Lock Haven University Policy

Skateboards, Scooters, Roller Skates, and Roller Blades

A. Purpose

This policy defines the prohibitions and appropriate use or areas of activity where the titled activity can be performed.

B. Applicability and Scope

This policy/procedure applies to all personnel, students or other visitors. The policy/procedures are to be enforced on all property owned, leased or under the control of the university.

C. Definitions

SKATEBOARDING-SCOOTERS, ROLLER SKATING-ROLLER BLADING- The movement of an individual by equipment commonly identified or known as those items listed above.

SAFETY REGULATIONS- Those rules and policies are to ensure the conformance to campus regulations and specific University concerns.

MULTIPURPOSE FACILITIES- Those spaces, both indoors and outdoors used for various activities, classes, demonstrators, concerts, movies, etc.

RESPONSIBLE PARTIES- Those individuals or advisors who indicate by signatures that they will be in charge and assume the responsibility of ensuring adherence to this policy are held responsible.

PROPERTY DAMAGE-The intentional or accidental damage to any property owned, leased or under the control of the university through the act of skateboarding, roller-blading or roller skating.

D. Policy

To minimize the risk and personal injury and property damage upon the campus of Lock Haven University:

1. All skateboards, scooters, roller skates and roller blades are prohibited within all buildings upon the campus of Lock Haven University.
2. Skateboards, scooters, roller skates and roller blades are not permitted anywhere on campus or at any times unless approved by the Office of Public Safety as part of a scheduled program or demonstration registered through an appropriate administration office.
E. Procedure

1. Any University personnel observing a violation of this policy should immediately contact the Public Safety Office. In the event that property damage has occurred, public safety will investigate the incident. Officers shall identify the parties responsible for the property damage and if necessary, file the appropriate legal charges for such damage. Officers shall confiscate all skateboards, scooters, roller skates and/or roller blades found on the Lock Haven University owned property. Property must be claimed at the Public Safety Office in the Glennon Infirmary building and removed from campus.

2. The Offices of Student Life and Housing, Public Safety, and University External Relations and Communications shall communicate this policy annually to residents living on campus, commuting students and visitors via various communications and media outlets.

3. The Office of Facilities shall erect and maintain signs at the entrances to the University advising these activities are prohibited upon the property.

4. The Public Safety Office shall forward all reports concerning violations of this policy to the appropriate judicial official through the Student Affairs Office for review and follow-up as appropriate.

5. Responsible parties wishing to schedule a demonstration, show, or program pertaining to the titled activities must meet with the director of Public Safety to review safety regulations and suitability of the request of a multipurpose facility.

F. Effective Date

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