

PICNIC/BBQ AREAS Bring your own blanket for beach or lawn picnicking or select a picnic table with a BBQ pit. Picnic areas are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Reservable picnic sites are available for groups. Reserve by calling (510) 636-1684 (Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.). All picnic sites are wheelchair accessible.

STROLLING/BIKING There are just under three miles of pathways that are available for pedestrians and bicyclists to explore the shoreline and inland areas of the park. These pathways are extensions of the regional San Francisco Bay Trail, and connect directly to the adjacent Port View Park and the West Oakland neighborhood.

VIEWS OF THE BAY Views of the bay that have not been available to the public for the past 100 years are now abundant throughout the park. Visitors may use the free viewing binoculars at Pt. Arnold and in the observation tower.

BEACH Enjoy Oakland's first and only beach! Frolic on the sand, make sandcastles, play volleyball, and sunbathe.

AMPHITHEATER See live entertainment in an amphitheater that overlooks San Francisco Bay from the beach. The amphitheater may be reserved for private functions.

FISHING Cast out a line at Pt. Arnold for great fishing opportunities. A California State fishing license is required to fish at Middle Harbor Shoreline Park, with the exception of fishing from the pier at the end of Port View Park, where no California State fishing license is required.

EDUCATIONAL VIEWING TOWER Explore the tower with fantastic views of the Oakland Estuary and the Port's shipping activities.

INTERPRETIVE SIGNAGE PROGRAM Take a moment to read the interpretive signs throughout the park for an interesting insight into the history of the site, the environmental resources here and the adjacent maritime activities.

PORT VIEW PARK Port View Park offers an extraordinary educational opportunity in the form of the "Room with a View" exhibit on the second floor of the rail switching tower. This exhibit is open 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays.

PARKLAND RULES

PARK HOURS: dawn to dusk. Curfew is from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m.
MOTOR VEHICLES are restricted to designated parking areas and paved public roads.

BICYCLES may be ridden on designated bicycle trails, and on fire or service roads, unless otherwise posted. State law requires that all bicyclists under age 18 wear an approved helmet while riding on trails and roadways. Riders should call out or sound a warning when overtaking other trail users.

DOGS are not allowed at Middle Harbor Shoreline Park.
ALCOHOL BEVERAGES are not allowed without a permit obtained through the East Bay Regional Park District Reservations Department.

FISHING Persons 16 years of age and older are required to have a State Fishing License, except when fishing from the pier at the end of Port View Park.

SWIMMING AND WADING is allowed only within the designated areas marked by signs.

ASSEMBLIES, PERFORMANCES, SPECIAL EVENTS or similar gatherings require a permit from the East Bay Regional Park District.

PARK VISITORS are responsible for knowing and following park rules.

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PARK INFORMATION.....(510) 272-4810
PICNIC RESERVATIONS.....(510) 636-1684
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