



**TOWN OF BABYLON
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL AFFAIRS
151 Phelps Lane, North Babylon, NY 11703**

**CEDAR CAMPGROUND
OVERNIGHT CAMPING INFORMATION 2026**

Permit Sales: Begin Wednesday, April 1, 2026, Monday – Friday, 9 am – 4 pm

Campground Season Dates: Summer Season Friday, May 22nd - Monday, October 12th

Overnight Camping Permit Fee (Includes 1 Tow Vehicle Permit)

Town Residents Only\$50.00
Senior Citizens.....\$25.00

Credit/Debit Card Only

***Please note: There is a \$75 fee for any replacement permit for a lost camping or Jet Ski permit.*

Overnight Camping Permit Document Requirements

1. Driver's License
 2. Tax or Utility Bill (gas, water, electric or sewer only)
 3. Camper Vehicle Registration
 4. Tow Vehicle Registration
- Snow Bird (Proof of residency with tax bill and current utility bill)

Only original documents will be accepted. Name and address must match on all documents.

Permits cannot be purchased without the above requirements. No exceptions will be made. Senior Citizens (60 or older) must show proof of age for Senior Discount.

Overnight Camping Fees:

Check In: 12:00 PM

Check Out: 10:00 AM

Fees collected upon arrival. All fees include electric.

Credit/Debit Cards ONLY – NO CASH

Daily Fee: Weekends, Weekdays, & Holidays:

Town Residents with Overnight Camping Permit.....**\$40.00/Day**

Waste Disposal.....No Charge

Absolutely No Refunds.

Cedar Campground (631) 669-5949



Rich Schaffer, Supervisor

**TOWN OF BABYLON
CEDAR MARINA CAMPING
RULES AND REGULATIONS 2026**

1. All camp sites are available through online reservations. Reservations are for seven (7) days, from Friday at 12 PM to the following Friday at 10 AM. If a site is not reserved it will be available on a first come, first served basis the Friday of that week to campers with a 2026 camping permit that meets the first come, first served criteria outlined in rule number 12.
2. **** NEW** Permits are strictly for self-contained camping vehicles. They will be issued only to adults (18 years of age or older) whose primary residence is within the Town of Babylon. Owners of rental or commercial properties who are domiciled outside of the Town of Babylon are not considered Town residents.**
3. All campers must register with the Manager's Office upon entering the facility. Campers may not pull into a site until they have gone to the Manager's Office and the Manager has verified their reservation. The camping vehicle must be present when registering. Campsites must be occupied immediately upon arrival.
4. ****NEW** Once checked in, no camper may move their site under any circumstances. Only in the case of an emergency will a move be permitted, and only at the discretion of the administration of the Parks and Recreation Department.**
5. Campers must vacate their site by the end of their reservation - Friday at 10 AM. Campers must notify the Manager when checking out. Any camper that has not vacated their site by the check-out time may have their camping privileges revoked. Any camper still in a campsite after 10 AM on the Friday of the end of their reservation will be charged a late checkout fee of \$50.00.
6. The reservation/permit holder must be on site each day throughout the reservation. Sites may not be resold or subleased by the reservation holder. Reservations may not be resold on sites like Airbnb, VRBO, Facebook, etc. nor to friends or relatives. Any resident found subleasing their reservation will have their permit revoked. Refunds will not be issued for any future reservations.
7. Campers may leave site unattended overnight if: (1) camper has registered and paid fees for the duration of the stay; and (2) before leaving site, camper notifies attendant, leaving name, address, and phone number, so the camper may be notified in the event of a campground emergency. The Town of Babylon will not be responsible for any equipment or property left on an unattended site. At no time may the campsite be blocked off without first notifying the Manager's Office. Transfer of sites is not permitted. **At no time may any camping vehicle park broadside or "front in" to the site.**
8. Each Camping Permit comes with a Tow Vehicle Permit (attached to the Camping Permit). The Tow Vehicle Permit should be secured to the driver's side window of the tow vehicle. Any vehicle towing a camper that does not have the appropriate Tow Vehicle Permit is not allowed into the facility, even if the camper has a permit. **The Tow Vehicle Permit is only valid during the length of your stay at Cedar Beach Campground.**

This permit does not give access to any other beach facility. Any vehicle without a Tow Vehicle Permit will be required to have a 2026 Beach Permit.

