

CITY OF CARDIFF

BYELAWS made by the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Cardiff under section 164 of the Public Health Act, 1875, with respect to the pleasure grounds named in Part I of the Schedule to these byelaws and under sections 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act, 1906, with respect to the open spaces named in Part II of the said Schedule.

1. Throughout these byelaws the expression "the Council" means the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Cardiff and the expression "the pleasure ground" means, except where inconsistent with the context, each of the pleasure grounds and open spaces named in the Schedule to these byelaws.

2. An act necessary to the proper execution of his duty in the pleasure ground by an officer of the Council or by any constable or by any person or servant of any person employed by the Council shall not be deemed an offence against these byelaws.

3. A person shall not in the pleasure ground

- (i) carelessly or negligently deface, injure, or destroy any wall or fence in or enclosing the pleasure ground, or any building, barrier, railing, post, or seat, or any erection or ornament;
- (ii) wilfully, carelessly, or negligently soil or defile any wall or fence in or enclosing the pleasure ground, or any building, barrier, railing, post or seat, or any erection or ornament;
- (iii) climb any wall or fence in or enclosing the pleasure ground, or any tree, or any barrier, railing, post, or other erection;
- (iv) wilfully, carelessly, or negligently remove or displace any barrier, railing, post or seat, or any part of any erection or ornament, or any implement provided for use in the laying out or maintenance of the pleasure ground.

4. A person shall not preach, lecture or hold or take part in any meeting, demonstration, religious service or religious discussion in the pleasure ground provided that this byelaw shall not apply to Cathays Park, Trelai Park, Ely Recreation Grounds, Grange Gardens, Hailey Park, Llandaff Court Gardens, Llandaff Fields, The Marl, Roath Park Recreation Ground and Seven-oaks Park.

5. A person shall not in the pleasure ground to the annoyance or obstruction of any person using the pleasure ground offer or distribute any handbill, circular or similar article for the purpose of selling or advertising any article or of obtaining custom.

6. A person shall not bring or cause to be brought into the pleasure ground any cattle, sheep, goats, or pigs, or any beast of draught or burden, unless, in pursuance of an agreement with the Council, or otherwise in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege, he is authorized to do so.

7. (i) A person shall not except in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege bring or cause to be brought into the pleasure ground any barrow, truck, machine or vehicle other than—

(a) a wheeled bicycle, tricycle or other similar machine;

(b) a wheel-chair, perambulator or chaise drawn or propelled by hand and used solely for the conveyance of a child or children or an invalid.

Provided that where the Council set apart a space in the pleasure ground for the use of any class of vehicle, this byelaw shall not be deemed to prohibit the driving in or to that space by a direct route from the entrance to the pleasure ground of any vehicle of the class for which it is set apart.

(ii) A person shall not except in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege ride any bicycle, tricycle or other similar machine in any part of the pleasure ground.

8. A person who brings a vehicle into the pleasure ground shall not wheel or station it over or upon

(i) any flower bed, shrub, or plant, or any ground in course of preparation as a flower bed, or for the growth of any tree, shrub, or plant;

(ii) any part of the pleasure ground where the Council by a notice board affixed or set up in some conspicuous position in the pleasure ground prohibit its being wheeled or stationed.

9. A person shall not affix any bill, placard, or notice, to or upon any wall or fence in or enclosing the pleasure ground, or to or upon any tree, or plant, or to or upon any part of any building, barrier, or railing, or of any seat, or of any other erection or ornament in the pleasure ground.

10. A person shall not in the pleasure ground walk, run, stand, sit, or lie upon

(i) any grass, turf, or other place where adequate notice to keep off such grass, turf, or other place shall be placed;

Provided that such notice shall not apply to more than one-sixth of the area of the pleasure ground;

(ii) any flower bed, shrub, or plant, or any ground in course of preparation as a flower bed, or for the growth of any tree, shrub, or plant.

