

Byelaws

Byelaws made by the Council of the London Borough of Harrow under section 164 of the Public Health Act 1875, Sections 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906 and Section 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906 with respect to the pleasure grounds.

1. In these byelaws: "the pleasure ground" means the pleasure grounds named below.

Alexandra Park	Montrose Walk
Belmont Railway Line	Newton Park East
Bentley Priory Open Space	Newton Park West
Bernay's Gardens	Park View
Boulevard Gardens	Pear Wood
Bridge Street Gardens	Pinner Memorial Park
Brockhurst Corner	Pinner Recreation Ground
Byron Recreation Ground	Pinner Village Gardens
Canon's Park	Priestmead Recreation Ground
Centenary Park	Queensbury Rec Ground
Chandos Rec Ground	Rayners Mead
Church Farm	River Pinn Reservations
Church Fields	Roxbourne Park
Elm's Road Open Space	Roxeth Recreation Ground
Glenthorne	Saddlers Mead
Greenway	Stanmore Common
Grimsdyke Open Space	Stanmore Country Park
Grove Fields Open Space	Stanmore Marsh
Harrow Garden Village	Stanmore Recreation Ground
Harrow Recreation Ground	Streamside Reservation
Harrow Weald Recreation Ground	Sylvia Avenue Open Space
Headstone Manor Recreation Ground	Thackeray Drive Open
Hooking Green	The Cedar's
Kenmore Park Open Space	The Croft
Kenton Rec Ground	Tookes Green
Lake Grove Open Space	Viewpoint Old Redding
Little Common Pinner	Weald Village Open Space
Little Common Stanmore	West Harrow Rec. Ground
Lowlands Recreation Ground	Whitefriars Open Space
Lynwood Close Open Space	Woodlands Open Space
Melbourne Avenue Open Space	Yeading Walk Open Space
Montesole Playing fields	

2. Any acts by Officers or Contractors working for the Council shall not be an offence under these byelaws.
3. A person shall not in the pleasure ground without reasonable excuse.

- (i) climb on walls, fences, trees or other erection;
- (ii) remove or displace furniture, implements or any erection.

4. No throwing of cans, stones or any other missiles.
5. A person shall not light a fire or allow a lighted match or any other thing to cause risk of fire.
Except for: - Council approved events; or
6. No person should cause annoyance by making too much noise.
Except for: - Council approved events; or properly conducted religious services
7. Agricultural animals should not be brought into parks
Except for: - Council approved licensees
8. No horse riding except at Stanmore Common Horse Ride.
9.
 - (i) No cycling except in cycle areas
 - (ii) No wheeled appliances in parks
Except for: -
 - (a) direct travel to a car park; or
 - (b) Council approved licensees; or
 - (c) wheeled bicycle; or
 - (d) a wheelchair or pram or child's buggy.
10. Parking on flower beds, shrubs, tree growth or where notice exhibited is prohibited
11. Keep off the grass where adequate notice is exhibited. (No areas in Harrow)
12. Bathing, wading, washing or fouling water is prohibited.
13. All wildlife is protected under the Wildlife and Countryside Act. Fishing is allowed in Pear Wood by a club and one of the ponds at Little Common
14. What?
15. A person playing or taking part in any game for which the exclusive use of any space has been set apart shall:
 - (i) only play the game for which it is set apart;
 - (ii) not cause nuisance to other park users;
 - (iii) not play on a space already occupied by other players without their permission;
 - (iv) not play on the space within quarter of an hour before the time fixed for the beginning of the match where the exclusive use of the space has been granted by the Council, unless they are playing in the match;
 - (v) Not use the space for more than 2 hours if it is required by other users unless the exclusive use of the space has been granted by the Council.
16. Sport should not be played where it would cause damage to the ground.

17. A person shall not in the pleasure ground drive pitch or chip a hard golf ball except in Centenary Park Pitch & Putt and Harrow Rec Putting and Hazard Golf courses. Airtex or foam balls can be used.
18. A person shall not in the pleasure ground:
 - (i) erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building or other structure, except where permission is granted by the Council;
 - (ii) sell, hire or anything or carry out a business, unless, a formal agreement has been made with the Council.
19. A person shall not in the pleasure ground:
 - (i) intentionally obstruct any officer of the Council in the proper execution of his duties;
 - (ii) intentionally obstruct any person carrying out an act which is necessary to the proper execution of any contract with the Council; or
 - (iii) intentionally obstruct any other persons in the proper use of the pleasure ground or behave so as to give reasonable grounds for annoyance to other person in the pleasure ground.
20. Every person who shall offend against any of these byelaws shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding Level 2 on the Standard Scale.
21. Any person offending against any of these byelaws may be removed from the pleasure ground by any officer of the Council, or any Constable.
22. The Byelaws made by the Harrow Borough Council on the 5th day of December 1955 and confirmed on 26th day of January 1956 are hereby repealed together with all its subsequent amending byelaws.