

**PARKS AND RECREATION FEES
DORCHESTER COUNTY TO BECOME EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2023**

**ASHLEY RIVER PARK
RATES (EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
2023)**

Pavilion Rental Fees

Term	Resident/Dorchester County Business	Non-Resident	Non-Profit Charitable Organization*
Monday-Thursday Full Day – 9:00AM-9:30PM	\$1,000	\$1,250	\$500
Monday-Thursday Half Day 8:00AM-2:30PM or 4:00PM- 10:30PM**	\$600	\$750	\$300
Friday & Sunday Full Day 8:00AM-10:30PM	\$1,500	\$1,875	\$750
Friday & Sunday Half Day 8:00AM-2:30PM or 4:00PM-10:30PM**	\$800	\$1,000	\$400
Saturday Full Day 8:00AM-10:30PM	\$2,500	\$3,125	\$1,250
Saturday Half Day 8:00AM-2:30PM or 4:00PM-10:30PM**	\$1,400	\$1,750	\$700

-Fees may be waived for Dorchester County official meetings, Dorchester County events, or other governmental use.

Tent Rental Fees (optional service with booking the Ashley River Pavilion)

Term	Resident/Dorchester County Business	Non-Resident	Non-Profit Charitable Organization*
Same Term as Pavilion Rentals	\$1,000	\$1,250	\$500

Table and Chair Rental Fees (optional service with booking the Ashley River Pavilion)

Table and chair setup and breakdown fee	\$200
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Picnic Shelter Rental Rates

Term	Resident/Dorchester County Business	Non-Resident	Non-Profit Charitable Organization*
Full Day 8:00AM - Close	\$300	\$375	\$150
Half Day 8:00AM-1:00PM or 2:00PM-Close	\$175	\$219	\$88

Screened Porch Rental Fees

Term	Resident/Dorchester County Business	Non-Resident	Non-Profit Charitable Organization*
Per Hour (3 Hour Minimum)	\$50	\$63	\$25

Event Lawn is available for rent subject to negotiated agreement executed by the County Administrator.

Admission Fees

Term	Resident/Dorchester County Business	Non-Resident
Daily ***	\$2	\$2
Annual Pass ⁺ (9 passengers or less)	\$40	\$80
Senior Annual Pass (Available to ages 60+)	\$25	\$50
Community Bus Annual Pass**** (No commercial bus groups)	\$100	\$100
Commercial Bus Annual Pass	\$250	\$500

*Non-Profit and charitable organization pricing not guaranteed Friday-Sunday during peak season, April – October.

May not book more than 90 days in advance. Proof of nonprofit status required to book.

**Times include set up, breakdown and clean-up. Only available 30 days prior to event, subject to availability, so

as to not restrict availability for full-day rentals.

***Free: Children 2 and under; Holder of Disabled Parking Placard.

****Community Bus – School groups, daycares, churches, and organizations bringing large buses. No Commercial groups.

+All Dorchester County Parks and Recreation Department staff, full-time and part-time, no fee for entry. All other Dorchester County Employees – Annual Pass \$20.

**DAVIS-BAILEY PARK
RATES (EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
2023)**

Pavilion Rental Fees

Term	Resident/Dorchester County Business	Non-Resident	Non-Profit Charitable Organization*
Full Day – 8:00AM - Close	\$250	\$313	\$125
Half Day - 8:00AM-2:30PM or 4:00PM- 10:30PM**	\$150	\$188	\$75

Athletic Fields

Field	Resident/Dorchester County Business	Non-Profit/Charitable Rate**
Baseball Field	\$100	\$50
Soccer Field	\$100	\$50

Field Preparations

Service	Cost
Dragging Fields	\$45
Line Marking	\$45
Dragging & Line Marking	\$70
Use of Lights	\$10 per hour

*Recreational league fees charged separately.

**Non-Profit and charitable organization pricing not guaranteed Friday-Sunday during peak season, April – October. May not book more than 90 days in advance. Proof of nonprofit status required to book.

