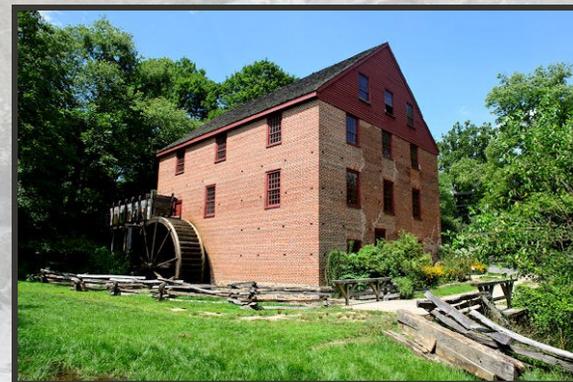
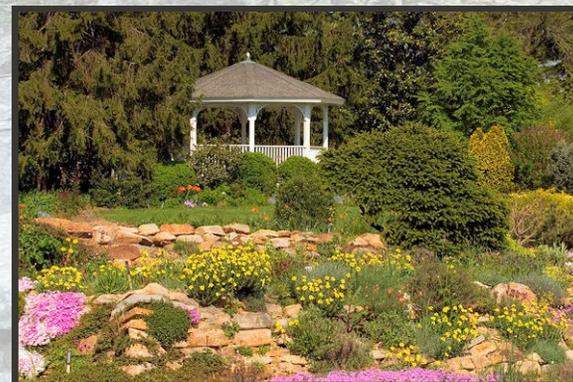


Portrait and Professional Photography in Fairfax County Parks

All professional photographers conducting business on Fairfax County Park Authority (FCPA) property or in FCPA facilities must obtain a photography permit in advance.



Fairfax County Park Authority Public Information Office

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If ADA accommodations and/or alternative formats are needed, please call inclusion and ADA support at (703) 324-8563 at least 10 working days in advance of the event. TTY (703) 803-3354.

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Fairfax County parks offer scenic locations for portrait and professional photography just right for engagements, weddings, anniversaries, senior portraits, and family keepsakes.

Choose from a rich variety of landscapes and architectural backdrops to set the mood for your photographs. There are lakefronts, gardens, farm and historic venues that span the centuries from colonial to modern.

All professional photographers are required to obtain a professional photography permit. With the permit you will have a scheduled use of the park area, avoiding conflicts with other groups and events.

How to Apply

Complete the online Photography Permit Application available at: www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/press/photography-permit.htm. Submit the completed application by email or by fax.

For permits at Green Spring Gardens, please download the Green Spring Gardens photography guidelines at: www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/press/photography-permit.htm, and then sign and submit with your photography permit application. Additional guidelines for other park sites may apply and will be coordinated by the Public Information Office.

Your request will be reviewed for approval and you will be notified. Please bring your confirmation email with you to your photo session.

Photography permit fees have been waived until July 1, 2015. A new fee schedule and online permitting process is in development.

Permits are issued by the Public Information Office. Please allow up to five business days to process the application and fees. Most permits are provided in two to three business days.

For permit forms and guidelines, visit:
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Or contact the Public Information Office at Parkmail@fairfaxcounty.gov or by phone at **703-324-8702 or 703-324-8662**

Other park use permits for shelters, business activity licenses, and more may be obtained at www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/wp-parkusepermit.htm

