

## **CITY OF COLUSA RESOLUTION NO. 11-25**

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Colusa that:

- 1) Resolution No. 02-26 is hereby rescinded, and that;
- 2) The rules and regulations hereinafter set out are hereby adopted, pursuant to Section 12-12 of the Colusa City Code and are effective as of July 19, 2011.

### **RULES & REGULATIONS:**

1. NO horses are allowed in City parks.
2. NO overnight camping is allowed in City parks.
3. NO motorized vehicles shall travel in any portion of any City park, with the exception of authorized emergency or maintenance/construction vehicles.
4. NO person shall cause or allow an open fire to burn in a City park, except in those areas designated by the City of Colusa as BBQ areas. Open fires in BBQ areas shall be in a BBQ pit on-site or in an authorized container designed for fire and/or BBQ.
5. NO person shall allow play or sports equipment that expels any type of a projectile in a City park. This prohibition includes but is not limited to, BB guns, pellet guns, bow and arrows, and slingshots.
6. NO bounce houses or similar inflatable structures are allowed in City parks without a permit issued by the City of Colusa. For a permit to be issued, the bounce house operator must have a City Business License.
7. NO waterslides or other water oriented amusements are allowed in any City park.
8. Tennis courts shall be used for tennis play only. The tennis courts shall not be used for the playing of baseball, basketball, football, soccer or any other game.
9. NO bicycles, skateboards, roller skates, wagons or other wheeled devices are allowed on the surface of the tennis courts.
10. NO glass beverage containers are allowed in City parks. "Beverage" is defined as any liquid intended for human consumption.
11. NO person shall deposit or permit litter or debris of any type be left in any City park, except in garbage or recycling receptacles provided for such purpose.
12. NO playing of golf will be allowed in any City park.
13. Playing of hardball and softball shall be allowed for recreational purposes only without prior permission from City Hall. Tournaments may reserves fields for use on a first come fee paid basis.
14. Any organized or competitive league play (including, but not limited to soccer or little league) must have prior approval from the City of Colusa. All play should be away from any houses that are neighboring the parks in order to prevent damage occurring to those homes.
15. NO amplified sound systems allowed in the City parks without prior approval from the City of Colusa.

## **HOURS OF USE:**

1. All park hours, exclusive of the swimming pool and Lewis Tennant Softball Complex, are set according to Ordinance Section 12-13(a).
2. The Colusa Swimming Pool hours shall be 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., seven days per week between May 1<sup>st</sup> and October 1<sup>st</sup>. The pool is closed the rest of the year. Special events (swim meets; private parties) must obtain approval from the City of Colusa of the use of the pool beyond these time limits.
3. The Lewis Tennant Softball Complex hours shall be 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m., seven days per week.

## **USE OF FACILITIES:**

1. Anyone having a function with more than fifty (50) people must obtain permission in writing to use any park or facility, the City of Colusa may require the applicant to show that all licenses or permits required by any City, County or State authority for the planned activity have been obtained by the applicant. Activities such as wedding receptions, yard sales, community fundraisers and tournaments may require additional licenses or permits in order to serve alcohol, provide music, serve food, provide security, etc., as needed. The Public Works Administrator shall have the primary authority and responsibility to interpret these rules.
2. The City of Colusa shall have the authority and discretion to refuse future permission to any organized group, organization or individual to use any parks or facility for special events such as wedding receptions, yard sales, fundraisers, company parties, or tournaments upon their finding that such organized group, organization or individual has not complied with rules for usage of such park or facility. A ban from such usage shall be for a period of one-year from the time that the organized group, organization or individual did not comply with the rules of usage.
3. Rules concerning use of parks and/or facilities shall be made available by the City of Colusa and shall be complied with by all users.
4. Users of parks and designated areas shall be responsible for cost of repairs or replacement of all items damaged in the course of such use.
5. Applications for use of facilities will be on a first-come, first-serve basis. City sponsored events will take priority over other applications. All costs to utilize park/facility shall be responsibility of the applicant. Priority for league play or practice in City Parks shall be given to City sponsored organizations or sports leagues, then next to organizations or leagues with city residents involved or playing in the league, and then finally to out of area players and teams or organizations.
6. Sale of food & drink is subject to State/County/Local health and safety laws and a City of Colusa Business License must be obtained if deemed necessary under the City of Colusa Business License Rules & Regulations.
7. The City of Colusa may inspect the use area and activities covered by the applicant at any time.

8. If the City of Colusa finds it prudent to require insurance coverage by the applicant, the policy shall show the City of Colusa and/or all employees of the City of Colusa, when acting as such, as additional insured during the specified use of parks and/or facilities. Such coverage shall be primary and any other insurance in force for the City of Colusa shall be excess and will not contribute with the above-policies.
9. The swimming pool may be rented after hours on a first-come, first-serve basis. The available times for the after- hours rental is between the hours of 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Friday or Saturday evenings. City staff will be utilized to lifeguard the private event. The number of lifeguards will be determined by the number of people using the facility. Rental fees and lifeguard hourly wages shall be set annually by Resolution, and shall be paid by the applicant prior to his/her use of the facility.
10. NO alcoholic beverages will be allowed in the pool area.
11. The City reserves the right to separately set fees for use of parks as part of the City's user fees. The City of Colusa reserves the right to initiate civil proceedings against any person causing damage to any City parks and/or violating these rules and regulations.

THE FOLLOWING FACILITIES ARE COVERED UNDER THIS RESOLUTION

LEWIS TENNANT SOFTBALL COMPLEX  
MEMORIAL PARK  
COLUSA LEVEE SCENIC PARK  
WILL S. GREEN PARK  
A.B. DAVISON PARK  
SANKEY/ELMWOOD PARK  
JENNIFER REW PARK  
C.D. SEMPLE PARK  
KING/VALE PARK  
LELAND TAYLOR PARK  
COLUSA MUNICIPAL POOL