11. A person shall not in the pleasure ground

(i) remove, cut, or displace any soil, turf, or plant;

(ii) pluck any bud, blossom, flower, or leaf of any tree, shrub, or plant.

12. A person shall not except in case of emergency embark or land from any boat in any lake in the pleasure ground at any place other than the landing stage provided by the Council.

13. A person shall not in the pleasure ground

(i) bathe, wade, or wash, in any ornamental lake, pond, stream, or other water except in any such lake, pond, stream or other water which may be set apart by the Council and indicated by means of a notice as available for bathing, wading or washing;

(ii) wilfully, carelessly, or negligently foul or pollute any such water;

(iii) take, injure, or destroy, or attempt to take injure or destroy any fish in any such water unless in pursuance of an agreement with the Council he is authorized to do so; or

(iv) wilfully disturb or worry any water fowl.

14. A person shall not cause or suffer any dog belonging to him or in his charge to enter or remain in the pleasure ground, unless such dog be and continue to be under proper control, and be effectually restrained from causing annoyance to any person, and from worrying or disturbing any animal or waterfowl, and from entering any ornamental water.

15. Where the Council set apart any such part of the pleasure ground as may be fixed by the Council, and described in a notice board affixed or set up in some conspicuous position in the pleasure ground, for the purpose of any game specified in the notice board, which, by reason of the rules or manner of playing, or for the prevention of damage, danger, or discomfort to any person in the pleasure ground may necessitate, at any time during the continuance of the game, the exclusive use by the player or players of any space in such part of the pleasure ground—a person shall not in any space elsewhere in the pleasure ground play or take part in any game so specified in such a manner as to exclude persons not playing or taking part in the game from the use of such a space.

16. A person resorting to the pleasure ground and playing or taking part in any game for which the exclusive use of any space in the pleasure ground has been set apart shall

(i) not play on the space any game other than the game for which it is set apart;

(ii) in preparing for playing and in playing, use reasonable care to prevent undue interference with the proper use of the pleasure ground by other persons;

(iii) when the space is already occupied by other players not begin to play thereon without their permission;

(iv) where the exclusive use of the space has been granted by the Council for the playing of a match, not play on that space later than a quarter of an hour before the time fixed for the beginning of the match unless he is taking part therein;

(v) except where the exclusive use of the space has been granted by the Council for the playing of a match in which he is taking part, not use the space for a longer time than two hours continuously, if any other player or players make known to him a wish to use the space.

17. A person shall not in the pleasure ground

(i) except as hereinafter provided erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building, or other structure;

Provided that this prohibition shall not apply where upon an application to the Council they grant permission to erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building, or other structure, upon such occasion and for such purpose as are specified in the application;

(ii) beat, shake, sweep, brush, or cleanse any carpet, drugget, rug, or mat or any other fabric retaining dust or dirt;

(iii) hang, spread, or deposit any linen or other fabric for drying or bleaching;

(iv) sell, or offer or expose for sale, or let to hire, or offer or expose for letting to hire, any commodity or article, unless, in pursuance of an agreement with the Council, or otherwise in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege, he is authorized to sell or let to hire in the pleasure ground such commodity or article.

18. A person shall not in the pleasure ground wilfully obstruct, disturb, interrupt, or annoy any other person in the proper use of the pleasure ground, or wilfully obstruct, disturb, or interrupt any officer of the Council in the proper execution of his duty, or any person or servant of any person employed by the Council in the proper execution of any work in connexion with the laying out or maintenance of the pleasure ground.

19. Every person who shall offend against any of these byelaws shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding two pounds.

20. Every person who shall infringe any byelaw for the regulation of the pleasure ground may be removed therefrom by any officer of the Council, or by any constable, in any one of the several cases hereinafter specified: that is to say—

(i) Where the infraction of the byelaw is committed within the view of such officer or constable, and the name and residence of the person infringing the byelaw are unknown to and cannot be readily ascertained by such officer or constable:

(ii) Where the infraction of the byelaw is committed within the view of such officer or constable, and, from the nature of such infraction, or from any other fact of which such officer or constable may have knowledge, or of which he may be credibly informed, there may be reason-

able ground for belief that the continuance in the pleasure ground of the person infringing the byelaw may result in another infraction of a byelaw, or that the removal of such person from the pleasure ground is otherwise necessary as a security for the proper use and regulation thereof.

