

FAQ's for Castle Rental

Q1) What are the sleeping arrangements? Are there individual rooms? How many does it sleep?

The bunk house has 16 bunks/32 beds for Scouts. There is a room divider, if needed. There are an additional 4 leader rooms with 2 bunks/4 beds each for same gender arrangements (usually women). The lower level includes a bunk house with 16 bunks/32 beds for adult men. Often, men bring a cot they use in the lower level great room.

Q2) How is the kitchen equipped?

Kitchen is equipped with two ovens, four burners, griddle, refrigerator, freezer and ice machine. There are fry pans and pots. Dishes and utensils are available and must be washed with commercial dishwasher. Instructions for dishwasher use are provided. You may consider disposable dinnerware. Garbage bags and paper products (napkins, toilet paper, paper towels are provided.

Q3) Is there a TV/DVD to do a movie night?

We have a VCR/DVD player and laptop hookup for your computer

Q4) Are we allowed to go out on the lake to ice fish? Do we bring all our own equipment?

Yes and yes

Q5) Are there snowshoes or skis available for our use? Do they cost extra?

We do have shoes and X-country skis for rent, \$5 bucks pair

Q6) What other activities are there available for us, this winter? what suggestions do you have?

We have a short sliding hill off family camp and an area plowed on the lake for rink (may need some shoveling by then)

- Lots of critters to track, hike the back 40
- Do some outdoor winter cooking demos
- Have them boil some snow for water
- Start a fire without a match (have teams see how fast they can boil water)

Q7) What time is check-in on Friday, check-out on Sunday?

Fridays after 4pm (earlier if needed) Sundays when you have cleaned up the Castle (noon) All Garbage and recyclables need to be removed. Do not leave any food items you brought.

Q8) What should we do with the balance of the \$ owed? Send it to the council?

Reservations require a security deposit in advance. Rental payment in full must be sent prior to your arrival. The security deposit will be returned within two weeks if building assuming the building is clean with no damages.

Q9) Is there a time, say maybe a Sunday afternoon after another group checks out, that we could come and take a look at the castle and the facilities?

Arrangements can be made for your group to tour any facilities you may be using. Just contact the Sartell office to schedule a time. (320-251-3930)