

# STANCLIFT COVE BOATING REGULATIONS

1. Persons wishing to launch their boats from the Cove must have a valid Cove Permit. **The 2021 Boat Launch Fee is \$10.00 per carload/day unless boat(s) are stored at the Cove (see below for boat storage information).**
2. Permission to launch a boat shall be obtained from the Supervisor.
3. Boats must be clean to enter the lake. The Supervisor on duty reserves the right to refuse any boat considered too dirty to launch.
4. Signing out with the Supervisor before launching and back in when landing is required. **Note: All boats launched from the Cove must return to the Cove.**
5. Motorized boats (gas or electric) cannot be launched from or used at the Cove nor can they beach in the area.
6. Only small boats that can be carried or caddied into the water shall be allowed (i.e. canoes, kayaks, Sunfish, etc.)
7. No boat trailers are allowed. Boat caddies are acceptable.
8. Fishing gear must be stored in your vehicle when not being used.
9. All children in a boat **MUST** be accompanied by an adult in the same or another nearby boat.
10. All boats launched from the Cove must return **30 minutes** prior to the closing of the area.
11. If the area closes due to inclement weather, all boats must return to the launching area immediately.
12. Boating may be restricted when there's inclement weather.
13. No boating is allowed in the swimming area.
14. Boating privileges or loss thereof are subject to the Supervisor's discretion.
15. Boaters **MUST** comply with MDC regulations (see below).

## MDC REGULATIONS

1. All boats not stored at the Cove must be cleaned prior to entering the water.
2. Coast Guard approved life preservers are required for each person in the boat.
3. Children under 13 must wear their life preservers at all times while in the boat.
4. No swimming from boats or in any unguarded areas.
5. Paddleboards are NOT allowed.

## BOAT STORAGE

1. Boat storage areas are available on a first come - first served basis.
2. Spaces are rented to Resident Permit Holders first (one week prior to opening), then to all Permit Holders (opening weekend).
3. Boat storage is only allowed on the storage racks; a space on the rack costs \$100.00 for the season. A request can be made using the form provided by the supervisor.
4. A current Cove Permit is required to obtain a storage space.
5. Persons storing boats overnight must provide their own locks.
6. The Cove is not responsible for any boats or personal property left in boats.
7. Boats found unlocked may result in loss of storage privileges.
8. Sale or transfer of boat slips is prohibited.
9. All boats must be removed from the Cove by Closing Day.

WELCOME TO

# STANCLIFT COVE

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## 2021 Season

OPENING DAY - Saturday, June 19<sup>th</sup> - (Father's Day Weekend)

CLOSING DAY - Monday, September 6<sup>th</sup> - (Labor Day)

**Beach opens daily at 9:30 am and closes at 7:45 pm\***

*\*As daylight decreases the beach may close earlier.*

**Gate closes at 8:00 p.m.**

**During times of inclement weather, call 860-379-8082 to see if the beach is open, closed, opening late, or closing early.**

### Permits:

- Permits can only be purchased at the Cove. **Checks are preferred and should be made out to Stanclift Cove.**
- Permits will be placed on the lower right hand side of the car windshield by Cove personnel.
- No permits will be issued without current car registration.
- Proof of eligibility is required for the resident rate. Eligibility is based on the residential address listed on the vehicle registration, a recent utility bill, or an official form showing personal property ownership.
- Permits are **NOT TRANSFERABLE.**
- Permits may not be altered or reproduced in any manner.
- There are absolutely no refunds. **NO EXCEPTIONS**

### New Hartford & Barkhamsted

RESIDENT	\$60.00	NON-RESIDENT	\$325.00
RESIDENT SENIOR*	\$45.00	NON-RESIDENT SENIOR*	\$250.00

*\*Age 62 and older*

GUEST CAR\* \$10.00 per visit

*\*Guest car must be accompanied by a stickered car.*

**Permit holders should read this brochure and become familiar with the Rules and Regulations. If you have any questions or concerns, please see the supervisor on duty.**

# RECREATION AREA RULES AND REGULATIONS

The rules and regulations contained in this brochure are designed to ensure your safety and to protect the family atmosphere offered by the Cove. Please take a moment to review them.

