



Tourist Park Picnic Sites

2145 Sugar Loaf Ave Marquette, MI

RENTAL INFORMATION

Thank you for your interest in City of Marquette Tourist Park Picnic Sites.

The following information may assist you in planning:

Tourist Park Campground maintains three picnic sites for family picnics, company picnic and other gatherings. These sites may also be rented for weddings, festivals or other large events.

Availability: Each picnic site is available for rent daily during camping season 8am-11pm, May-October. Please contact the City of Marquette Parks and Recreation Department at (906) 228-0460 for availability. Bookings must be made via phone or in person at the Parks and Rec office at Lakeview Arena. Bookings cannot be made online.

Rental Rates: \$20 per hour/per site for family picnics (no staked tents or amplified sound)
\$400 per 4-hour for special events.
\$800 per day for special events.

Full payment is due at the time of booking. This includes hourly fees and security deposit.

Security Deposit: \$100 family picnics. \$250 special events.

This fee will be returned after the rental if the venue is in the condition it was when you arrived. Deposit is refunded to the paying credit card or as a check to the booking party.

Alcohol is Permit by City Ordinance at Tourist Park: Please note, the sale of alcoholic beverages is strictly prohibited except by State license.

Capacity: Picnic Site #1 accommodates roughly 400 people. There are three picnic tables and a grill in the wooded area across from the beach.

Picnic site #2 can accommodate roughly 100 people. There are a few picnic tables and a grill in the triangle area.

Picnic site #3 accommodates roughly 300 people. There are three picnic tables and a grill near the playground area.

Electrical: Electric is available on a limited basis at each picnic site. A 110-outlet is located behind what was formerly home plate on site #1, near the playground on site #3, and near the restrooms on site #2. Most special events opt to use generators to provide power to their events. Extension cords may be required (not provided).

Parking: Ample parking is available at Tourist Park for family picnics and other small events. Large events must make arrangements for parking, overflow or shuttles as needed.

Other Information:

- Booking parties must include set up and take down time in rental hours.

- Exclusive use of the restrooms is not included in the rental as they are open to the public.
- Events can be booked by the fiscal year October 1st- September 30th. Bookings for the upcoming year are accepted after October 1st.
- Quiet Hours begin at Tourist Park at 10:00pm.
- Booking party and guests must adhere to all City ordinances including noise ordinances.

Information for Special Events:

- Multi-day events may require a contract with City Commission approval. A Special Event Permit application will be required for these events.
- Set up and tear down are an option for special events/weddings with full day bookings. All items left overnight are at the risk of the booking party.
- Events may host vendors at the invitation of the Special Event.
- Large special events may require additional sanitation services. Port-a-potty rental/delivery is up to the booking party to arrange and secure.
- Special event bookings require all three sites be blocked and cannot overlap family picnic bookings without individual permission.

Refund/Cancellation Policy: If reservation is cancelled 10 days or more ahead of scheduled date, a full refund will be made less a \$20 cancellation fee. If reservation is cancelled between 2 and 9 days ahead of scheduled date, a 50% refund will be made to the renter. If reservation is cancelled within 24 hours of the scheduled date, there will be no refund.