

FIRES (2-107)

- No person shall build or attempt to build any fire or fires against or adjacent to any Park building, structure, tree, or any Park property, except in designated areas. Open burning is prohibited without permission.

MOUNTAIN CLIMBING (2-110)

- No person, other than Public Safety Personnel, shall engage in mountain climbing, rappelling, or rope climbing in any restricted areas of the Park.

HUNTING (4-104)

- Hunting, trapping, or the pursuit of wildlife is forbidden at all times, anywhere in the Park. Shooting into Park areas from beyond Park boundaries is forbidden.

WEAPONS (4-106)

- Persons with firearms or weapons must comply with the Georgia Firearms and Weapons Act, O.C.G.A. 16-11-120.

CAMPING (8-108)

- It shall be unlawful for any person to set up tents, shacks, or any other temporary shelter for the purpose of overnight camping in the Park's Natural District. Camping is allowed only in the Park's Campground.

HOURS OF OPERATION (8-104)

- The Park shall be open daily to the public during the hours of 5:00 a.m. to 12:00 midnight. No person, except employees of the Park shall be allowed in the Park when closed, unless registered for camping or at a lodging facility.

LOST AND FOUND (8-105)

- The finding of lost articles shall be reported to the Park Police. The Association shall have no responsibility to search for lost articles; however, every reasonable effort to find valuable property or locate owners of found items, shall be made.

METAL DETECTORS (8-103)

- Metal detectors shall not be permitted at the Park except as used for security purposes.

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For a complete list of Stone Mountain Park (SMMA)

Website: www.stonemountainpark.org

Click on: [Public Safety](#), then [Ordinances](#)

or CALL: 770-498-5675

SELECTED PARK ORDINANCES



Stone Mountain Park Department of Public Safety
2027 Old Hugh Howell Road
Stone Mountain, Georgia 30083
Office: 770-498-5675
Park Emergency: 770-413-5333

PETS (8-106)

- Dogs and cats under the custody and control of their owner, must be kept at all times on leash not exceeding six feet in length.
- The person having control or custody of such animal shall immediately remove excrement deposited by the animal while in the Park. Removal of animal excrement from the Park in a sanitary manner and disposal thereof shall be the responsibility of the person having custody or control of the animal, and such person is responsible for having a device or equipment for picking up and removal of animal excrement.
- Park Police may require that such animals be removed from Park grounds by the owner or other responsible person if the menacing attitude of the animal incites fear in other persons or disturbs the peace by incessant barking or other means.
- No animals are permitted in the following areas: (1) Lake, (2) Golf Course, (3) All Buildings, (4) Walk-up Trail, except when crossing on the Cherokee Trail, & (5) any area posted no pets. Service Animals are exempt.
- It shall be unlawful to bring any dangerous animal into the Park, except as authorized by State law.
- No animal may be left unattended and locked in a closed vehicle between April 1 and October 31. Park Police may use reasonable means or force necessary to cause the removal of such animal.

EMERGENCIES (8-109)

- Reporting of emergencies should be made directly to the Stone Mountain Park Department of Public Safety.

PARK EMERGENCY NUMBER - 770-413-5333 or use a CALLBOX

DRUNKENNESS (5-104)

- No person shall be and appear in an intoxicated condition, and any such person so found in the Park in an intoxicated condition or under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs may be arrested or ejected therefrom.

NOISES & SOUNDS PROHIBITED (5-109)

- It shall be unlawful for any person to make, continue, or cause to be made or continued any loud, unnecessary or unusual sound or noise which either annoys, disturbs, injures, or endangers the comfort, repose, health, peace, or safety of others in the Park, and which is audible to a person of normal hearing ability more than fifty (50) feet from the point of origin of such sound or noise. The following acts among others are declared to be loud, disturbing and unnecessary sounds or noises in violation of this Code, namely: Horns, signaling devices, radios, loudspeakers, amplifiers, yelling or shouting, etc. Exceptions are: Warning devices, emergency vehicles, emergency work, concerts and other activities with permission.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT (5-107)

No person shall:

- Act in a violent or tumultuous manner toward another whereby any person is placed in fear of his life, limb, or health.
- Act in a violent or tumultuous manner toward another or others whereby the property of any person is placed in danger of being destroyed or damaged.
- Cause, provoke, or engage in any fight, brawl or riotous conduct so as to endanger the life, health, or property of another.
- Accost or attempt to force his company upon any other person.
- Act in a dangerous manner toward others.
- By acts of violence, angry threats, or abusive conduct interfere with the lawful pursuits of another.
- Without provocation, use vulgar or profane language in the presence of a person under the age of fourteen (14) years, which threatens an immediate breach of the peace.
- Possess one (1) ounce or less of marijuana, a controlled substance, within Stone Mountain Park.
- Transmit in any manner to the SMP Police a false report of a fire, crime, or other emergency.