

OPEN RECREATION RULES & REGULATIONS

- The Community Center is open to Chatham residents. Chatham residents may bring guests with them as specified in the Gym Use Policy section of the Residency Policy for Park and Recreation Department Activities. Nonresident students attending the Monomoy Regional Middle School or High School may use the Community Center after school on weekdays, but may not bring a guest. Nonresident Monomoy students may not use the Community Center on weekends unless they are a guest of a resident student.
- Participants must be in the 5th grade or beyond in order to use the Community Center unsupervised by a parent or adult designee during afternoon recreation and are expected to either leave or be picked up by 6:00 pm. Any child younger than 5th grade must be accompanied and supervised by a parent or an adult designee at all times while they are in the Community Center.
- Participants must be in the 7th grade or beyond in order to use the Community Center on Friday and Saturday evenings from 6-10:00 pm. Participants must be in the 9th grade or beyond in order to use the Community Center on weekday evenings from 6-9:00 pm.
- Participants must behave respectfully and cooperate, without arguing, when a staff member gives direction or makes a request. Participants must show respect for the Community Center Staff and all people using the Community Center, and demonstrate concern for the safety and welfare of other people sharing this facility.
- Participants must show respect for the building and grounds and will pick up after themselves and dispose of garbage, food products, bottles and cans, paper products, gum, etc. in the appropriate trash containers which are provided for this purpose.
- Participants must show respect for the Community Center property and recreational equipment. Participants will also take responsibility for their personal belongings, and will respect other people's personal property and possessions. Backpacks, gym bags & coats will be placed appropriately as directed.
- Participants must resolve conflicts peacefully and avoid fighting inside or outside of the Community Center. Absolutely no horseplay, wrestling, swearing, name calling, spitting, arguing, etc. when using the Community Center or its grounds.
- Food and drink are permitted in the lobby and vending area ONLY.
- No smoking is permitted on the Community Center property.
- No weapons, illegal drugs, controlled substances or alcohol is permitted on the Community Center property.
- Use of the Community Center is a privilege and not a right. The privilege of using the Community Center can be revoked for cause. Anyone who cannot follow the rules will be asked to leave. Anyone who continually breaks the rules or whose behavior or actions are deliberately disrespectful will not be permitted to use the facility for a determined length of time.

Please remember: Recreational participants are here to have FUN, relax and have a good time!