

USE OF RECREATION FIELDS AND FACILITIES

TABERNACLE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPALITY TABERNACLE, NEW JERSEY

Application for the use of
Recreation fields and facilities
By township groups and organizations
For recreational purposes

It is the policy of the Tabernacle Township Municipality to make its Recreation fields and facilities available to all township groups and organizations of Tabernacle Township on a priority basis. Non-township organizations will be scheduled around township groups and organization. A security deposit will be required for non-township groups and organizations: \$300 for a single event, \$600 for 3 day event and \$1,000 for more than 3 days or league. Proof of a 51% residency requirement must be provided to be considered a township organization.

All scheduling must be approved by Recreation Committee or its designee. All recreation field rules must be followed.

TO ALL APPLICANTS:

This application must be in the office of the Township Administrator, 163 Carranza Road, Tabernacle, New Jersey 08088, at least one month before the date of the event.

You will be notified of the approval or disapproval of the use of the buildings within five days after the scheduled Township meeting.

Date of issue _____ Date of approval _____

Township Administrator

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TABERNACLE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPALITY
TABERNACLE, NEW JERSEY

APPLICATION FOR USING RECREATION FIELDS AND FACILITIES

1. Name of organization _____
2. Date of Application _____
3. The undersigned hereby makes application for use of:

Dates: _____

Hours: from _____ until _____

Patty Bowker Field _____ Field # _____

Pricketts Mill Field _____ Field # _____

Use of lighting (Field #1 & 4 Patty Bowker Only) cost must be prepaid

Single night - \$75 per field 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM

Multi night - \$60 per field per night

4. The following equipment is requested:

5. This application is made for the purpose of:

6. An admission fee of \$_____ per person will be charged. The funds obtained are to be used for the following purpose: _____

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IMPORTANT: When the application is submitted, the applicant must attach proof of insurance coverage found under: **Requirements.**

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The applicant by the signature below affirms that it has read all of the rules and regulations pertaining to the use/rental of said building and is familiar with same, and further agrees that it shall accept the use/rental of the Recreation Fields and Facilities subject to all of the regulations imposed. The applicant will complete the "statement of waiver claim" and return the statement with the applications.

NAME OF ORGANIZATION _____
(PRINT)

PERSON IN CHARGE _____
(PRINT)

ADDRESS _____

Signature _____ home phone _____

Business phone _____

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**TABERNACLE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPALITY
TOWNSHIP OF TABERNACLE**

INDEMNITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

_____ (contractor/responsible individual signing, group, etc.)
agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Township of Tabernacle Municipality, its officers, employees, volunteers, and agents, from and against all claims, damages, losses, and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees in case it shall be necessary to file an action, arising out of performance of the work herein, which is: 1) for personal or bodily injury, illness or death, or for property damage, including loss of use, and; 2) caused in whole or part by _____'s negligent act or omission or that of a subcontractor, or that of anyone employed by them or for whose acts contractor or subcontractor may be liable. This indemnification and agreement shall apply in all instances whether the Township of Tabernacle Municipality, its officers, employees, volunteers, and/or agents, is/are made a party to the action or claim or a subsequently made a party to the action by third-party in-pleading or made a party to a collateral action arising, in whole or in part, from any of the issues emanating from the original cause of action or claim.

By: _____
(Contractor, individual, group, etc.)

Date: _____

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**TABERNACLE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPALITY
TOWNSHIP OF TABERNACLE**

GROUP 1
Private citizens or non-business groups using the
facilities of the Recreation Fields and Facilities

REQUIREMENTS

General Liability:

- A. Commercial general liability with a \$1,000,000 combined single limit of liability for bodily injury and property damage including blanket contractual, premises and products liability.
- B. Private coverage to be primary
- C. Township to be named "additional insured"; and
- D. User must execute a hold harmless agreement (included)
- E. Sports associations must show evidence that their general liability policy will respond to injuries sustained by athletic participants, or show a certificate of insurance evidencing an athletic participants medical payments policy.
- F. Be subject to Ordinance 2001-9 (See copy attached)

**ORDINANCE NO. 2001-9
TOWNSHIP OF TABERNACLE**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF TABERNACLE ESTABLISHING THE
PERMITTED USES AND USERS OF TABERNACLE TOWNSHIP ATHLETIC
FACILITIES**