Staffing Requirements (A minimum of three hours)

Park Operations Aide	\$14 per hour
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Hours with Aide(s)	Fields in Use	Cost
3 Hours with 1 Aide	1	\$42
3 Hours with 2 Aides	2	\$84
4 Hours with 1 Aide	1	\$56
4 Hours with 2 Aides	2	\$112

Staffing fees subject to change based on annual adjustments.

Other Rental Fees

- Partnership agreements may be considered for active recreation, sports teams, and league play on the athletic fields (baseball fields, soccer fields, etc.). A separate fee schedule will apply. A calendar with dates and fees is on the RecDesk site with a schedule for play availability. See the Dorchester County Parks and Recreation website for more details.
- For all other use of the baseball fields and soccer fields for non-sports team play and league play, the fields can be rented on a first-come, first-served basis when not being used for other programming. Please refer to the calendar for availability.

**TEXAS COMMUNITY PARK RATES
(EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2023)**

Rental Fees

Term	Resident/Dorchester County Business	Non-Resident	Non-Profit Charitable Organization*
Full Day – 8:00AM to Park Close	\$100	\$125	\$50

**ALL DORCHESTER COUNTY PARKS RATES (EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2023)**

Food Truck Vendor Fee Schedule

Term	Truck/Trailer	Push Cart
Monday – Friday, 4 Hour Slot	\$75	\$50
Saturday, Sunday, Holiday or Spring Break - 4 Hour Slot	\$100	\$75

Alcohol Fee (Alcohol must be distributed by bar tending service)

Ashley River Park	\$50
Davis-Bailey Park	\$50

Damage Deposits

Ashley River Park Pavilion	\$1,000
Davis-Bailey Park Pavilion	\$250
Texas Community Park Center	\$150

Payments and Cancellations:

1. Returned checks are subject to a fee of \$35.00.
2. 50% refund (50% penalty) for all cancellations. 10% penalty to reschedule within 30 days of reservation date.
Rescheduling within 30 days is allowed only one time. Second instance would result in cancellation and required 50% penalty.
3. Please allow up to 21 days to receive check refunds for cash/check payments.
4. If admission tickets were issued as part of the reservation, all tickets must be returned to receive any refund.

A 3% convenience fee may be assessed on all credit card transactions.



Dorchester County Parks & Recreation

2023/2024 EVENTS SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS – Concert Series

- Series Presenting Title Sponsor - \$2,100 (1 Available)**
 - Admission and VIP seating for 20 company employees and their families.
 - Co-naming rights and listed as presenting title sponsor for six concerts, to take place at Ashley River Park.
 - Premier logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials including park and recreation email blasts.
 - Mentioned on all social media promotion and listed on Facebook event.
 - Space for a 10 x 10 tent to distribute materials or space to hang a company banner during the event.
 - One-minute on-stage announcement at the beginning of show, during intermission and end of show.
 - Business logo and name displayed throughout premiere locations of the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.

- Presenting Sponsor: \$400 per show (6 Available)**
 - Admission and VIP seating for 10 company employees and their families.
 - Listed as presenting sponsor for one concert, to take place at Ashley River Park.
 - Logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials.
 - Mentioned on all social media promotion on Facebook event.
 - Space for 10 x 10 tent and provide promotional items to be handed out to all concert goers.
 - On-stage announcement at the beginning of show, during intermission and end of show.
 - Business logo and name displayed throughout the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS – Movies in the Park

- Series Presenting Title Sponsor (4 Movies Total) - \$3,000 Total**
 - Admission and VIP seating in front of the screen for 20 company employees and their families.
 - Co-naming rights and company name and logo listed on all promotional materials.
 - Premier logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials including park and recreation email blasts.
 - Space for a 10 x 10 tent to distribute materials or space to hang a company supplied banner during the event.
 - Business logo and name displayed throughout premiere locations of the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.

