



Town of Barnstable  
**BARNSTABLE RECREATION**



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## **TOWN OF BARNSTABLE RULES & REGULATIONS FOR BEACHES & PARKING PERMITS**

*(AS FOUND IN CHAPTER 401A TOWN OF BARNSTABLE E-CODE)*

- A. No littering or solicitation.
- B. No alcohol, fires, or glass containers on beach or in parking lot.
- C. Dogs are not allowed, at any time, on any beach/recreation area from May 15-September 15.
- D. Swimming is allowed in designated swim areas only.
- E. Flotation devices are allowed during on-shore breezes only.
- F. Lifeguards are on duty (where available) from 9AM to 5PM everyday day starting in late June.
- G. Restrooms are open from 9AM to 4:30PM.
- H. Gates open at 9AM and are locked promptly at 9PM. Parking fees are collected from 9AM to 3:45PM, Craigville 7:30AM to 3:45PM (unless otherwise posted).
- I. Beaches that are (including bathhouses) staffed starting Memorial Day weekend are Veteran's, Kalmus, Sea Street, Covell's, Craigville, and Dowses Beach. All other locations open in late June.
- J. Failure to comply with Beach Staff may result in loss of beach privileges, punishment by fines, and/or arrest per Town of Barnstable by-laws.
- K. No disturbances or other breach of peace will be tolerated.
- L. All umbrellas must be secured properly and may not obstruct the lifeguard's view of the water. The use of umbrellas/tents may be suspended by staff if weather conditions merit such action.
- M. Any person using obscenities, particularly in a threatening manner toward any Town of Barnstable employees, will be asked to leave.
- N. Drones are prohibited from launching and/or landing on any Town of Barnstable Beach.
- O. No smoking on any bathing beach or recreation area.

**RESIDENT PARKING PERMITS ARE REQUIRED YEAR ROUND (1/1/current year THRU 12/31/current year) AT ALL POSTED RESIDENT BEACHES AND TOWN WAYS TO WATER**