

Pope Farm Conservancy Event Considerations & Rules

Pope Farm Conservancy is home to over 100+ acres of natural conservancy space owned by the Town of Middleton for educational interpretation. To protect the visitors, the facilities, and the environment, you may want to consider the following items before determining whether or not Pope Farm Conservancy is good for your event.

Facts

1. Event tents of any kind are not permitted.
2. Running water is not available.
3. No electrical outlets.
4. There are only parking stalls for 40 vehicles.
5. Exclusive use of Pope Farm Conservancy will not be permitted. The conservancy must remain open to the public.

**For larger events, please check out the Town of Middleton's website at www.town.middleton.wi.us or contact the Town Office at 608-833-5887 for other more appropriate venues.

Permits

Written permits from the Town of Middleton Office are required for the following:

1. Public meetings, assemblies, tournaments, entertainment.
2. Offering anything for sale in the conservancy.
3. Landing aircraft or dropping any objects from the air.
4. Camping.
5. After hours use of the conservancy.
6. The use of amplification devices.
7. Any special event.
8. The use of any sound amplification device, sound track loudspeaker, generators or other device that produces excessive loud or unusual noises is strictly prohibited, unless a permit has been obtained.

Conservancy Hours

Pope Farm Conservancy and Goth Conservancy hours: sunrise to sunset unless otherwise posted. *The Town of Middleton reserves the right to close select parks, conservancies and trails as determined by Town Staff.*

Dogs – Dogs not allowed.

Horses

1. Horses are allowed on designated horse trails only and must be under control.
2. Horses are not allowed in the designated picnic and viewing areas.
3. Horse manure must be removed from trails.

Personal Conduct

1. No noisy, drunken or disorderly person shall be permitted to remain in the conservancy.
2. It is illegal to deface, destroy or vandalize any structure, sign, natural growth, or rock wall.
3. All controlled substances identified in Chapter 161, WI State Statutes are prohibited from use or possession.

Smoking

1. Due to potential fire hazard, smoking is not allowed within the conservancy.

Vehicles

1. Vehicles are restricted to designated roadway and parking areas.
2. Off-road recreational vehicles and bicycles are not allowed in the conservancy.
3. Vehicles may not be in or parked in the conservancy when closed.
4. Parking areas are provided for conservancy users only and violators will have their vehicles towed at owner's expense.
5. Vehicles must abide by state laws. Re: vehicle operation and operate at posted speed limit within conservancy.

Refuse

1. No household garbage allowed in conservancy.
2. All litter and debris, must be removed from the conservancy, or placed in areas or containers provided.

These regulations are only a portion of those listed in Article 4 Chapter 5.
Town of Middleton Ordinance(s) shall apply. For more information, call 608-833-5887.