WHEREAS, the Township owns the athletic fields and recreation facilities located at Lot 19, Block 504, (Patty Bowker) and Lot ~~803-01~~³⁻⁰¹, Block ~~18-19~~¹⁹, (Prickett's Mill) and;

WHEREAS, the facilities promote and provide for recreation activities for all the citizens of the Township and;

WHEREAS, the Township Committee is desirous of establishing an Ordinance controlling the permitted use and users of the facilities in order to provide for the proper administration and coordination of the significant demand for use of the facilities and the maintenance of the facilities and;

WHEREAS, the Township has formed a Recreation Committee comprised of Township residents to promote public recreation and coordinate the resources and citizens of the Township,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Tabernacle, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey, that the code of the Township of Tabernacle is hereby amended by adding the following new section:

Permitted Uses and Users of Tabernacle Township Athletic Facilities:

1. The Township recreation facilities are open for the recreational use of the general public on a first come first serve basis subject to the reasonable restrictions included herein.
2. All activities conducted at the facilities shall be conducted so as not to constitute a nuisance. No alcoholic beverages shall be sold or consumed on the premises.
3. The facilities shall not be used for any commercial business, trade, manufacturing, wholesaling, retailing or other commercial profit making enterprise, nor shall the facilities be used for any political, partisan, sectarian, denominational or religious purpose.
4. The Township Recreation Committee shall schedule the use of the facilities by any and all local athletic associations, persons both resident and non-resident or any organization desiring pre-scheduled use of the facilities giving priority to the Tabernacle Athletic Association and then to those associations and organizations providing programs for children and those associations and organizations made up primarily of Tabernacle Township residents.
5. The Recreation Committee may establish and publish rules and regulations covering the use of the facilities not inconsistent with the provisions herein and designed to effectuate the smooth administration of usage and to protect the facilities from damage or abuse and to promote the safety, welfare and health of the persons using the facilities.

6. The Township Recreation Committee shall insure that the facilities are at all times insured by adequate public liability insurance protecting the Township and the Township Committee. The Township may include medical insurance covering the costs of medical treatment for members of those associations and organizations with pre-scheduled use of the facilities injured while participating in association or organization activities. The cost of such insurance shall be paid by the Township.

7. The Township shall be responsible for maintenance of the common areas, fences and bleachers and the irrigation and lighting systems and grass cutting. All field maintenance performed by others must be coordinated through and approved by the Township Recreation Committee. The Recreation Committee may recommend a maintenance agreement to be entered into between the Township and any athletic association or organization which supplements and or amends the maintenance responsibilities included herein.

8. All associations or organizations utilizing the facilities through pre-scheduled usage as scheduled by the Township Recreation Committee shall be responsible to pay directly to the utility all electric utility costs associated with their usage according to rules and regulations established by the Recreation Committee. The Township shall terminate usage of the township owned lighting system upon any failure to pay said costs.

9. All groups, persons or organizations using the facilities shall be responsible for any damage to the facilities caused by their members or guests and all users shall leave the facilities in good and clean condition.

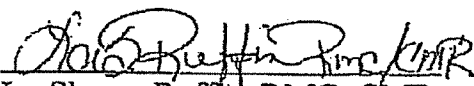
10. The Recreation Committee shall provide the Township Committee annually with a report detailing the scheduled use of the facilities and identifying the volume of scheduled use, the person, persons, organizations and athletic associations using the facilities and the percentage of Township residents included in those organizations and athletic associations.

11. No athletic association or organization shall be permitted to conduct regularly scheduled use of the facilities unless that organization recommends that it's coaches, managers and officials complete a safety orientation and training skills program meeting the minimum standards established by the Governor's Council on physical fitness and sports in accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14B-1 et seq.

12. Nothing herein shall be construed so as to restrict the unscheduled use of the facilities by members of the general public during daytime hours when the facility's use is not scheduled in accordance herewith.

13. The Township Committee shall annually appoint a Recreation Committee, the members of which shall hold office for terms of three years except that of the members first appointed, one shall be appointed for one year and one shall be appointed for two years and one shall be appointed for three years. The Recreation Committee shall have the responsibilities detailed herein and shall otherwise be charged with the promotion and coordination of recreation activities within the Township.

14. Township Ordinance 1975-5 is hereby repealed.


La Shawn Ruffin, RMC, CMR
Township Clerk

10/15/2001
Finally adopted!