

Can I play Pétanque in Greenhead Park?

1. Any individual or group can use the terrain at any time when the park is open for social play when it is not reserved for a HPC session. It's a public park. You'll need your own boules.
2. The clubhouse is closed outside club sessions.
3. Current club sessions are Sunday, Tuesday & Thursday 1300 to 1700. There are some days when a longer session operates and some extra days. See our playing calendar.
4. Groups who want to have a closed session for their members where they borrow boules, receive coaching/umpiring from club members and have a competition organised for them will have to buy a day membership at a rate of £3-50 per person for a day or part of a day. This will include access to clubhouse facilities.
5. A deposit of £20 will secure any group booking. The balance is payable on the day.
6. If the event cannot proceed due to inclement weather the deposit will be retained and an alternative date agreed.
7. There are no toilet facilities in the clubhouse.
8. Public toilets are available near the café and also in the pub.
9. The terrain can hold up to 60 players playing in pairs on 15 lanes.

Typical Pétanque day/afternoon/evening session

- Arrival, housekeeping, introduction to the game -10 minutes
- Rules explained and practice on terrain with club members - 30 minutes
- Types of shot, advice on tactics, game management - 30 minutes
- Coffee break - 20 minutes
- 2 or 3 round competition with club members umpiring - between 1 & 2 hours
- Photo opportunity, Debrief, Presentation of prizes and close
- Can be modified to suit your requirements but a minimum of 3 hours is recommended.

Contact huddersfieldpetanque@outlook.com or Chair 07977772971 to discuss your pétanque session.

- Attendees will need sensible shoes and a waterproof and/or fleece just in case.
- We have 30 sets of boules to lend.
- Wheelchair access is available.
- Tables and chairs are available for 24 people.
- Groups can provide their own catering if they wish.

See more at our website. www.huddersfieldpetanque.com

1. Applications from individuals or groups to organise commercial events where entry fees are charged and prizes awarded should ask Kirklees Council Parks for permission. This process may take up to 6 weeks and involves risk assessment, PLI and buying a licence.
2. The clubhouse is available for hire alongside an organised event. There will be a charge as a club officer will have to attend. This will give access to tea & coffee making facilities, power and shelter. Contact club for more information.