES ARE TO BE FOLLOWED, ANYONE CHOOSING NOT TO FOLLOW THE RULES, NEED TO REMEMBER THE CAMP OFFICE & DIRECTOR HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMOVE YOU.

PLEASE, HAVE A GOOD YEAR & SEE YOU AT THE GREAT DARKE COUNTY FAIR