9. All campers will receive a car placard for their week reservation. This placard should be displayed in your windshield throughout the duration of your reservation while at the campground. The placard must be visible from your car while parked in your designated parking spot.
10. **Only ONE car is permitted at each gravel campsite at a time.** All other vehicles must park in the main parking lot. Vehicles entering the facility must have the Tow Vehicle Permit, or 2026 Beach Permit. Vehicles are restricted to a speed not in excess of five (5) miles per hour in the parking lot.
11. **** UPDATED **** Campers will have a maximum stay of seven (7) days per visit. However, any camper using a site for any portion of the weekend (Friday at 12 PM to Sunday at 3 PM) is ineligible to use a site the following weekend. **The limit of stay permitted by campers is strictly enforced, and any camper violating this rule will be denied further camping permits.** Campers will be permitted to enter the campground on Saturday after 3 PM prior to an upcoming weekend reservation.
12. **** NEW** CEDAR BEACH CAMPGROUND IS INTENDED TO BE USED AS SHORT-TERM, TRANSIENT FACILITY AND, AS SUCH, DOES NOT ALLOW SEASONAL SITES. AS OF 2026, PERMIT HOLDERS ARE ONLY ELIGIBLE FOR ONE "FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED" STAY, IN ADDITION TO THEIR RESERVATIONS FROM MEMORIAL DAY THROUGH LABOR DAY. THIS "FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED" STAY CANNOT RESULT IN A 3 CONSECUTIVE WEEKEND STAY AT THE CAMPGROUND.**
13. **Online reservations begin Monday, April 20, 2026 at 9 AM.** You are only permitted to make **one reservation** per day. You are required to pay for your stay at the time you make the reservation. **Each household is only entitled to make one reservation per day. Any additional reservations made on the same day will be voided by the Town of Babylon and no refunds will be issued.**

Memorial Day: Friday, May 22 – Friday, May 29

Fourth of July: Friday, July 3 – Friday, July 10

Beach Blast: Friday, August 14 – Friday, August 21

Labor Day: Friday, September 4 – Friday, September 11

Columbus Day: Friday, October 9 – Monday, October 12

Reservations for Columbus Day Weekend will open on August 11, 2026 at 9 AM.

14. Any resident wishing to change reservations, date or site change, will be charged **\$40.00.** Please double check your shopping cart for date and site choice before checking out. All changes must be made by 2 pm on the Wednesday prior to a reservation. No refunds or credits will be given for changes made after this time.

15. A reservation is forfeited, without refund, if the camper does not occupy the reserved site by Saturday at 3 PM of the reservation period. If a reserved site is not occupied by Saturday at 3 PM, it will become available to campers with a 2026 camping permit after 3 PM. If a resident cannot make their reservation by 3 PM on Saturday, but wishes to still use the reservation, they must contact the campground by 12 noon on the Saturday of the reservation. If the resident has not communicated with the campground by 12 noon, the site will become available to any camper with a 2026 camping permit that meets the first come, first served criteria outlined in rule number 12.
16. Quiet hours must be observed from 11 PM to 8 AM. Generators are not to be used during quiet hours. All children under the age of 18 must be at their respective sites during quiet hours. Failure to observe this rule will be sufficient cause to deny a camper the privilege of a site.
17. Children must be supervised by an adult at all times, everywhere in the facility. If a child is found unattended, this may cause a possible revocation of your permit.
18. **** UPDATED **** Town of Babylon residents with a 2026 beach permit may enter the Campground between the hours of 8 AM and 8 PM only. All visitors must be out of the Campground by 9 PM. Reservation holders may enter after 8 PM, but only with the designated car placard for the week. **VEHICLES WITHOUT A VALID BEACH PERMIT WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ENTER THE FACILITY AT ANY TIME. THAT INCLUDES OUTSIDE VENDORS AND DELIVERIES. VEHICLES WITHOUT A PERMIT MUST PARK AT CEDAR BEACH AND PAY THE APPROPRIATE GATE ENTRANCE FEE.**
19. **Campers are responsible for the behavior of their guests and their children. It is the reservation holder's responsibility to inform guests of the rules and regulations of the Cedar Beach Campground.**
20. **Residents and guests must be courteous and respectful of all Town of Babylon staff and property.**
21. The East End Bathrooms will be locked at 7 PM, each evening. The West End Bathrooms have a code entry system. The code may be obtained by reserved guests from the Manager's Office. The doors will be locked as of 7 PM each evening, at which time the code must be used to gain entry.
22. **** UPDATED**** Campers are responsible for preventing waste water from running onto the ground. The Pump-Out Station is available for use at the Campground. Trash, garbage, etc. must be placed in the containers provided by the Park's Department. **ONLY REGISTERED CAMPERS MAY USE THE PUMP-OUT STATION.**
23. Jet Skis will be permitted for registered campers. No other boat or water craft of any size will be permitted. Jet Skis and trailers must be kept on permitted camp site. Jet Skis must be registered to the camper and have a Town of Babylon Jet Ski Permit. There is a maximum of two (2) Jet Skis per campsite. Trailers are not allowed in the parking lot under any circumstance. Failure to comply with this rule will result in a summons and dismissal from the Campground. **Again, no other boat or water craft of any size will be permitted.**