Presenting Sponsor (1 Movie Total) - \$800 per movie

- Admission and VIP seating in front of the screen for 10 company employees and their families.
- Company name and logo listed on all promotional materials.
- Logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials.
- Space for a 10 x 10 tent to distribute materials or space to hang a company banner during the event.
- Business logo and name displayed throughout the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS – Summer Entertainment Series

Series Presenting Title Sponsor (3 Performances Total) - \$800 Total

- Admission and VIP seating in front for 20 company employees and their families.
- Co-naming rights and company name and logo listed on all promotional materials.
- Premier logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials including park and recreation email blasts.
- Space for a 10 x 10 tent to distribute materials or space to hang a company banner during the event.
- Business logo and name displayed throughout premier locations of the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.

Presenting Sponsor (1 Performance Total) - \$300 per performance

- Admission and VIP seating in front for 10 company employees and their families.
- Company name and logo listed on all promotional materials.
- Logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials.
- Space for a 10 x 10 tent to distribute materials or space to hang a company banner during the event.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS – Dog Park Events

Series Presenting Title Sponsor - \$2,000 (1 Available)

- Listed as presenting title sponsor for 4 events, to take place at dog parks.
- Premier Logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials.
- Mentioned on all social media promotion and on Facebook event.
- Space for 10 x 10 tent and provide promotional items to be handed out to all pet owners.
- Business logo and name displayed throughout premier locations of the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.

Presenting Sponsor: \$600 per event (4 Available)

- Listed as a presenting sponsor for one event, to take place at dog parks.
- Logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials.
- Mentioned on all social media promotion and listed on Facebook event.
- Space for 10 x 10 tent and provide promotional items to be handed out to all concert goers.
- Business logo and name displayed throughout the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS – Nature Series

Series Presenting Sponsor - \$1,000 (1 Available)

- Listed as presenting sponsor for all nature, bird walks, astronomy, fishing events, to take place at Ashley River Park, Rosebrock Park & Davis Bailey Park. Will include Pine Trace Park when that location opens in 2024.
- Logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials.
- Mentioned on all social media promotion and on Facebook event.
- Space for 10 x 10 tent and provide promotional items to be handed out to all participants.
- Business logo and name displayed throughout the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS – Special Ticketed Events - Shagging, Square Dance & Roaring 20's Events

Series Presenting Title Sponsor (3 Events Total) - \$2,000 Total

- Co-naming rights and listed as presenting title sponsor for 3 events, to take place at Ashley River Park or Davis Bailey Park.
- Logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website and logo included on all promotional materials including park and recreation email blasts.
- Mentioned on all social media promotion and on Facebook event.
- Space for a 10 x 10 tent to distribute materials or space to hang a company banner during the event.
- One-minute on-stage announcement at the beginning of show, during intermission and end of show.
- Business logo and name displayed throughout premier locations of the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.
- 10 tickets to each event.

Presenting Sponsor (1 Event Total) - \$800 per event

- Listed as a presenting sponsor, to take place at Ashley River Park or Davis Bailey Park.
- Logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website.
- Mentioned on all social media promotion and listed on Facebook event.
- Space for a 10 x 10 tent and provide promotional item to be handed out to all event goers.
- One-minute on-stage announcement at the beginning of show, during intermission and end of show.
- Business logo and name displayed throughout the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.
- 10 tickets to one event.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS Special Events – Family Fun Day, Easter, Fall Festival, Winter/Holiday Event

Presenting Sponsor: \$1,000 (4 events total)

- Listed as presenting sponsor to take place at Davis-Bailey & Ashley River Park.
- Logo inclusion on Facebook event page with link to sponsor's website.
- Mentioned on all social media promotion and on Facebook event.
- Space for 10 x 10 tent and provide promotional item to be handed out to all event goers.
- Business logo and name displayed throughout the event that may include banners, signage or other promotional material provided by the sponsor.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS – 2023/2024 Event Season Sponsorship

