



Millersville University Department of Athletics

TAILGATING POLICY - FOOTBALL

The following Tailgating Policy outlines the established guidelines put forth by Millersville University to manage on-campus tailgating activities and ensure a safe and enjoyable environment. The policy applies to all patrons and guests on the Millersville University campus.

TAILGATING POLICIES

Location:

Tailgating on the campus of Millersville University for home football games is designated to the lower level parking garage and parallel parking lot off of Pucillo Drive. Tailgating will not be permitted on the roof of the parking garage or any other location on the Millersville University campus. Anyone seen tailgating outside of the designated area will be asked to move to the designated tailgating area.

General Guidelines:

- A. Tailgating activities may begin three (3) hours prior to the beginning of the game. Tailgating is not permitted during the course of the game.
- B. Tailgating activities may continue for up to one (1) hour following the conclusion of the game.
- C. Tailgating must incorporate food and non-alcoholic beverages into the activities. The preparation and consumption of food is limited to personal use. No food may be sold at tailgating activities.
- D. Propane (gas) grills are permitted inside the designated tailgating areas only. **Charcoal grills are prohibited.**
- E. Alcohol consumption is permitted inside the designated tailgating areas only and in accordance with State law. **Hard liquor and spirits are prohibited.**
- F. Only individuals who are 21 years of age or older may possess, consume, transport, or store alcoholic beverages. **These individuals must be prepared to show valid identification at all times.**
- G. All alcoholic or non-alcoholic beverages must be in cans or plastic cups or containers. **Glass bottles are prohibited.**
- H. Kegs, party balls, multi-quart containers are prohibited.
- I. All drinking paraphernalia and drinking "games" of any sort are prohibited.
- J. Tailgaters are responsible for the disposal of trash and debris in appropriate trash receptacles following the conclusion of each tailgate. Tailgaters are expected to maintain a clean and sanitary space.
- K. Each car is permitted one parking space inside the designated tailgating area. The space may be extended a reasonable distance while still allowing for an accessible traffic lane at all times.
- L. Pets are not permitted in the tailgate area.
- M. Tailgaters are expected to respect the rights of others. Everyone is expected to maintain good sportsmanship and refrain from the use of loud and/or offensive language, disorderly behavior, and amplified sound.
- N. All Millersville University policies are enforced throughout the campus including the tailgating areas. Millersville University Police or any other law enforcement has the authority to remove any individual or group who does not abide by these policies.
- O. Millersville University is not responsible or liable for accidents, damage, loss or theft of materials, items, or personal property.

Tent/Canopy Guidelines:

- A. No tents larger than 10' x 10'. Any tent must be located directly in front of a parked car or within a parking space. **There must be a clear path for traffic at all times.**
- B. Tents or canopies must be secured at all times to ensure the safety of all patrons.