

VILLAGE OF SPECULATOR
MUNICIPAL PARK USE APPLICATION

Name of Individual/Organization: _____

Contact Person: _____ Contact Phone: _____

Contact Address: _____

Contact Email: _____

Specific Activity Area Needed: (Circle one or more)

No Catered Receptions Permitted at LAKESIDE POINT

GAZEBO

PAVILION

BALLFIELD

LAKESIDE POINT

Event Date: _____ Time From: _____ am/pm To: _____ am/pm

Approximate number expected to attend event¹: _____

Detailed description of Event/activity and if electricity is needed:

¹ For events in excess of 500 people, accommodations must be made for additional toilet facilities in consultation with the Board of Trustees.

USE POLICY

The Village of Speculator assumes no responsibility or liability for inclement weather. Proof of certificate of insurance, with the Village of Speculator as additionally insured, must be provided by businesses and organizations using any Village facility.

Generally, alcohol is not permitted in any Village Park. Approval will only be considered for events that have a licensed purveyor. Purveyor must provide a certificate of insurance indemnifying the Village, proof of liquor license to service alcohol and a caterer’s permit as required by NYS Consolidated law—Alcohol Beverage Control, Article 7, § 98² to the Village Board of Trustees at least two (2) weeks prior to the event to allow for Board evaluation. Failure to provide license and certificate of insurance when required will lead to denial of use.

The Village of Speculator reserves the right to revoke permission of use.

A refundable fee in the amount of \$100 must be paid to the Village of Speculator by residents. There is a non-refundable fee in the amount of \$100 must be paid to the Village of Speculator by non-residents. Non-residents are defined and persons not residing or owning property within the Village of Speculator or Town of Lake Pleasant. All tables/chairs/etc. must be removed within 24 hours of the use of the property.

AGREEMENT

I/we have read and agree to conform to the above rules and conditions for the use of the Village of Speculator facilities noted above and attached.

I/we agree to abide by all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations, and ordinances which pertain to the use of said property and agree to pay for any damage to same, as a result of use.

I/we further agree to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Village, its officials and employees, from and against any and all liability, loss, damages, claims, or actions (including costs and attorney fees) for bodily and/or property damage, to the extent permissible by law, arising out of or in connection with use of said property.

I/we further expressly certify that I/we will be responsible for any damage or loss sustained to the grounds, buildings or equipment occurring, or unusual clean-up required, as a result of my and/or my organization’s use of the facilities.

Signed: _____

² NYS Consolidated Law - Alcoholic Beverage Control, Article 7 Special Permits, § 98 Caterer’s Permit. <https://www.nysenate.gov/legislation/laws/ABC>. Accessed 2021 June 23.

VILLAGE OF SPECULATOR PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS
YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR KNOWING PARK RULES
PLEASE OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING:

- ALCOHOL** Generally, alcohol is not permitted in any Village Park. Approval will only be granted for events that have a licensed purveyor who must provide a certificate of insurance indemnifying the Village, proof of liquor license to service alcohol and a caterer's permit as required in §98 of the NYS Consolidated Law - Alcoholic Beverage Control, Article 7 ,to the Village Board of Trustees at least two (2) weeks prior to the event.
- GLASS** No glass beverage containers allowed in Village Park.
- DOGS** Dogs must be leashed and under the control of its master at all times. Owners must clean up after their pet.
- BICYCLES** Bicycles must observe all vehicular codes. Riders are expected to be courteous and yield to pedestrian traffic. Helmets must be worn at all times by those requiring them. Bicycle riding is not allowed in the pavilion, basketball court or on the ballfield.
- CAMPING** No overnight camping is allowed except by Special permission of the Village Board of Trustees. Speculator parks are "day use" only.
- CAMP FIRES** No campfires allowed³.
- NOISE** No loud or unusual noises are allowed. All noise must comply with the Hamilton County Noise Law.
- VEGETATION** No taking, cutting or injury of any vegetation in the park is allowed.
- MOTORIZED VEHICLES** Motorized vehicles are prohibited from public property designated as walkways and any grass covered areas except designated parking area
- WEAPONS, FIREARMS OR FIREWORKS** No person shall possess or discharge weapons, firearms, or fireworks in any Village Park.
- CLEAN UP** Upon completion of the event, the facilities must be left clean. Any additional cleaning performed by Village forces will be charged to the Permittee.
- PARK HOURS** The Village of Speculator Park is open from dawn to dusk. The Pavilion is used by special permission in excess of these stated hours. The Village Park areas are public spaces and therefore, the public has access to any part of the park during regular hours. Park areas cannot be reserved for the exclusive use of any one group and access to the area by the general public must remain available at all times. It is unlawful to obstruct the free travel of any vehicle or pedestrian over any of the walks or roads of any park property.

³ The Village Board will only consider special requests on a case by case basis for local organizations.