



“MGCC” MENGO CAMPING CLUB

SILVER MEMBERSHIP REGULATIONS

We would like to make this an enjoyable experience for all campers, so we ask that you abide by the following rules. Becoming a member of “Mengo Camping Club” you and your registered guests agree to abide by all rules and regulations.

“Mengo Camping Club” is a private campground which requires one to have a valid membership. Membership can be defined as gold which is seasonal or silver which is for occasional campers. Membership is annual May to Oct with the start and ending depending on weather.

“Mengo Camping Club” is an all-inclusive campground and welcomes all individuals regardless of one’s personal lifestyle and religious beliefs. So, if you are uncomfortable with two men, two women, a man and a woman showing affection in public such as kissing, holding hands or embracing then this campground is not for you. The Spiritual norm is that we welcome those who “treat others as they wish to be treated” with respect, love and acceptance. If this is not part of your belief system then you need to find another place to camp. Thank You=

General rules

- all individuals “members and guests” must check in/ sign in at the Office/store. This is for your security and safety in case of emergency to account for everyone on the property. Thank you for this compliance. This is a private member’s camping club so any names in our register are considered confidential and will not be shared with any outside source unless deemed an emergency.
- Mengo Camping Club is a private camping club please to keep things tidy and clean. Please pick up after yourself and use appropriate places to dispose of any garbage. As a private club we expect members and guests to uphold a reasonable level of etiquette and conscious behavior while camping.
- These rules form part of the membership contract for your visit and may be amended from time to time.
- Speed limit is 15 KPH in the entire campground. Please keep children safe!
- Quiet time is between 11 PM to 8 AM daily. All children must be with parents at campsite by 11 PM.

- Radios and TVs should not be heard beyond your site. No loud gatherings or parties. Please be considerate of your neighbor's.
- Camp Fires – must be in the rings provided. **NEVER** leave a fire unattended and extinguish before turning in for the night or when leaving the campground.
- Children- Parents are responsible for children at all times. Please do not leave children unattended.

Smoking policy, please keep smoking (cigarettes / marijuana) to your site. Even though it may be tempting to wander around while smoking it does create a fire hazard and some people do not enjoy the smell of second hand smoke. A good rule while visiting another's site is ask if it's okay to light. No smoking in any/all building and restrooms. This is Nova Scotia law

Propane/gasoline

- Each site is permitted to have no more than 2 propane tanks affixed to their trailer.
- Propane tanks larger than 40lbs are not permitted unless approved of by the office.
- No other compressed gases are permitted at any time or without approval from management.
- The following items are permitted; kerosene, citronella, gasoline.
- The maximum amount of gasoline permitted per site is 20 Liters unless approved of by the office.

Pets

- The onus is on individual members if one has an issue about a pet(s) then they should identify the issue with management and seek an appropriate response. Members taking action on there own will not be tolerated.
- As a general guiding principle in regards to pets. Mengo feels that a pets wellbeing, health and safety are a prory when on our property.
- Mengo Camping Club reserves the right to refuse any pet without explanation required;
- No aggressive pets will be tolerated. If an event happens and the pet was not unduly provoked and pet is deemed aggressive by management, the individual will be asked to remove the pet from the property.
- All pets should have proper papers and vaccinations.
- No more than two pets per site unless approved by the Office.
- Some dogs bark, but excessive barking and/or aggressive behavior. The camper will be challenged to resolve the issue and if unable to will be asked to remove pet from the property

- Pets must be on a leash at all times.
- Pets are not allowed in the pool.
- While on site a leash must keep pets in your site perimeter.
- Pets must not be allowed to alter a site in anyway (digging holes, destroying vegetation)
- Always clean up after your pet! If it poops you scoop! Please use buns located around the campground for dog waste.
- Guests with a pet must abide by the pet rules while visiting.
- Pets should not be left for long periods unattended. Owners are responsible to check on their pets at regular intervals (a sort of wellness check)
- All dogs must be on a leash at all times. The only off-leash area is the Doggie fenced run. Respect other owners and pets while using this. Use common sense if your pet is not as friendly as others. Mengo camping Club is not responsible for your pet or handling. Any injury or liability is the pet owner's responsibility.

