

CAMPUS RECREATION
ESPORTS CENTER
POLICY HANDBOOK
2023

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1. DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

The Department of Campus Recreation at Utah State University is housed in the Division of Student Affairs and is one of the most dynamic growing departments on campus. Home to 18 professional staff members and four graduate assistants, Campus Recreation strives to serve the students with top-notch programs and services. A state-of-the-art facility opened in November 2015, included three basketball courts, three levels of cardio and weight training, a climbing and bouldering wall, two sand volleyball courts, two outdoor basketball courts. The Aggie Legacy Field is 154,000 square feet of synthetic playable surface including two flag football fields, two softball fields, a soccer field, a rugby pitch, a lacrosse field, and ultimate frisbee. Campus Recreation also manages the HPER Building and Fieldhouse which includes six racquetball courts, five basketball courts, two pools, weight training, and cardio loft. It also includes the Esports Center. This is an exciting time to join the Utah State University Campus Recreation team as we continue to grow our programs and develop our students into future leaders.

2. MISSION STATEMENT

Campus Recreation provides opportunities for personal growth through play, wellness and adventure.

3. VISION STATEMENT

1. **Play:** We strive to create spaces where recreation can be enjoyed as co- curricular experiences that strengthen and broaden student learning outside the classroom.
2. **Wellness:** We value a community that encourages a balanced life, healthy choices and an environment that facilitates a sense of belonging for every student.
3. **Adventure:** We create experiential learning opportunities for the development of each student and the USU community through a safe and supportive environment.
4. **Community:** We value opportunities in which every individual is welcomed and affirmed and where we seek to understand, respect, and celebrate our diversity.
5. **Development:** We expand the capacity of students to develop life-long skills to pursue a healthy and active lifestyle for the benefit of themselves and others.

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4. COMMITMENT OF INCLUSION

Campus Recreation is dedicated to inclusive programs, services, and facilities through our commitment to education, outreach, and collaboration. We seek opportunities to create space where all people are welcome and gain a sense of belonging.

5. GENERAL GUIDELINES AND POLICES

All currently enrolled USU students must present their valid ID to enter the ESC. We do this to keep you and your identity safe. Double check to make sure you have your ID before you leave and put it back in the same place every time. IDs used to gain illegal entrance into the ESC will be considered misconduct and theft of services,

- First offence: ID will be confiscated and a fine is assessed. The ID will be returned when the fine is paid.
- Second offense: ID will be confiscated and a fine will be assessed. ESC privileges will be suspended for 30 days.

Campus Recreation is not responsible for lost or stolen items. Please secure personal items in lockers and do not leave unattended. Lost and found is located at the Aggie Recreation Center. Food or open container beverages are prohibited in activity spaces.

Downloads to the Esports Center Computers are not allowed- please request help from the Esports Center Staff.

Esports Center equipment must be treated with respect. Damages/lost equipment will result in a fine.

Do not utilize broadcasting room or equipment without a reservation. All reservations must be complied to. Unauthorized, nonscheduled, or nonconforming uses will not be permitted. The use must be appropriate to the nature and purpose of the facility.

Use inclusive language and practice appropriate verbiage.

Please time games so that you can exit by closing time

No pets other than service animals are allowed in the ESC.

Please report any facility, equipment, and/or injuries to the ESC staff immediately.

ESC reserves the right to refuse admittance to or to request individuals to leave the facility.

6. PARTICIPANT RESPONSIBILITY

Acts of inappropriate behavior are not permitted. These include, but are not limited to the following:

Failure to comply with posted guidelines for all individual areas.

Furnishing false to misleading information to any ESC staff member.

Failure to comply with reasonable directions and requests of ESC personnel.

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Any person in violation of the Student Code of Conduct and/or University policies, rules, or regulations.

Use, possession, or distribution of alcoholic beverage of any type in the ESC.

Physical or verbal assault, sexual harassment, hazing, threats, intimidation, coercion, or any other behavior which threatens or endangers the health or safety of any member of the University community.

Attempted or actual theft, damage or misuse of ESC property or resources.

Violation of published University policies, rules, or regulations.

Unauthorized or improper use of any ESC property or resources.

Use, possession, or distribution of any narcotic or other controlled substance on ESC premises.

7. VIOLATION

Violation of any of the above may result in any or all the following:

1. Suspension from Campus Recreation facilities/programs and/or revocation of membership
2. Referral to the Student Conduct Office
3. Referral to Campus Police
4. Referral to Human Resources

8. ASSISTANCE

If you have experienced sexual harassment, including sexual misconduct and sexual assault, we encourage you to utilize the support services available at CAPS (Counseling and Psychological Services) and SAAVI (Sexual Assault and Anti-Violence Information Center). You may seek assistance from campus employees, including the Title IX Coordinator, Deputy Title IX Coordinators, faculty, and staff. To ensure that the University can do everything possible to aid and stop sexual harassment, University employees are required to report information they receive about allegations of sexual misconduct. Any student, faculty, staff member or participant in any USU-sponsored activity who has concerns about sexual harassment, sex (gender) discrimination or sexual misconduct is encouraged to seek the assistance of the Office of Equity. Please contact:

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