



Park & Museum RULES & REGULATIONS
Grounds Open Daily 7:30 am - Dusk Free Admission
(Closed Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day)

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum (JPPM) is the State Museum of Archaeology. Our mission is to connect people to the past through history and archaeology and support the preservation of Maryland's cultural resources.

For Visitor safety and to preserve the archaeological significance of the property, the following activities are NOT allowed:

Swimming	Fishing	Collecting (artifacts, fossils, plants or animals)
Hunting	Skating	Remote controlled aircraft (including drones)
Trapping	Skateboarding	Unlicensed vehicles (golf carts, ATVs)
Open wood fires	Fireworks	Horseback riding

- **No wood fires.** Charcoal grills are allowed in the picnic area by the Visitor Center.
- **No collecting of artifacts, fossils, plants or animals.** Violators will be prosecuted under State Law.
- **Please observe all signs and speed limits.** Respect cordoned off and "Private - Do Not Enter" signs and areas.
- **Park** in designated parking areas.
- **Pets must be on a leash,** maximum length of 10 feet. Pets are not allowed in buildings, including the Pavilion. Trained service animals are the exception. Pet waste receptacles are located throughout the park. *NOTE: Pets may be excluded from some public events.*
- **Persons conducting themselves in a disorderly manner** and doing anything which tends to be, or amounts to be, a **"breach of the peace"** will be asked to leave. **This includes, but is not limited to,** making loud and unseemly noises and operating audio equipment or musical instruments at a sound level annoying to other Park & Museum users.
- **Trash and recycling bins** are available and located in the Pavilion.

Guided tours and educational programs are available by advance request (fees may apply)
Groups should make advance reservations.