PRESIDIO
Main Post
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With sweeping views of the Golden Gate Bridge and San Francisco Bay, the Main Post Lawns are the perfect location for your special outdoor event. These lawns are great options for picnics, celebrations, gatherings and more.

**MAIN PARADE LAWN**
- Up to 8000 people, entire lawn and up to 3000 people, individual lawns
- 185,000 sq ft
- $25,000 entire lawn per day
- $7,000 individual lawns per day
  (Set up and breakdown days $12,500 and $3,500 respectively)
- Good for corporate gatherings and events, celebrations, and picnics

**CIVIL WAR PARADE GROUND**
- Up to 3000 people
- 60,000 sq ft
- $4,000 per day
  ($2,000 Set up and breakdown days)
- Good for corporate gatherings and events, school events, celebrations, and picnics

**GRAHAM STREET LAWN**
- Up to 150 people
- 21,000 sq ft
- $500 per day
  ($250 Set up and breakdown days)
- Small events and gatherings, birthday parties, private parties, and school events
GENERAL GUIDELINES

**Alcohol:** All permitted events that will serve, provide, or sell alcohol are required to use a company with full-service commercial liquor liability insurance. No self-serve alcohol.

**Amplified Sound:** Music and amplified sound are allowed between the hours of 8am and 8pm (10pm if inside a four-walled tent). Amplified sound, live or recorded, must be maintained at levels that do not disturb other people or wildlife.

**Availability:** March 15 to November 15; excluding some federal holidays. Reservations can be made up to one year in advance.

**Catering:** All permitted events that will serve or provide food are required to use a professional caterer. Caterers must provide commercial liability insurance.

**Clean-up:** Permittee is responsible for removal of all trash. Events larger than 300 people must hire an approved waste removal company. Events must comply with the Presidio Trust’s Requirements for Sustainable Events.

**Fees and Payments:** Lawn fees are due upon signing a Special Use Permit. Remaining fees are due 60 days prior to the event date. Lawn fees are nonrefundable. Refundable security deposits starting at $500.00 are required for all events. Additional fees may apply, such as tenting, staffing, equipment, fire code and food truck permits. All fees must be paid in advance of the event.

**Fencing:** Allowed with restrictions and prior approval. Tall privacy fencing not allowed on the Main Parade or Graham Street Lawns.

**Food Trucks:** Food trucks and/or carts are allowed. Food truck owners must provide commercial liability insurance along with other certificates. Additional fees apply for food truck permits.

**Hours:** Lawn rental rates include 10 hours of contracted time inclusive of set-up and breakdown that can be scheduled between 7am-10pm. Additional hours can be purchased. All events must end by 10pm and breakdown may not go past midnight. Additional staffing fees will apply for certain events based on size and scale and/or events that start before 7am and/or go past 6pm.

**Insurance Requirements:** All events will be required to provide no less than One Million Dollars ($1,000,000) Per Occurrence Certificate of Insurance naming the Presidio Trust as additionally insured. Insurance policies may be purchased through the Presidio Trust’s designated insurance company.

**Parking:** Limited onsite paid parking available. Parking fees vary by day. Events over 300 people require a transportation plan. We strongly encourage public transit, ridesharing and the free Presidio Go shuttle.

**Power Outlets:** No power outlets available.

**Rental Equipment or Furniture:** Allowed but must be pre-approved by the Presidio Trust.

**Restrooms:**
- **Main Parade Lawn:** Portable restroom rental required.
- **Civil War Parade Ground:** Portable restroom rental required.
- **Graham Street Lawn:** Groups over 100, portable restroom rental required.

**Tenting:** Allowed with an approved tenting permit from the Presidio Trust Fire Marshal. Tenting size is limited on the Main Parade Lawn due to vehicle restrictions. Additional fees apply.

For more information about outdoor permitted events in the Presidio, please visit our FAQs page: presidio.gov/presidio-trust/permits/outdoor-events-faqs. Events that are less than 50 people, that do not have catering or major equipment, are welcome to use the park’s open spaces non exclusively, unless the space has been reserved.