



G R O U N D S F O R S C U L P T U R E

Birthday Party Rules & Reminders

Thank you for choosing Grounds for Sculpture as your birthday party host! Below are a few friendly reminders and expectations while you explore GFS. Please read them carefully and review them with your group.

General Rules

- Chaperones/adults are responsible for youth behavior while visiting Grounds For Sculpture. Kids must be accompanied by, or within sight of a chaperone at all times.
- Grounds For Sculpture is a shared space. Please be mindful of other visitors, including other groups, and move through the grounds in a respectful manner.
- Respect the art and help us protect the collections. Artwork in the indoor galleries may not be touched. Outdoor sculptures should not be touched unless indicated on the plaque. Sculptures are not designed to be climbed. For your safety and to protect the artwork, climbing sculptures is never allowed.
- Please keep writing, painting, and sketching implements away from the artwork and museum walls.

The Party Room

- BYO decorations are permitted, apart from balloons and glitter or confetti. Decorations can be hung on the walls using blue painter's tape.
- Respect the party room/studio space. It is a shared space used for other programs and should be kept clean.
- Aprons will be provided by GFS for art projects.

Food

- Birthday party groups are permitted to bring your own pizza and cake, as long as it won't need heating, ice/ice bins, or refrigeration. All food must be eaten and disposed of in the party room.
- No alcohol is permitted in the party room. Non-alcoholic drinks are permitted.
- Sandwiches & other food options can be ordered directly through Constellation Catering, contact Noelle Guglielmelli (noelle.guglielmelli@constellationculinary.com) or Kathleen Newman (kathleen.newman@constellationculinary.com) for pricing and ordering.
- Recommended Local Food Vendors:
 - [Eet Gud Bakery](#)
 - [Italian Peoples Bakery](#)
 - Pizza Delivery Options:
 - [Mario & Franks](#)
 - [Brothers Pizza](#)
 - [Vincent's Pizza](#)

The Sculptures

- Sculptures throughout the park have plaques that indicate whether they may be touched. Please refrain from touching sculptures marked with the no-touch symbol.
- Sculptures are not designed to be climbed. For your safety and to protect the artwork, climbing sculptures is never allowed.
- Help us protect our beautiful gardens. Please stay on the pathways or in the open grassy areas to preserve our landscape, gardens, and rare plantings. Please do not pick flowers or disturb plants.

The Peacocks

- Please maintain a safe distance from the peacocks and other wildlife. Touching or feeding peacocks and wildlife may cause the animal harm or place your personal safety at risk. Observe their beauty from a safe distance.

What to Wear

- Grounds For Sculpture is mostly outdoors and open year-round in all weather conditions. Please wear appropriate clothing and footwear for the current weather conditions.
- On sunny days, sunscreen, hats and other sun protection may be helpful.

Safety

- Guest Services staff can be found in all indoor galleries and at the Welcome Center. For emergency services or questions during your visit, please alert the closest staff member.

If you need to cancel your reservation, please email cfazzini@groundsforsculpture.org.