Pet Building access. This concerns the barn (club house)

- If food is being served no access
- During weekends, special events no access
- If there are minimal people camping and those individuals don't mind pets then okay.

Vehicles:

- Only personal vehicles are permitted within the park. Use of off-road vehicles is strictly prohibited at all times. E-bikes and mopeds may be driven in the park if licensed, insured and driven by a licensed operator wearing a bike helmet.
- . Anyone driving a motorized vehicle in the park may be required to show their driver's license information.
- Golf carts, both electric and gas powered are not permitted in the park unless approved by management.
- Anyone found with open alcohol or under the influence of alcohol or drugs while operating a motor vehicle will be evicted from the park without further notice.
- A maximum of 2 vehicles per site is permitted. Guest vehicles must be parked in the designated areas. Guest vehicles may not be parked on the occupant's site.

Boating;

- Pedal Boat use 10am-8pm.
- Campers must request usage of Pedal boat(s) at the office. Only approved boats which do NOT use gas or any kind of motor are allowed on the ponds and MUST be approved of by the office before. (This includes boards, floatable, kayaks etc...)

- Campground pedal boats are available to seasonal campers as part of their rental agreement. Non-seasonal campers are required to pay a rental fee of \$5.00/hr. Max rental time period is 2 hours to allow other a chance to use the boats.
 - There is a first come first use policy with the sign-up sheet to reserve boat usage at the office.
 - Life jackets are provided with boats rentals and must be worn at all times while operating a boat.
 - No alcohol is allowed while using a rental boat for safety reasons.
 - Adults must rent boats for children under the age of 16 years old. Children under the age of 16 must be accompanied by adult supervision while boating.
 - Boats will not be allowed to be used in bad weather.
 - The ponds are not recommended as swimming spots campers entering the water do so at their own risk. Please use the swimming pool to swim. Thank you.
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Swimming Pool;

- Open May 1st to Oct 31st weather permitting. Hours posted by the pool.
 - There is NO LIFE GUARD ON DUTY.
 - All children (14 years old & under) MUST be accompanied by a responsible Adult (a person 21 years or older).
 - NO GLASS or PETS permitted in the pool area.
 - Rules and Regulations for pool safety posted by the pool campers are responsible for reading and abiding by the pool rules. Use of the pool is at your own risk and Mengo Camping Club is not liable for any injury or accidents.
 - Appropriate clothing must be worn while using the pool facilities.
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Disruptive Behaviour;

- Mengo Camping Club uses the “3 Strike rule” unless police are involved.
- Disruptive behavior will not be tolerated. If the situation is settled by management peacefully it will be recorded and count as a first strike. Depending on the severity of the disruption any second offense may result in management evicting said camper(s) ASAP without further explanation. If someone gets a third strike the individual(s) will be asked to leave the campground immediately. There will be no refunds to any person in this situation. Please do not put yourselves or management in this situation. Bottom line 3 strikes you're out!
- If the POLICE are called by management or another camper, due to disruptive behavior and charged with an offense, this camper or campers will be immediately required to leave the campground. This includes seasonal campers, with the seasonal agreement becoming void. There will be no refunds to any person in this situation. Please do not put yourselves and management in this situation.

Fires

- Fires must be contained within the approved firepits and under control at all times. Fires must not be left unattended at any time. Construction materials, pallets, lumber etc....cannot be burned in the fire pits.
- Liquid accelerants are strictly prohibited to be used as fire starters.
- In the event of a fire ban, all site occupants are expected to comply with the order of the fire chief or fire marshal. Failure to do so could result in fines being levied by the issuing authority and/or your eviction from the park.

