



Malibu Bluffs Park: Site Specific Rules & Regulations

City of Malibu, Community Services Department

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ABC's of Picnics, Parties, and Weddings

1. **Alcohol.** Only beer and wine may be consumed with special approval. Selling alcohol to guests requires an Alcohol & Beverage Control License. All alcohol must be served and consumed in a canopy or tent with 3 sides, with the open side facing the ocean. All consumption of alcohol must take place in a clearly designated and enclosed area for Ages 21+ only. (See Security)
2. **Balloons and Decorations.** No water balloons, balloons, balloon arches, or plastic confetti are permitted.
3. **Electricity.** There is no electrical access at Malibu Bluffs Park. Please advise all contractors including: disc jockeys, rental companies and caterers etc. to bring their own generators.
4. **Fees.** All fees must be paid in full two weeks prior to your event or a \$100 Late Fee may apply.
5. **Insurance.** A Certificate of Insurance is required for all events with general liability coverage of \$1,000,000 including the City of Malibu being named as additionally insured. All vendors, including bounce houses, require proof of insurance as well. Extra fees for alcohol consumption at events will be assessed. Insurance may be purchased through the City of Malibu.
6. **Open Flames.** No open flames are permitted including open flame BBQ's and candles.
7. **Parking.** Malibu Bluffs Park is a public park. All parking is on a first come, first served basis. There are 75 spaces in the parking lot as well as 4 handicap spaces. 30 spaces are available for rent on a limited basis during weekdays. Please encourage guests to carpool.
8. **Permits.** Any events expecting more than 150 attendees require a Temporary Use Permit (TUP).
9. **Public Access.** We do not allow exclusive use of any park; public access to the park will not be denied. Walkways must be kept clear of any equipment or obstructions. Electric cords must be in a fashion to reduce trip hazard (covering cords on walkways, taping to ground, etc.)
10. **Restrooms.** There are 6 restrooms accessible from the outside of the Michael Landon Center. Events expecting 150 or more attendees will be required to provide 1 portable restroom per every 50 guests.
11. **Security.** Alcohol consumption at events requires the presence of security guards during the time of your actual event, not during set-up and clean-up. 1 security guard is required per every 40 people ages 21+. Proof of security must be presented two weeks prior to the event.
12. **Smoking.** Smoking is not permitted at Malibu Bluffs Park at any location at any time (City ordinance No.466).
13. **Styrofoam and Food Packaging.** Styrofoam and plastic food service products are not allowed for food service in Malibu. This includes all Styrofoam, plastic containers, plates, cutlery, straws, etc. (City ordinance No. 276).
14. **Tents and Canopies.** Must be secured by sandbags, concrete bases or stakes no longer than 8 inches. Tents larger than 200 sq. ft. must acquire a Fire Permit.
15. **Times of Permit.** If a permitted group remains longer than the hours stated on the permit, a deduction will be taken from the security deposit.
16. **Trash.** All catering, decoration, equipment, and personal trash must be bagged, securely tied, and removed from the location. Events expecting 150 or more attendees will be required to provide a small roll away dumpster and their own trash cans.
17. **Water.** There are no outdoor water hook-ups at Malibu Bluffs Park. Special attractions with water features such as slip and slides, dunk tanks and water slides are not permitted.
18. **Vegetation.** Damaging, removal, trimming and/or cutting of any vegetation or trees is strictly prohibited.