Event Season Sponsor (July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024 Special Events): \$10,000

- Presenting sponsor level for all events including Movies in the Park, Porch Pickin' in the Park, Dog Park Events, Summer Entertainment Series, Family Fun Day, Easter Events, Fall Festival, Winter Event, Nature Series, Shaggin on the Ashley, Square Dance at Davis Bailey & Roaring 20's event at Ashley River Park.
- Company name and logo listed on all promotional materials.
- Mentioned on all social media promotion and on Facebook event.
- Space for 10 x 10 tent to distribute materials or space to hang a company banner during the event.
- Ten tickets to Shaggin on the Ashley, Square Dancing at Davis-Bailey, Roaring 20's event at Ashley River Park.

Banner Sponsorship - \$300

Sponsor logo or business name printed on a 3' x 6' banner that will be hung along the baseball field fencing at Davis-Bailey Park that will remain up for (1) year. Printing, hanging and maintenance of banner are included in the \$300 sponsorship fee.

Sponsorship is only valid for the specified time frame. Dorchester County reserves the right to change this agreement unilaterally by written directive to the extent such changes are necessary to promote the event, operate the event, or serve the public interest and sponsor acknowledges that such changes will not obligate Dorchester County to provide any refunds or bear any liability to sponsor.

Dorchester County Parks and Recreation
Special Events and Park Programs Fee Schedule

The following is a list of special events and programs Parks and Recreation would like to explore implementing. In addition to coordinating these programs, we will partner with volunteers, independent contractors, community groups and organizations, as well as other governmental agencies. We would like to offer a mix of family programs, educational, fitness, special ticketed events and other activities. The fee structure for these events would vary from included with the \$2 gate fee, to a nominal fee to cover costs of instructors, supplies and equipment, entertainment and other vendors and contractors. Pass holders would receive a 20% on ticketed events and programs.

Family Fun Events Included in \$2 Gate Fee

Easter Events/Spring Fling
Old Time Game Day and Picnic
Family Fishing Rodeos
Halloween/Fall Festival
Christmas/Winter Wonderland
Family Fun Days
Themed Movie Nights
Charleston Theater Performance at Davis Baily
Family Camp Out
One day tournaments - corn hole, archery, horseshoes, volleyball, basketball, flag football
Home Run Derby
Punt, Pass and Kick
Kite Event

Educational/Nature Series – included in \$2 gate fee if volunteer led, or \$5 - \$15 cost depending on instructor.

Guided nature walks at all parks
Birdwatching & walk
Flora & Fauna
Wildlife photography
Scales & Tails animal identification
Astronomy
Scavenger hunts
Geocaching
Fossils/geology
Fishing 101 with SCDNR
Educational programs with Clemson 4H
Gardening & Composting
Schools Day Out Programs
Weather

Special Exercise/Fitness Programs – Included in \$2 gate fee if volunteer led or \$5 - \$15.

Sunset, Sunrise, Full Moon Yoga

Kayaking

Proposed ticket cost \$5 - \$20 per person or carload depending on the event and cost of entertainers, vendors and contractors. Cost would be comparable with what other agencies are charging for similar events and programs and to cover costs of implementing the program.

Concert Series

Murder Mystery

Shagging on the Ashley and other dance events

Hoedown at Davis Bailey with Dorchester County Library

Dog Park Series – Sip and Drool

Jazz/Blues Brunch

Date Night Movie

Daddy/Daughter Dance

Summer Camps – fee of \$25 - \$60 depending on the camp and instructor.

Clemson 4H2Ocamp

Specialty half day camps

Proposed Fees

Family Fun Events	\$2 gate fee
Education/Nature Series	\$2 gate fee or \$5 - \$15
Exercise/Fitness Programs	\$2 gate fee or \$5 - \$15
Ticketed Special Events	\$5 - \$20 per person or carload depending on the event
Schools Day Out/Summer Camps	\$25 - \$60