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BEACH PAVILION RESERVATION AND RENTAL GUIDELINES FOR BEACH WEDDINGS AND RECEPTIONS

For reservations, please contact Special Events
251-948-7275 extension 2099
Email: gulfevents.statepark@dcnr.alabama.gov

RENTAL

Off Peak Season (November 1st thru March 31st)

Facility Rental and Beach Site Fee (includes wedding permit) \$600.00

Facility Rental only \$400.00

Peak Season (April 1st thru October 31st)

Facility Rental and Beach Site Fee (includes wedding permit) \$900.00

Facility Rental only \$700.00

The Beach Pavilion is not available for rent on major holidays.

Rental times are between 5:00 PM and 10:00 PM. A late stay until 1:00 AM may be arranged for an additional \$100.00.

Parking fees are included in the rental. Guest should place invitations on dashboard.



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RESERVATIONS

All signed paperwork must be received before a reservation is made. A nonrefundable deposit of \$100.00 is due at the time of the reservation. The remaining balance is due 60 days prior to the scheduled event. If a reservation is cancelled 61 days before the scheduled event, any amount paid after the \$100 nonrefundable deposit will be returned. If the reservation is cancelled 60 days or less prior to the scheduled event, no refund will be granted.

GENERAL RULES

This is a public facility. Therefore, the Beach Pavilion and surrounding area will be open to the public from 7:00 AM until sunset. Set up may begin at 3:00 PM provided it does not disrupt the general public or other park events.

The general public has access to the lower level (west of the fireplace), handicap ramp along the north side of the Beach Pavilion, and restrooms during event rental times.

Any outside vendor (i.e. caterers, entertainment) must obtain a Special Event Vendors Permit. The cost is \$40.00 and needs to be obtained through the Special Events Office at least 7 days before the date of the event.

A unisex restroom is available for use during the rental hours. The Beach Pavilion staff will have the key. Please notify the attendant upon check-in if you need access to this restroom.

The fireplace may be used for a \$50.00 add-on charge. Guest must provide their own firewood. Park Staff will clean up the ashes after the event.

Equipment and supplies located at the Beach Pavilion are the property of Gulf State Park. Please do not remove these items from the premises under any condition. All trash cans and picnic table should be returned to their proper place.

No smoking (including vaping), fires, fireworks, balloons, wishing lanterns, glass containers, motorized vehicles, sand dune foot traffic or pets are allowed on any part of the Beach Pavilion property or beach front.

Grilling and boiling is ok in the designated approved space. No frying. Charcoal and cooking ingredients should be placed in closed containers and hauled away or put in dumpsters located in the far east corner of the Beach Pavilion parking lot.

All trash/litter or any garbage discarded by party under beach pavilion, on beach, and in parking lot must be placed in dumpsters located in the far east corner of the Beach Pavilion parking lot.

A fee of up to \$300.00 will be charged for failure to comply with the Beach Pavilion Reservation and Rental Guidelines as listed above. The event attendant will determine any additional fee.

