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80-Yard outdoor recreation field suitable for youth soccer, flag football, or creative play

(Includes up to 50 attendees)

🎈 Your 2-Hour Party Includes:

- Exclusive use of the Recreation Field:
  - Sports related equipment
  - Access to the playground
- Access for set-up and clean-up:
  - 30 minutes before and 30 minutes after your reservation
- A dedicated Party Host to:
  - Ensure your room is ready
  - Greet guests and collect waivers
- Equipment & Amenities:
  - 2 Pop-Up Tents
  - 6 Picnic Tables with Built-in Benches
  - 2 Food Service Tables
  - Bluetooth Speaker

👫 Guest Size

- **Capacity:** 50 total attendees
- If you exceed 50 attendees without pre-purchasing a larger party option, a fee will be collected at the end of your event.
- Please provide an estimate of how many **children and adults** will attend.

➕ Add-Ons

Amenities

- Climbing Tower Access: $150 Fee for 2 hours
- Bounce House 15x15': $135 Fee
- Activity Leader to facilitate games and activities for a 2 hour period: $100 Fee
- All amenities listed above must be reserved **one week prior** (by Thursday)

Extra Guests

- 50–60 attendees: Purchase a $30 Spillover Fee
    - The $30 spillover fee can be purchased ahead of time or on the day of your event with the host. If there are between 51-60 people at your event and the spillover fee has not been purchased yet, the host will approach the party parent at the end of the event to collect the $30 payment.
- 60–70 attendees: Purchase a $50 Mid-Tier Spillover Fee
    - The $50 spillover fee can be purchased ahead of time or on the day of your event with the host.
    - If there are between 61-70 people at your event and the $50 mid-tier spillover fee has not been purchased yet, the host will approach the party parent at the end of the event to collect the $50 payment.
- Up to 100 attendees: Purchase a $135 large party fee
    - Includes 25 extra socks, 4 additional tables, and 20 chairs
    - Must be purchased one week prior (by Thursday)
    - If you have over 70 attendees, and the $135 large party fee was not purchased before your event, the host will approach you at the end of the event to collect a $150 payment.

Extra Time

- Add 30 minutes for $60 or 1 hour for $120
- Must be reserved **one week prior** (by Thursday)
- Saturday parties cannot start before 2pm
- Extra time is not guaranteed prior to purchase and depends upon the availability of the recreation field.

Onsite Food Preparation / Food Truck

- A $85 fee must be paid if you plan on having food prepared on site.
- Licensed caterers/restaurants only
- Health permit required before the event weekend

Entertainment

- Face-painters, balloon artists, performers, and similar entertainers are welcome (no extra fee).
- Provide a copy of their business license before the event weekend.

🧑‍🤝‍🧑 Staffing & Safety

All staff are background-checked, trained in child abuse prevention, and mandated reporters.

- A signed waiver is required for **all children** (completed at check-in).
- Parents must supervise their children at all times — the host assists but cannot monitor every activity simultaneously.

- Party Hosts are not permitted to accept tips. In lieu of a tip, please consider donating on the Salvation Army Kroc Center San Diego website: Donate to San Diego Kroc Center - General Donations.

📞 Day-of Contact

If you need assistance during your event, please call Gym Guest Services: (619) 269-1472.

⏰ Access Times

- Entry for setup: 30 minutes before your reservation
- Clean-up: 30 minutes after your event
- Please respect the start and end times so our hosts can prepare for the next group.

🍕 Food Guidelines

- Only store-bought or restaurant-prepared food is permitted (no homemade items).
- No refrigeration available – bring a cooler if needed.
- Adults handling food must wear gloves (provided).
- No gas-powered chafing dishes or open flames.
- No alcohol or smoking anywhere on Kroc Center property.

🐶 Service Animal Policy

- Only service animals trained to perform tasks for a person with a disability are permitted.
- Pets and comfort animals are not allowed.

📍 Directions

San Diego Kroc Center Recreation Field
6753 University Ave, San Diego, CA 92115
A utility cart is available for bringing in items

❌ Cancellation Policy

Please visit our FAQ page for cancellation and date transfer details:

👉 Kroc Center Policies

📧 Contact

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