

KIESELBURG FOREST PRESERVE RADIO CONTROLLED FLYING FIELD POLICY STATEMENT

This Forest Preserves of Winnebago County Policy Statement is established to assure that no person shall be discriminated against because of his or her political or religious opinions, affiliations, race, sex, color, creed, national origin or disability. It establishes a set of uniform rules and regulations that will govern all use on Forest Preserve property.

RULES & REGULATIONS

- Hours of use are from 8:00 am until sunset. Winter flying will be permitted subject to clear safe ground conditions.
- Daily users must apply in person at the FPWC Office, please bring your AMA card (or proof of insurance with a minimum of \$100,000 liability coverage).**
- All flyers must have in their possession a current AMA card (or proof of insurance with a minimum of \$100,000 liability coverage) and a Forest Preserves of Winnebago County registration card which must be presented on demand. Registration cards are valid for the calendar year.**
- All flyers must obey the safety rules published in the current AMA model aircraft regulations.
- All flyers are required to use the established pit area. No taxiing planes in pit area (see map).
- All flyers must fly from the designated pilot area(s).
- Break-in or run-in of new engines must be done in a pilot area not in use.
- When returning to the pit area after a flight, no pilot shall taxi beyond the ready area (see map).
- Spectators must remain in spectator area (see map).
- Under no condition shall a transmitter be turned on before a check of the frequency board has been made or a physical check has been made with all other flyers on the same frequency.
- A muffler is required on all engines, 19 and over, after break-in.
- A student pilot must be assisted by an instructor until successfully completing 2 solo flights.
- A dead stick approach has priority over all other aircraft.
- A downed aircraft is to be retrieved only after notifying all other pilots still in the air and receiving their permission.
- Flying is not permitted in the following areas:
 - over pit area
 - over residential areas
 - over Swanson Road
 - over shelter, picnic, or recreation areas of the preserve.
- No rockets or remote controlled/engine powered models or toys on flying field other than model aircraft.
- All flyers are subject to provisions of the Forest Preserves of Winnebago County General Use Regulations.
- A violation of any of the above rules shall result in the revocation of flying privileges and/or fines under provisions of the General Use Ordinance.
- Non refundable.

FEES	Res.	Non-Res.
Yearly photo ID pass	\$30	\$40
Daily 1-day pass	\$ 7	\$ 9
Daily 2-day pass	\$10	\$13
Daily 3-day pass	\$12	\$16

SAFETY FIRST

We are proud to say that our preserves are safe environments. We need you to help us keep them that way. Please be alert, observant and caring while visiting the preserves. **Have a cell phone with you. Please make a note of where you enter the forest preserve.**

All visitors are subject to provisions of the Forest Preserves of Winnebago County "General Use Regulations." Violation of any of these regulations may result in the revocation of privileges of the responsible individual.

The Forest Preserves of Winnebago County is committed to enabling all to enjoy forest preserves and invites people of all abilities to discover the benefits of recreation at our sites, facilities, and programs. If you need special accommodations in order to access a preserve or facility, please contact the ADA coordinator by calling FPWC Headquarters 815/877-6100.

If you observe anything suspicious, be specific and **write down** vehicle descriptions, license plates and description of suspicious individuals. Note the time, date, and specific locations of any activity. If any suspicious activity is noticed, please contact the following:



IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Emergency **911**

Forest Preserve Patrol
Information & Administration **815-877-6100**

24-Hour Winnebago County
Sheriff's Dept. Non-emergency **815-282-2600**

Crime Stoppers* **815-963-7867**

Target Illinois Poachers* **1-800-236-7529**

*Agencies may protect the anonymity of the complainant.

Flying Field



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Our Mission: The Forest Preserves of Winnebago County is dedicated to protecting, conserving, enhancing, and promoting Winnebago County's natural heritage for the environmental, educational, and recreational benefits of present and future generations.