



Lancaster Town Beach Rules & Regulations

Spectacle Pond | Old Union Turnpike, Lancaster, MA

Daily Beach Hours: 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM | June 20 – August 17

(Closed during inclement weather — check the Lancaster Recreation Facebook Page for updates)

Day Pass or Season Pass Required for entry

Cars Must be Parked In-side the gate

✓ General Rules

1. **Parking** is permitted in the designated lot only. No parking outside the gate during beach hours.
2. **No lifeguards on duty – swim at your own risk.**
 1. Adults must actively supervise children.
 2. Beachgoers are responsible for the safety of everyone in their party.
3. **Life preservers are available** — please use them if needed.
3. **No animals** allowed on the beach. *(Service animals as defined by the ADA are allowed.)*
4. **No alcohol, tobacco, vaping products, marijuana, illegal drug or glass containers** allowed.
5. **No open fires or grills** of any kind.
6. **No motorized boats.**
7. **No fishing** from the beach area.
8. **Children under 12** must be accompanied by an adult.
9. **All swimmers** must stay within the roped swimming area and exit the water when directed by beach staff.
10. **Beach Attendants are in charge.** They enforce the rules and may make safety-related decisions not listed here.

☁ Weather Safety & Beach Closures

- We monitor **multiple weather sources** and prioritize the safety of all visitors **in and out of the water** when making these decisions.
- Beach staff have the authority and responsibility to close the beach at their discretion when weather conditions pose a safety risk. This includes but not limited to **rain, thunder, lightning, and high winds.**
- The **Recreation Director** or designee makes the final decision on beach closures.
- Please respect all closure announcements, whether before or during beach hours.

🚫 Safety & Staffing

- **All use of the beach is at your own risk.** The beach pass owner is responsible for everyone in their group.

👐 Be Respectful

- Keep music and voices at a family-friendly volume.
- Clean up after yourself. Use trash bins or “carry in, carry out.”
- Treat beach staff and fellow beachgoers with courtesy.

🚫 After-Hours Notice

No trespassing before sunrise and after sunset.

The beach is closed and monitored by **local public safety officers** and **24/7 security cameras.**

Violators may be subject to enforcement.

Questions or Concerns?
Recreation Director
978-733-1249 x 3

Safety Concern/Issue?
Dial 9-1-1

User Acknowledgment

By reading and acknowledging the above **Town of Lancaster Beach Rules & Regulations** and the **Town of Lancaster Code of Conduct**, I understand that:

- I am responsible for myself and all individuals in my party.
- We will comply with all posted rules, staff directions, and public safety measures.
- We understand that failure to follow these rules may result in removal from the premises or other enforcement actions.

Name (Printed): _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____