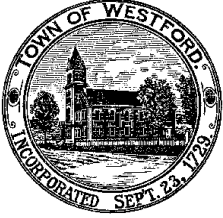


**Town of Westford
Parks & Recreation Department**

P. O Box 2444
22 Town Farm Road
Westford, Ma. 01886
Office (978) 692-5532
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BEACH USE APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT

Organization or Individual Name: _____ Person _____ in Charge _____
Address: _____ Town: _____ State: _____
Zip Code _____ Email address _____
Home Phone # _____ Cell Phone # _____ Add'l contact # _____
Name of person on site at event and contact # if different from applicant: _____
Purpose of event: _____ Date(s) requested: From _____ To _____ Time of day _____
Day of week: _____ Time of day: From _____ To: _____ Number in group _____
Check beach site requested: _____ Forge Beach _____ Edwards' Beach

I realize that the Town of Westford By-laws prohibits the use or possession of drugs and or alcoholic beverages on Town property. I certify that I or a representative (named above) will be present on site. I, as the organization representative or individual applicant will be responsible for the conduct of the group and for the condition of the area upon our departure. I have read the beach safety information and will make participants aware of this information.

All users are responsible for picking up after their event and removal of all trash from the site. The Town through its Board of Selectmen has a Carry-In/Carry-Out policy for Town Property. Whatever you bring onto the property you take it with you when you leave. We appreciate your help in keeping our parks clean and litter free.

I understand the permit allows my group access to the beach area and an assigned picnic area. The public is not excluded from use of the beach or adjacent areas not assigned to my group.

Signature _____ Date _____

Groups of 10 or more are required to hire a certified lifeguard
One Lifeguard for 10-19 people - \$20/hour
Two Lifeguards for 20-39 people - \$40/hour

In addition, there is a permit fee in lieu of beach pass of \$5/person
Permit Fee: \$25 group 1-25; \$50 group 26-50; \$75 group 51-75; \$100 group 76+
Checks made payable to the Town of Westford

Mail completed form to: Westford Parks & Recreation Department P.O. Box 2444 Westford, MA 01886
Or submit to the department office located at 22 Town Farm Road Westford, MA

For Department Use Only

Permit Granted _____ Denied _____ Staff notified _____

Check# _____ Amount \$ _____ Date & Name on Check _____

Season _____ Permit # _____ Follow up if necessary _____

WESTFORD PARKS & RECREATION - TOWN
BEACHES FOR YOUR OWN SAFETY
PLEASE FOLLOW THE GUIDELINES FOR THE OPEN SWIMMING PROGRAM
Beach hours: JUNE 17 - AUGUST 26, 2018

Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:30pm; Saturday & Sunday 10am-5pm
Concession Hours: June 23-August 26, 2018
Hours Monday-Friday: 10:30am-5:30pm

- **Fees:** *No charge for Westford residents – must show proof of residency* [see beach use permit application for groups of 10 or more]
- *\$5/person for non-residents; or season pass for 2 adults & 3 children for \$75*
- *Children under 3 and adults 65+, no charge*
- *Never swim alone - use “buddy system”*
- *Don’t dive head first, protect your neck*
- *Children need adult supervision*
- *Young children should be watched at all times*
- *Be aware - swim with care - this is only a partial list of safety precautions*
- *Report any dangerous situations to the Concession Staff or call the Recreation Department 978.692.5532 Or 978-799-9259*
- *Leave the beach area at the first sign of lightning or thunder*
- *All swimmers must stay within the designated swim area*
- **No animals allowed on the beach or in picnic area**
- *No horseplay, such as running, splashing, shoving or dunking*
- **Flotation devices are prohibited except US Coast Guard approved PDF (personal flotation device) in good serviceable condition and appropriate size for intended user**
- *GLASS containers are not allowed*
- *Throwing harmful objects such as rocks is prohibited*
- *Alcohol and other drugs are not allowed*
- **No smoking allowed** - beaches are smoke free recreation areas
- *Bicycles are not allowed in the beach area*
- ***No open fires - no grills allowed***