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COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY

PARTY SMART

City of Fort Collins
Neighborhood Services

Party Registration
Party Smart Tips – Gamedays

Thank you for participating in the Party Registration program! We hope that you have a fun and safe gameday party. Below please find important tips for hosting a responsible party. These tips are not meant to be all inclusive; always remember that when hosting a gathering you are assuming responsibility for any and all issues that may take place. Please refer back to the *Party Registration Program* document for program rules.

Please remember to share this information with anyone involved in helping to host the party!

Party Smart Tips:

1. Parking on yards: While parking on yards is always against city code in Fort Collins, on game days a property owner can receive a citation for parking on yards 4 hours before and during games, rather than a notice of violation.

2. Residential Parking Permit Program: Fort Collins has a robust Residential Parking Permit Program (RP3) specific to CSU Stadium Events; including CSU football games. Parking Enforcement Officers proactively monitor from four (4) hours before the event (kick-off) through the duration of the event. Only those vehicles who have been issued the appropriate Stadium Event RP3 parking permit, or guest permit, may park in those designated RP3 zones during these specific times.

3. Pedestrian traffic: Encourage your guests to use appropriate crosswalks and sidewalks when traveling to and from your party. There will already be extra foot traffic in the neighborhoods near campus, which may block traffic. You also want your guests to be safe!

4. Open container: Even if you are over the age of 21, possessing an open container of alcohol in public is in violation of the law and the CSU Student Conduct Code. Leave your drinks at your party.

5. Marijuana: Possessing and/or using marijuana is prohibited on campus, including at the stadium. Remember that it is also illegal to consume marijuana in public.

6. Keep your doors and windows closed: If possible, keep your gathering indoors or at a reasonable volume. The Noise Ordinance is in effect 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Noise coming from a backyard or through windows and open doors can travel far. Be a considerate neighbor!

7. Nuisance Gathering: We anticipate more registered parties on gamedays. Remember that you are responsible for issues that occur on your property AND neighborhood impacts from the guests of your party. Clean up trash from your party and encourage your guests to leave their drinks behind.

8. Your actions have impact: Represent Rams proudly wherever you are! Be a good neighbor both on and off campus. Your actions impact CSU and the Fort Collins Community. Make it a positive one! As a CSU student, you may be held accountable for your behaviors off campus through the Student Conduct Code.

9. Safety: There likely will be extra people in the neighborhoods. Be sure to lock your doors and keep your belongings safe.

10. Avoid “randos”: Make a guest list, think before you post on social media, lock your doors, address unwanted guests with your roommates and politely ask them to leave; and if needed, call police dispatch at 970-419-FCPD (3273) for assistance.