Alcohol Policy;

- Nova Scotia legal drinking age is 19 – this law will be enforced. Alcohol is not permitted in any common areas.
- Alcohol is permitted on an occupants' site. Occupants are not permitted to walk around the park with open alcohol. Open alcohol found in vehicles may result in eviction from the park.
- An occupant who supplies or allows access to alcohol to minors will be evicted from the park.

Firearms and fireworks;

- Are PROHIBITED in the campground. This includes all types of guns, BB guns, paintball guns etc.... Fireworks are not permitted as a curtesy/accommodation for members who have pets and as a fire hazard precaution. Sparklers are permitted around the fire pits.

Wood;

- Is for sale at the office. There is NO cutting of trees or branches permitted on the campground or neighbor's property. Nova Scotia law bans burning of pressure treated woods and moving any type of wood from other Canadian provinces or from the United States due to insects and other invasive species contained in wood products. (Example Spruce bud worm and the spread of Dutch Elm disease) When in question ask management.
- Wood is \$5.00 a crate

Trash;

- You can dispose of trash in the designated bins. Please note the different bins:
 - 1) paper + cardboard
 - 2) cans + plastics
 - 3) recyclables (pop cans etc.)
 - 4) general garbage. -

Guests and Day Visitors:

- Guests are defined as individuals signed in by members.
- Day Visitors may hold memberships but are not camping overnight.
- If a member wishes his/her guest to remain overnight the following rules apply:
 - 1) If the guest(s) are staying in the members RV/tent then there is no fee.
 - 2) If a guest is pitching a tent, using an RV then the regular fees for such use are applied.
 - 3) Members have a special feature where they can sign in guests This is a privilege and should be not be abused. MENGO Camping Club expects a member may sign in 2 guests on occasion. If one desires to have more than two arrangements should be made with the management to accommodate.
 - 4) Members are responsible for their guests and their behavior while they visit MENGO. It is expected the member to inform their guest of the rules and regulations of the park and they act accordingly. Failure for one's guest to comply with the rules and regulations may jeopardize one's membership.
 - 5) Members CAN NOT sign in individuals who have been refused membership, banned or blocked by management. (Management does NOT have to explain the reason(s) for an individual being denied access to the property).
- Guest and Day Visitor vehicles must be parked in the designated area for guests.
- All guests must register at the office when they arrive and indicate when they leave. Anyone who enters the campground without checking in at the office will be required to leave immediately.
- Guests and Day Visitors must leave the park by 10.00pm nightly.

Naturalist section:

MENGO Camping Club has a designated area for nude sunbathing called the "Pecker Patch". When entering or leaving the Patch one must be clothed.

MENGO is "clothes on" except for this one special area.

Currently this is a "mens only" section.

*** In the event women join MENGO's membership and request it. An area will be made available for their use. Once created this new area will be only for women.

Photography;

- Common courtesy is the rule. In the age of smart phones many people enjoy snapping pictures and sometimes post them on the internet or other media. Mengo Camping Club is a "PRIVATE" campground please respect everyone's right to privacy. While we enjoy people taking pictures of the campground please ask before taking pictures that include people.

Bicycles;

- Everyone is required to wear a helmet (Nova Scotia Law). Children must have bikes back at the site they're staying at before dark. Please do not park bikes in front of doors or pool gate.

Office/store;

- Hours are posted on the door. Vary by season.

Restrooms;

- Please remove all personal items from restrooms after use. Any articles left in the restroom will be disposed of when the restroom is cleaned. Restrooms are always open unless being cleaned.

General rule;

Mengo Camping Club; ALL management and employees reserve the right to refuse service to anyone noncompliant with campground rules and regulations. We also reserve the right to change the rules and regulations at any time to protect the safety of all campers. All activities in the campground are done at the individuals free will and Mengo Camping Club will not be responsible for accidents or injury to guests, or loss of money or valuables of any kind.

Insurance:

- **Mengo camping Club is not responsible for any damage caused by other campers, natural disasters, negligence, theft, or loss of electricity. If you have concerns please obtain the necessary insurance to cover your possessions.**
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