

GENERAL PARK RULES & CAMPING REGULATIONS

NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ALLOWED

CAMPER REGISTRATION

1. Must have a valid form of identification and be at least twenty-one (21) years of age to register for a campsite.
2. Campers must register before locating a camping unit on a campsite. Camper registration is 8:00 a.m. until 10:00 p.m.
3. A camping unit is allowed to stay only (14) fourteen days in a (21) twenty-one-day period with the exception of September 1st through October 31st. The 14 days move policy begins November 1st unless otherwise specified by the Park Administration. Campers must contact the camper registration office before a move to make sure that a campsite is available.
4. All campsites are first come first serve at the back door of the Country Store. You must reserve a campsite first before placing a camping unit.

CAMPSITE OCCUPANCY

1. **Only one camping unit per site** will be allowed (no doubling up) and **only two vehicles per site allowed**. Only two car passes per campsite will be issued. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
2. Only authorized camping units, RV's, Motor homes, Camping trailers, Pop-ups and manufactured regulated sleep tents will be allowed to set up for camping. If you are using a tent to "hold" a site, it must be a regulated manufactured tent (examples are shown at the Country Store and the front gate. No play tents of any kind will be accepted). The wrong type of tent will be pulled by Ranger.
3. **Extra tents are not allowed even for small children**. Each campsite may have only one camping unit per site and one screened room for dining purposes such as an E-Z Up style instant shelter.
4. Basic rates are for four (4) persons or less per site per day. An additional charge per person ages 6 or older will be made up to a maximum occupancy of 8 person per campsite per day.
5. All camping sites must be kept clean and orderly during length of stay.
6. Campers must take all of their garbage to dumpsters provided across from the train station.
7. Checkout time for campers is 1:00 p.m.
8. Persons under 21 must be accompanied by a responsible adult.
9. Selling of any merchandise in the campground is prohibited.
10. No homesteading or excessive decor of any kind. This means no fencing, trailers, boxes, plants, etc.
*Special fall rules will be provided for September 1st through October 31st.

MOTOR VEHICLES & BICYCLES

1. Only currently licensed vehicles with licensed operators shall be allowed to drive in the park.
2. All state laws prevail concerning the operation of motorized vehicles in the park.
3. Cruising in any motorized vehicles (car, truck, dune buggy, and motorbike) is prohibited.
4. No secondary transportation will be allowed to operate in the park, i.e., mopeds, ATVs, dune buggies, battery operated power wheels, hover boards, electric scooters, and golf carts. Only handicapped electric carts of the little rascal type shall be allowed.
5. Non-motorized vehicles ridden inside the park such as all bicycles, tricycles must have reflective devices, and must be ridden in a safe and orderly manner.
6. Persons under age sixteen (16) must wear a safety helmet when riding a bicycle. It is a state law.
7. **No bicycle riding after dark.**
8. E-bikes are not allowed on trails only on paved roads.

PETS ALLOWED CONDITIONALLY

1. Pets must be kept on a leash not over six (6) feet in length.
2. Owner will be responsible for pet litter and for the conduct of pet (barking, biting, etc)
3. No pets allowed in any buildings in the park, i.e., cabins, museum, stores, etc.
4. No pets allowed in the Trade Days area on Trade Days weekends.

CAMPFIRES

1. No person shall be permitted to build a fire in the park other than in designated areas and shall at no time leave it unattended or abandoned. All campfires must be extinguished by person that started them.

WATER DRAINAGE

1. Drainage of water, soap, grease or any other waste product onto the ground or into anything other than an approved holding tank or receptacle and dump stations is a violation of Alabama State Law and is NOT permitted.

PUBLIC BEHAVIOR

1. No person shall be allowed to be boisterous, abusive, threatening, indecent or disorderly in any area of the park.
2. No person shall be allowed to destroy or deface any structure, historic or modern, or any wild or domesticated tree, shrub, plant or flower within the park.
3. Quiet time is from 10:00 p.m. until 6:00 a.m.
4. Washing cars, RVs, motor homes, trailers, pop-ups, etc. is prohibited.
5. Parking violations: it shall be unlawful for any vehicles to block any park facilities, i.e., dumpsters, dump stations, roads, alley ways, campsites or handicapped sites without proper identification, etc.
6. No soliciting or soliciting for sale or displaying for sale of any kind is allowed in the campgrounds and may not be done in any other area of the park without the written permission of the Parks Superintendent.
7. No metal detectors allowed in park.

FIREARMS AND FIREWORKS

1. No person other than duly authorized law enforcement officers or park administration shall be permitted to carry or possess any firearms within the park and no person shall be permitted to possess or discharge any fireworks or pyrotechnic devices within the park.

AUDIO DEVICES

1. No person shall operate or use any audio devices including radio, television, musical instruments or any other noise making devices including generators, whether fixed or portable, in such a manner or at any time, as to disturb other persons within the park.
2. No amplification permitted.

CLOSED AREAS

1. Vehicles must not enter closed park areas or roads marked "Park or State Vehicles Only".
2. No off road riding allowed via motorized vehicles.
3. Only authorized areas may be used for camping.
4. No backpacking permitted.
5. Only registered campers shall be permitted to remain in the park after closing hours. Entrance gate will be locked after 10 p.m. while the Ranger makes his rounds.
6. All areas are closed after sunset.

HIKING TRAILS

1. Seven different historical trails are provided throughout the park. A separate map of the trails with regulations for use is available at the park visitors center or country store.

NO SPOTLIGHTING OF PARK ANIMALS FOR ANY PURPOSE. ALL STATE PARKS ARE WILDLIFE SANCTUARIES. USE OF METAL DETECTORS AT STATE HISTORICAL SITES SUCH AS TANNEHILL IRONWORKS HISTORICAL STATE PARK IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED.

NO REFUNDS-Rain checks are available in emergency situations and will be decided by park administration.

Park rules and regulations are supported by state laws and any person or persons violating any such rules and regulations shall subject themselves to ejection from the park and/or prosecution including those cases where the prohibited conduct amounts to a violation of criminal laws of the State of Alabama. Camping rules are subject to change by the Alabama Historic Ironworks Commission.

Any violation of Parks rules and Camping regulations may result in being trespassed from the park.

In the event of an emergency dial 911. If you need assistance after hours, please call the Ranger phone at 205-504-7610. Due to limited cell phone coverage, please leave a detailed message and a Ranger will return your call.

Tannehill Ironworks Historical State Park

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