

Dewey Park Camping Rules and Regulations

Please observe the following local camping rules in order for all campers to enjoy their stay at Dewey Park. To contact emergency services, please call 911 or 046-407-2911 when using a cellphone.

Rules and regulations are in concurrence with current Health Protection Control Level and General Order #1 and are subject to change.

Reservation Policies and Procedures:

- Contact Camp Zama Outdoor Recreation at 263-4671 or email zamaodr@gmail.com (please give us 1-3 days to respond via email)
- Please allow up to 24 hours for confirmation and site assignment
- Please note that each campsite is designated for a maximum of 4 family members. Families with more than 4 members should request an additional campsite.
- Camping at Dewey Park is currently a no-fee program

Site Access and Services:

- Restrooms are located across from the Dewey Park playground, see figure 1.1
- Fishing is permitted at Dewey Pond at no cost to visitors
- Cleaning of fish is prohibited inside the rest rooms or Dewey Park Playgrounds. Fish cleaning is permitted at BBQ sites. Keep site clean and discard waste at trash collection point located at Dewey Park parking lot
- Charcoal disposal located at 1A-1C BBQ pavilions, see figure 1.1
- Fire pit currently unavailable until further notice
- Prohibited areas include the following: Dewey Pond dock, inside the pond fence area, golf course fencing, and forested area. Please look at figure 2.3, under Wildlife/Foraging Rules and Regulations
- Tap water location: 1A-1C BBQ pavilions, bathrooms, and entrance to the campsite (see figure 1.1). Please bring your own drinking water
- No supplies inside the restrooms, please bring your own supplies, e.g. soap, toilet rolls, hand towels, hand sanitizers, etc.
- Camping is CLOSED on Tuesday and Wednesday for maintenance



Figure 1.1

General rules and regulations:

- Reservation only, no drop-in camping allowed. Please see Reservation Procedures
- Social distancing requirements remain in place, for more info, please read General Order #1
- Tent camping only, no other types of camping are permitted, e.g. RV/Van camping
- No open flames. For the BBQ pavilions, please contact Outdoor Recreation to make a reservation.
- Bring any trash back with you or utilize the trash collection point (burnable only) located at the Dewey Park parking lot
- No swimming at Dewey Pond
- No alcoholic beverages allowed at Dewey Park
- No pets allowed
- Quiet hours observed after 2100 weekdays and 2200 weekends
- Please clean up before vacating premises
- Ensure you don't leave any belongings behind. MWR Outdoor Recreation is not responsible for any lost or stolen property

Environmental Threatened and Endangered Species Concerns

Areas surrounding Dewey Park is habitat for threatened and endangered plants and wildlife. As a community, it is our responsibility to ensure we mitigate any disturbance towards these endangered plants and wildlife. In particular, one of the endangered species called the Goshawk, uses the surrounding areas for breeding and reproducing. Endangered wildlife and plants are governed and protected under the Japan Environmental Governing Standards (JEGS), the Department of Defense Integrated Natural Resources Management Plans (INRMP), and local environmental and plant and wildlife policies and management. Areas are marked in Figure 2.1 and 2.2 are where certain plants are known to grow.

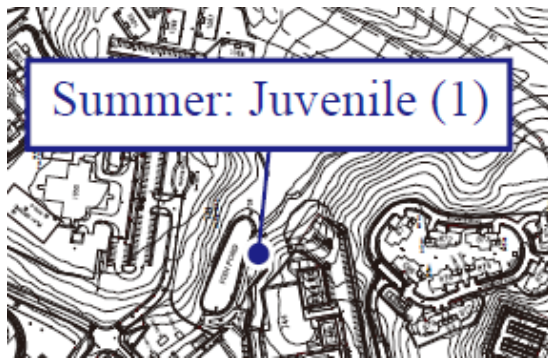


Figure 2.1

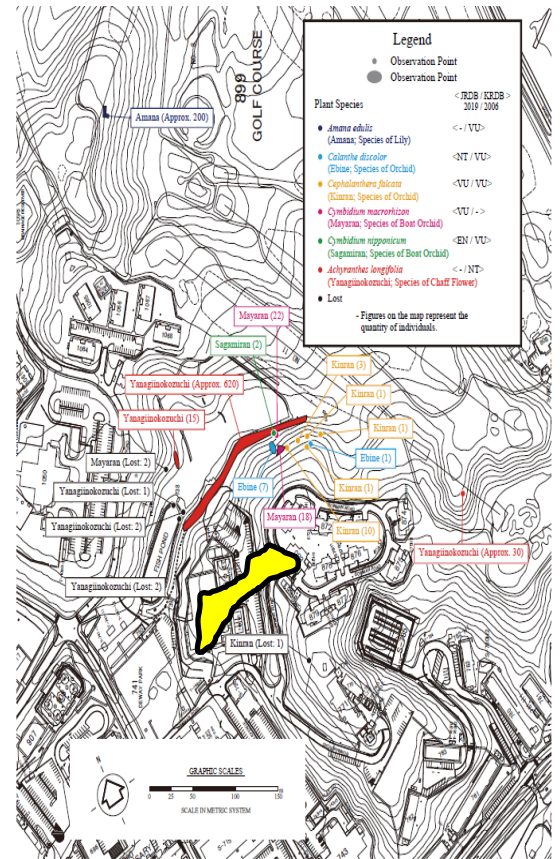


Figure 2.2

Wildlife/Foraging Rules and Regulations

- No foraging of any kind authorized around camp areas
- Stay away from wildlife
- Do not feed wildlife and fish

There are certain forested areas, highlighted in red, where campers and visitors are prohibited from entering, please see Figure 2.3.



Figure 2.3