## GUESTS

We welcome guests at the Cove as long as they are accompanied by a permit holder. No guest(s) will be allowed on the beach until the permit holder has arrived. Guests must register with the supervisor on duty and fees must be paid at the start of each visit. Guests must park in the guest area or as directed by the supervisor. Guest parking passes must be hung from the rear view mirror of the vehicle and returned daily to the supervisor on duty. Permit holders are responsible for their guest(s) and their behavior. **Abuse of guest privileges may result in permit revocation.**

Guest Passes will be limited on the following weekends:

- Opening Weekend\*
- Fourth of July\*
- Labor Day\*

*\*3 days notice is appreciated on these weekends*

## FAMILY PARTIES

Groups of ten (10) or larger **MUST** be approved by a supervisor 24 hours in advance. Call the Cove at **860-379-8082** to do this. All members of the party must sign in with the supervisor on duty. **HOLIDAY PARTIES REQUIRE 48 HOURS NOTICE.**

## PICNICKING

Picnicking is permitted in all recreation areas. Refuse must be deposited in the receptacles provided or removed from the property. Do NOT scrape food scraps onto the ground. Picnic tables should not be moved.

## GRILLS/FIRES

Grills are located in safe areas. If a personal portable grill is brought in, it must be placed in a safe area (not directly on a picnic table or bench). Fire buckets must be filled with water prior to starting the grill and used to extinguish all fires prior to leaving the picnic site. Ash and other burned material will be transferred to the appropriate receptacle by the Supervisor. **DO NOT EMPTY ASHES OR BRIQUETTES ONTO THE GROUND OR INTO A TRASH CAN.**

## GLASS CONTAINERS

No glass containers of any kind are allowed in the beach area

## SMOKING AND ALCOHOL

Smoking or vaping is NOT permitted on the premises. Possession of or drinking of alcoholic beverages is also PROHIBITED at the Cove.

## DRIVING

Motorists are required to strictly observe the speed limit. Proceed very slowly and with care though the parking area and on the access road. Traffic in the parking area is **ONE WAY** to the right at the fork (counterclockwise). **Watch out for children at play!**

## PARKING

Parking is permitted only in designated areas in a manner satisfactory to the supervisor on duty. Sticker must be displayed prominently on the right side of the windshield at all times.

**No overnight parking.**

## RESTROOMS

Our porta-potties are sanitized for your convenience. Parental supervision is necessary to ensure children utilize restrooms correctly and keep them clean. No potty chairs are allowed in the beach area. The beach and picnic areas must be kept clean. Therefore, children are not allowed to use the areas for toilet needs.

**Washing of bodies, diapers, or clothes in the lake is PROHIBITED.**

## CHILDREN

No one under the age of 16 is allowed at the Cove without adult supervision.

Parents/guardians are responsible for their children at all times. No child shall be left unattended.

## SWIMMING

Swimming is allowed only in the roped areas during the posted hours and when lifeguards are on duty. Coast Guard approved life jackets may be used but only in shallow water.

**NO inflatable or unapproved flotation devices are allowed.**

## BEACH GAMES

All beach games including but not limited to volleyball, paddleball, and soccer are **allowed during non busy times** and at the discretion of the lifeguards and the supervisors on duty. No hard baseballs or other hard balls are allowed on the beach.

## FISHING

Fishing is allowed on the shores outside the roped areas and in view of the lifeguards. When not fishing all equipment must be stored in your car.

## BOATING

The use of boats is allowed and encouraged. See back page for rules and regulations.

## BEHAVIOR

The Cove is a family-friendly environment. Inappropriate behavior, language and/or actions towards anyone are prohibited and may result in the loss of Cove privileges. Abusive behavior (of a non-physical nature) will result in a warning. Any further threat of or actual physical confrontation will cause the immediate loss of privileges and/or contacting the local authorities.

**Violations of the Cove Rules and Regulations and/or failure to comply with staff requests can and will result in the loss of Cove privileges - permits will be revoked.**

*The supervisor's or head lifeguard's decision is final for all activities including but not limited to swimming lessons, opening and closing times, games, use of the facilities, guest privileges, boating policy, and closing of the water for swimming.*