REPEAL OF BYELAWS

21. The byelaws relating to pleasure grounds and open spaces which were made by the Council on the ninth day of February, 1948, and were confirmed by the Secretary of State on the seventh day of April, 1948, and the byelaws with respect to pleasure grounds and open spaces made by the Council on the twelfth day of November, 1951, and confirmed by the Secretary of State on the fourteenth day of January, 1952, are hereby repealed.

SCHEDULE

Part I—Pleasure Grounds with respect to which byelaws are made under section 164 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

Adamsdown Square Gardens	Leckwith Woods
Roath Brook Gardens	Llandaff Fields
(Sandringham Gardens)	Llandaff Village Green
Bute Park	Llandenis Gardens
Clare Gardens	Llanishen Reservoir Lands
Cyncoed Gardens	Llwynfedw Gardens
Dispenser Gardens	Loudoun Square Gardens
Fforest Ganol	Mardy Gardens
Gabalfa Open Space	The Marl
Gelligaer Gardens	Maitland Gardens
Grange Gardens	Merches Gardens
Hailey Park	Roath Mill Gardens
Hill-Snook Recreation Ground	Moorland Gardens
Howard Gardens	Newminster Open Space
Jellicoe Gardens	Parc Cefn On
Katherine Gardens	Pengam Recreation Ground
Pentre Gardens	Senghenydd Gardens
Plasturton Gardens	Sevenoaks Park
Plymouth Great Wood	Splott Park
Rhigos Gardens	Syr David's Field
Roath Botanical Gardens	Waterloo Gardens
Roath Park Lake	Waungron Open Space
Roath Park Pleasure Gardens	The Wenallt
Roath Park Recreation Ground	Windsor Esplanade Gardens
Roath Park Wild Gardens	

Part II—Open Spaces with respect to which byelaws
are made under sections 12 and 15 of the
Open Spaces Act, 1906.

Caer Castell Open Space
Canton Common
Cathays Park
Charlotte Square
Ely Bowling Green
Ely Quarry Park

Ely Recreation Grounds
Fairwater Recreation Ground
Fairwater Park

Rumney Hill Gardens
Victoria Park
Gabalfa River Reservation
Greenway Road Recreation Ground
Kitchener Gardens
Llandaff Court Gardens
(Insole Estate)
Llanishen Recreation Ground
Mynachdy Children's Playground
North Crystals Open Space
Robinson Square Gardens
Splott Housing Open Space
Trelai Park

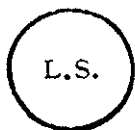
In testimony whereof the Common
Seal of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and
Citizens of the City of Cardiff was
hereunto affixed on the 7th day of
August, 1964, in the presence of:—
of:—



W. J. HARTLAND,
Lord Mayor.

W. P. DOCKRAY,
Assistant Town Clerk.

The Secretary of state this day confirmed the
fore-going byelaws and fixed the date on which they
are to come into operation as the first day of De-
cember, 1964.



R. J. GUPPY,
An Assistant Under Secretary of State

Home Office,
Whitehall.

2nd November, 1964.

I, Sydney Tapper-Jones, Town Clerk of the City of Cardiff, HEREBY CERTIFY

that:-

- (a) the within-written Byelaws were made by the Lord Mayor Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Cardiff, acting by the Council;
- (b) the within-written copy is a true copy of the said Byelaws;
- (c) the said Byelaws were confirmed by the Secretary of State on the 2nd day of November, 1964; and
- (d) the 1st day of December 1964, was fixed by the confirming authority for the coming into operation of the Byelaws.

DATEDday of.....19.....

City Hall,
Cardiff

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Town Clerk