

# Fire Regulations

## ALL FIRES MUST BE EXTINGUISHED

## BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 11 PM AND 7AM

**All wood fires, campfires, candles, and candle lanterns must be completely extinguished by 11 PM.**

**Propane stoves, lanterns, and fire pits that have an automatic shut off (such as an on/off switch) may be used between 11PM and 7AM.**

- **ALL** fires must be monitored at **ALL TIMES**, this includes candles and lanterns. The attendant must be alert, knowledgeable of the location of the nearest fire extinguisher, and know how to use it.
- **FIRE EXTINGUISHERS ARE REQUIRED** for each tent, each kitchen and each fire pit.
- All lanterns must be enclosed and secured.
- Candles must be in enclosed containers
- Tiki torches (or any non-enclosed torch) are absolutely forbidden.
- **No fires or flames of ANY kind inside your tent or pavilion.**
- Fire extinguishers must be within plain view and easy access of the source of the flame.
- Fire extinguishers may be purchased at the Potrero Store.
- Campfires are restricted to the provided pits or fire pits/braziers with a 6-inch vertical outer edge.
- Non permanent fire pits and braziers must have a 10 foot clearing around them, a 10 foot clearing above them, and be either at least 12" off the ground or have a heat shield. If it's too hot for your hand between the fire and the ground, it's a problem!
- **Do not** burn aluminum cans or plastic products in the fire rings.
- **Flames must never extend more than 12 inches** above the edge of the fire pit or brazier.
- The Parks Department may modify the campfire policy at any time for any reason.
- **If your fire is found unattended, it will be extinguished AND YOUR GROUP WILL BE BANNED FROM HAVING CAMPFIRES FOR THE REST OF THE EVENT. If your group is caught with a fire after being banned YOUR GROUP WILL BE REMOVED FROM SITE.**
- A fire is considered extinguished when it has been cooled to the point where it will not re-ignite when fresh, dry tinder is placed on it.
- **ALL CAMPFIRES MUST BE EXTINGUISHED BY 11PM.** It is the policy of San Diego County Parks Department that all campfires must be extinguished by 11pm. Due to the recent fires and current fire dangers, this **POLICY WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.**

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