24. **Illegal drugs are not permitted.** A person's drunk or disorderly conduct, while under the influence of alcohol or drugs, will result in their eviction from the park. Violation of this rule will lead to revocation of all park privileges.
25. Open containers are not allowed. Campers are not allowed to setup bars at their campsites. All beverage containers must be stored and not on display.
26. **No glass bottles are permitted at this facility.**
27. All animals, except family dogs, are prohibited. All dogs must be registered with the Manager upon entering the Campground. **All dogs must have a valid dog license issued by the Town of Babylon.** Dogs must be confined on the owner's immediate campsite area by no more than a 6-foot leash. Pets must not be left unattended. Pets are not allowed at Cedar Beach and Overlook Beach. Pets must be walked on a leash no more the 6 feet in length. Owner is responsible for immediate removal and proper disposal of pet waste. If the dog barks, bites, or becomes a nuisance, the owner and pet may be asked to leave the Campground. **Violation of this rule will lead to revocation of camping privileges.**
28. **** UPDATED**** Campfires are permitted in approved containers. An approved UL container is defined as a properly maintained, barbeque pit or outdoor fireplace limited to three (3) feet in diameter and two (2) feet in height that utilizes a spark-arresting screen and lid or wherein products of combustion pass through a stack or chimney from an enclosed chamber. Campfires may be banned due to weather conditions. **All camping vehicles must carry a portable fire extinguisher.** No stockpiling of wood will be permitted at this facility. Violation of this rule will lead to revocation of your park privileges.
29. Campsites that are left with an extensive need of cleanup will be written up. Failure to clean up may result in a permit revocation at the discretion of the Commissioner of Parks & Recreation.
30. **No bathing or swimming at the Marina.** Bathing only permitted at the ocean facilities when lifeguards are on duty.
31. The operation of any gas generator, amplifier, air conditioner, radio, television set, or music creating a noise level audible beyond the site is prohibited.
32. Skateboards, rollerblades, and bicycles are not permitted on the docks, the Aqua Center boardwalk, and the ramp.
33. **** NEW**** **As per Town Code 81-27: The following motorized vehicles shall not be operated at any time: motorbikes, motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles, low-speed vehicles, golf carts; electric bicycles, motorized scooters, hovercraft, and go-carts.** No automobile or truck shall be operated area unless a permit therefor has been issued.

34. Live bands, DJs, and any rigid structures that must be erected are prohibited, except with the approval of the Commissioner of Parks & Recreation. **No private parties allowed.**
35. All types of pools, hot tubs, etc. are not allowed. Drones are not allowed.
36. **Bay Constables are NY State Peace Officers and are authorized to make an arrest and issue summonses. Failure to comply with their directions and instructions will result in the revocation of your permit.**
37. ****NEW** Only the account holder or an authorized family member listed on your household account may cancel or modify a camping reservation. Any attempts to cancel or change a reservation on another person's account will result in the revocation of permit privileges for the season.**
38. There will be no exceptions to the above stated rules. Failure to comply with these regulations will result in the loss of your permit.