



Sensory Playground Rules and Regulations for Use

The following rules and regulations shall be applicable to the Sensory Playground at Glade Run:

PART I: OPEN WEEKDAY ACCESS

A. Access Area/Opening and Closing of Playground

The Sensory Playground area includes the one-acre fenced playground only, and shall not include unauthorized access to other program areas on Glade Run's campus, including buildings, other recreational spaces, or Glade Run Adventures (animal and horticultural areas). Designated Glade Run staff shall unlock and relock the Playground each day. Glade Run will have the discretion to cancel opening of the playground or scheduled activities due to inclement weather or other circumstances. Adults and children play at their own risk, and are expected to observe the rules and restrictions on equipment, if applicable. Glade Run is not liable for any injuries occurring in the playground or on our campus.

B. Hours

The Sensory Playground will be open to the public between the hours of 4:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Other weekday times are reserved for Glade Run program utilization only.

C. Parking

Motor vehicles may utilize parking lots B or C. No motor vehicles or any wheeled vehicles or sports equipment are permitted in the playground. Bicycle parking is located at the playground entrance. No vehicle is permitted to be parked at Glade Run in hours other than those specified above.

D. Restrictions

The following activities/items are not permitted in the playground:

- Drugs, alcohol, or the use of tobacco of any sort. Glade Run is a tobacco free campus, and smoking and other tobacco use is strictly prohibited.
- Possession or use of firearms (including airsoft rifles)
- Fireworks
- **Fire**, grilling or open flames and burning of any sort
- Animals, other than legal service or therapy dogs

- Biking, skateboarding, roller skating, roller blading (wheelchairs and medically necessitated scooters are permitted)
- Graffiti

E. Conduct

The Sensory Playground is available for the enjoyment of the community during specified hours, and will be used by families of children with and without disabilities, including autism. Playground guests shall conduct themselves respectfully.

- Disorderly conduct, as defined in the statutes of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, ordinances of the borough of Zelienople, or in the common law are prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to, intoxication or under the influence of alcohol or drugs, fighting, and threatening/violent behaviors.
- Guests are expected to be kind and courteous in this inclusive space. All use of indecent, lewd, or vulgar behavior or language is prohibited, and will be grounds for expulsion.
- Group activities are permitted in the park with scheduled Saturday and Sunday reservations.
- No peddling or soliciting of any nature whatsoever is permitted on the campus of Glade Run or in the Sensory Playground.
- When reserving the playground, the individual making the reservation is responsible for the conduct of his/her guests.
- Cutting, mutilating, or removing any plants, trees, shrubs, or flowers is prohibited.
- Buildings, fencing, and structures must not be injured or defaced in any way.
- Littering or making unsanitary any restrooms or other facilities or preventing proper drainage of any toilet, pipe, fountain, or drain is not allowed.
- Any person using the playground, with or without reservation, shall be fully and financially responsible for any damages that person or their guests may inflict upon playground property and equipment.

F. Disposal of waste materials

Several trash receptacles are available within the Sensory Playground for disposal of paper and recyclable waste. All trash must be placed in the appropriate receptacles. Bathroom waste materials must be placed in the bathroom waste receptacle. Flushing of feminine products in the bathrooms is prohibited.

G. Amending/Accessing Regulations

Glade Run may, by resolution of its board of directors or senior agency leadership, established additional rules and regulations for the use and protection of the playground and campus. General rules and regulations shall be posted in conspicuous places in the playground, including the entrance points. A full list of rules and regulations will be posted on the Glade Run website at www.gladerun.org. Individuals reserving the park on Saturdays or Sundays will be required to sign such regulations as part of their reservation agreement.

PART II: WEEKEND RESERVATIONS

A. Access

On Saturdays and Sundays, the Sensory Playground may be privately reserved by the public for educational and/or recreational activities for two-hour increments of time. Designated Glade Run staff shall be responsible for ensuring the unlocking and and relocking the Playground each day. Glade Run will have the discretion to cancel opening of the playground or scheduled activities due to inclement weather or other circumstances. Adults and children play at their own risk, and are expected to observe the rules and restrictions for each piece of equipment located in the playground. Glade Run is not liable for any injuries occurring in the playground. While reservation of the playground is free, we encourage donations at www.gladerun.org to support the maintenance and evolution of the playground so that it will continue to be a community resource and treasure. A \$50 deposit is required at reservation and will be returned within three (3) business days if the playground is found clean, undamaged, and uncluttered after use.

B. Hours

The Playground may be privately reserved for use on Saturdays and Sundays in two-hour increments from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. by contacting msauerland@gladerun.org or 724-452-4453, ext. 1200. No persons other than the reserver, and guests of the reserver, shall otherwise be in, on, or about the premises during prohibited times without permission of agency officials.

C. -- G. All other rules and regulations highlighted for weekday use apply for weekend reservations.

I acknowledge that I have read and comprehend the rules and regulations for the use of the Sensory Playground.

(Printed Name) _____ (Reserver)

Signed _____ Date _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone _____

(Printed Name) _____ (Glade Run Rep)

Signed _____

Date of reservation _____ Time of reservation _____