COUNCIL POLICY EN307 USE OF PARKS AND RESERVES

KEY FOCUS AREA ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Purpose

To provide guidance for the use of the Town of Claremont's parks and reserves including the Foreshore and Lake Claremont .

Policy

Council has determined the following guidelines for the use of parks and reserves.

Residents and Ratepayers

Residents and Ratepayers may use Town parks and reserves for gatherings at no charge and without further approval, subject to the following conditions:

- There is no guarantee of exclusive use. Parks and reserves are allocated on a first come first served basis.
- All gatherings must be private and not attract a fee.
- The maximum number of people at any single event must not exceed 30.
- No alcohol is permitted.
- No barriers, fencing, tents, marquees, bouncy castles, large sporting equipment or other structures are permitted.
- No power will be made available.
- No entertainment, PA systems and/or lighting are permitted.
- Confetti, streamers and balloons are not permitted.
- No animals other than dogs are permitted.
- Noise to be kept to a reasonable level, particularly after dusk.
- All rubbish must be collected and disposed of. The area used must be left clean and tidy.
- No active events such as bouncy castles, bubble soccer, laser tag or other similar activities are permitted.

Business and Commercial Use

Businesses and Individuals may apply to use Town parks and reserves for purpose including animal training and recreation and fitness classes subject to the following conditions:

- A formal application is required which includes:
 - o Provide evidence of registration
 - o Provide a Public Liability Insurance Certificate of Currency as required by the Town.
- Payment in advance of the relevant fee as per the Schedule of Fees and Charges.
- Comply with all Conditions of Use issued by the Town

Access through parks and reserves

The Town at its discretion may approve vehicle access through its parks and reserves to adjacent private lots subject to the following conditions:

- Make formal application to the Town;
- Payment in advance of the relevant fee as per the Schedule of Fees and Charges.
- Provide a Public Liability Insurance Certificate of Currency (if applicable) to the value required by the Town.
- Comply with all Conditions of Use issued by the Town.

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