



Templars' Park Scout Campsite



FIREWORKS POLICY

The following is the Fireworks Policy and Guidelines of the Aberdeen District Scout Council in relation to Templars' Park.

"The discharge of fireworks within the confines of Templars' Park is the responsibility of the designated party leader of each user group. Such leader must take full responsibility for ensuring the group's compliance with the following guidelines. However, Aberdeen District Scout Council retains the right to stop the discharge of fireworks by any persons within Templars' Park, if it considers such action necessary."

- The discharge of fireworks within Templars' Park is strongly discouraged outwith the recognised annual celebration occasions around Guy Fawkes/Bonfire Night, Christmas and Hogmanay
- Fireworks may not be discharged after the following hours: midnight 5th / 6th November; 1am Hogmanay, Chinese New Year, Diwali Night; 10pm all other nights
- Party Leaders must seek approval of the Templars' Park Management Committee ('TPMC') at least two weeks in advance of any such display, and to agree the specific area within the park where they may discharge fireworks, bearing in mind the proximity of farm animals. This is to ensure that all parties have adequate notice of the event. The TPMC retains the right to turn down requests
- The chosen area should be booked by the party by emailing (i.e. info@templarspark.org.uk) to ensure the area is free of campers, as fireworks are not to be discharged directly above or towards persons or tents
- Templars Park shares its boundaries with an established livestock farm, and users of the Park must give consideration to the presence of farm animals when planning and firework display. To this end, the designated Party Leader must notify Mrs I V Macinnes, Home Farm, Maryculter, Aberdeen, AB12 5GA. Tel. (012240 732310 at least one week (preferably two weeks) in advance of any such display
- The discharge of fireworks within the confines of Templars Park may only be undertaken by those persons approved by the designated Party Leader
- No person should be in possession of fireworks within the confines of Templars Park unless expressly approved by the designated Party Leader
- Security for the safe storage, handling and discharge of fireworks is the responsibility of the designated Party Leader. Spectators should be kept at a safe distance
- The designated Party Leader must ensure there is adequate first aid cover and the means to extinguish a fire, in case of emergency
- All rubbish should be collected and removed safely, and deposited in the main bins provided at the avenue gate to the campsite
- Any person or group failing to comply with the above may be asked to leave the campsite
- Aberdeen District Scout Council and the Templars' Park Management Committee retain the right to refuse future bookings from any group that fails to comply with the above