

regulations will be ticketed and/or towed by this department or the Department of Public Safety. Parking and Transit Services will be responsible for collecting the applicable charges. Parking is controlled in accordance with the Syracuse University Parking Rules and Regulations at <http://parking.syr.edu/Parking/uploads/rulesandregulations.pdf>.

The Department of Public Safety works with Parking Services to control traffic and parking on campus to ensure the safety of the campus community. Members of the campus community who are granted the right to operate a motor vehicle on campus must follow the University rules and regulations that govern vehicle operation.

All Syracuse University faculty and staff are eligible for vehicle parking permits. Employee fees and permit allocations are based on a sliding scale that takes into account employee classification, salary, years of service and mobility requirements.

All students, except freshmen, are eligible to purchase parking permits. Student fees are determined by parking area and permits are allocated on a priority basis ranked as follows: undergraduate and graduate students residing in residence halls, commuting graduate students, commuting undergraduate students. Visitors may either park in visitor pay lots or purchase a visitor's permit from the Parking and Transit Services Office.

The ADA/505/504 legislation requires employers to provide reasonable accommodations for those with disabilities; as such, Syracuse University has developed a Quad Shuttle service which more than meets the ADA requirement. All those with handicap plates or placards, applying for parking permits, will be assigned to the Quad Shuttle service. Exceptions must be supported by medical documentation which clearly indicates that the Quad shuttle van cannot physically be accessed by the individual.

PROTESTS AND DEMONSTRATIONS

Syracuse University is committed to the principle that freedom of expression is essential to the search for truth, and consequently welcomes and encourages the expression of different and varied opinions, and of dissent. Students may assemble in an orderly manner and engage in any peaceful protest and/or demonstration that does not violate the Code of Student Conduct or the Campus Disruption Policy.

QUAD POLICY

Policy statement: Syracuse University's quadrangle, affectionately known as "the Quad," is an open green space designed to be accessible, safe, and attractive and to be used by members of the University community and their guests. The quadrangle is defined as the grassy area bounded by sidewalks and Hendricks Chapel and steps, Link Hall, Carnegie Library, Hinds Hall, and Huntington Beard Crouse Hall. The Quad is part of a centuries-old tradition in higher education: the provision of a peaceful, open-air area for thoughtful contemplation and social interaction. SU's Quad has been part of the campus since Syracuse Univer-

sity's founding in 1870. Once known as the oval and used for football games, it is now the University's "crossroads" and is the site of many fond memories for generations of alumni, as well as enjoyment for current students.

- Use of the Quad for Syracuse University related activities or events must be reserved by an academic or administrative department, or by a recognized student organization in good standing with the University. Individual University members who utilize the Quad to exercise free speech absent participants, should refer to the Syracuse University Student Handbook for review of the Campus Disruption Policy and the Statement of Student Rights and Responsibilities, specifically Assembly and Protest.

- The sponsoring group and participants are bound by applicable University policies, local and state ordinances, and the Code of Student Conduct.

- A minimum of seven business days prior to the proposed event, the office of Student Centers and Programming Services (SCPS) must receive an outdoor space request form outlining details about the proposed event. SCPS reserves the right to refuse any request.

- The proposed event (including set-up and breakdown) must NOT conflict with scheduled classes or academic programs, or previously scheduled events. For events that are permitted during these times, no amplified sound devices are permitted.

- A proposed event must NOT present a safety risk or hazard to the participants, to others using the Quad or adjacent space, or to underground utilities. The degree of risk and staffing requirements for all proposed events shall be determined by Syracuse University's Department of Public Safety and/or the Risk Management/Safety Department and/or Physical Plant. Each department will determine necessary staffing for a respective Quad event.

- Recognized student organizations and/or administrative, academic departments may be approved for a maximum of three (3) event requests per semester. An approved event will be defined as any activity that operates between the hours of 7 a.m. and 9 p.m. or any fractional period therein. Events approved to continue beyond 9 p.m. will be considered a continuous event and must be completed within a 48 hour period of the requested event start time.

- Commercial or non-University vendors hired by the event sponsor, shall, at their or the event sponsor's expense, provide to the University Risk Management Department and subject to Risk Management's approval, satisfactory evidence of insurance at least 10 business days prior to the event.

- All costs related to the event (including, but not limited to, security, physical plant, etc.), are the responsibility of the sponsor. Sponsors scheduling events on the Quad are responsible for returning to the University's satisfaction the Quad space to the condition that it was found. This includes the removal of fliers, equipment, and debris related to the event.

- Petitions to request exceptions to the above guidelines must be submitted to the SCPS office at least 21 business days prior to the proposed event.

- Syracuse University reserves the right to cancel any event or activity if, at any time before or during an event, it is determined that a sponsoring group or participants have breached or misrepresented conditions set forth in these guidelines. The sponsoring group or participants may then be subject to appropriate disciplinary action.