



Division of Parks and Recreation

Alapocas Run State Park

Rock Climbing Permit

In requesting this permit, you acknowledge that you clearly understand the inherent dangers and risks involved in the sport of climbing, including the risk of personal injuries, paralysis, and death, that you fully understand and accept these risks, and further, that you have read and understand the regulations listed on this form and agree to abide by them.

Please print a completed permit and bring it to the Wilmington State Parks Office or the Blue Ball Barn. Permits must be signed in the presence of a park employee. Permits are not valid without an authorized park employee's signature. Once signed, a park employee will give the permit holder a tag that must be attached to the climber's harness when climbing at Alapocas Run Park.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Date Issued _____ Expiration _____

Signature _____

Issued By _____

Parent's signature required for climbers under 18

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

- All park rules and regulations apply, as well as specific rules of rock climbing. Violation(s) may result in a summons, confiscation of this registration, and/or eviction from the park. Call Alapocas Run State Park for additional information at (302) 577-1164. In case of emergency, call 911. Natural Resources Police can be contacted at 844-337-2757 #4.
- Climbing and rappelling are restricted to regular park hours of 8 a.m. to sunset and to approved locations using Division approved and installed anchors.
- This permit and climbing tag must be in your possession while climbing. The tag needs to be attached to your harness.
- The Division does not certify climbers. Each person is encouraged to be in good physical condition and have all necessary equipment in good repair and receive appropriate training before attempting this activity.
- The installation, adjustment, or maintenance of any fixed hardware not specifically authorized by the Division is prohibited. Report hardware problems to the park office – (302) 577-1164.
- The rock wall may close periodically for hazards, maintenance, programs or camps. Check our website or social media pages.
- Youth under age 18 must have adult supervision.
- Groups planning to rock climb must apply for a Special Use Permit a minimum of 30 days in advance. Call (302) 577-1164 for information.