

1. 'Operator' for the purposes of this permit shall mean Commercial Health and Fitness Provider, company, personal trainer, instructor, applicant, owner, or other body to which the permit is issued.
2. All use must be in accordance with Campaspe Shire Public Spaces Trading Guidelines 5. Commercial Health and Fitness Providers and Campaspe Shire General Local Law No 8, 2015.
3. The granting of this permit does not imply exclusive use of any Council property and the area must remain accessible to the general public.
4. Open spaces that are excluded from access include Apex Park Echuca, Alton Reserve Echuca and Kyabram Memorial Gardens. Or any other area deemed unsuitable by Council's officers.
5. Due to maintenance activities (mowing and irrigation) access to our reserve and public open spaces is limited to 5am-7am and 3pm onwards on weekends. Time limitations to weekend access do not apply.
6. A permit will not be issued until fees are paid in full.
7. Permits must be presented to Council Officers upon request and are not transferrable.
8. The operator to which a permit has been issued shall be responsible for:
  - (a) Ensuring that the reserve and surrounds used by it shall be kept in good order and in a clean and tidy state at all times. If the reserve is not left in an adequate state, park or reserve will be cleaned by a Council contractor at the cost of the operator.
  - (b) Repair of all damage done to the park or reserve during the period of occupation, fair wear and tear excepted.
  - (c) Undertaking inspections of the park or reserve to ensure it meets appropriate standards for safe use and without delay report to Council any hazard observed during training that may require attention.
9. Commercial fitness operators must as a minimum provide current copies of the following valid documentation for the duration of the permit period;
  - (a) Certificate IV in Fitness\* or other relevant recognised qualification.
  - (b) National fitness industry registration or registration with the relevant industry peak body.
  - (c) Level 2 First Aid and current CPR.
  - (d) Certificate of currency/insurance with \$10 million in Public Liability (\$20 million preferred).
  - (e) ABN.
10. This permit shall be revocable at any time without notice in the event of any contravention of the by-laws or regulations for the care, protection and management of the park/reserve by the operator or its participants.
11. Council may cancel or restrict use at any time due to inclement weather conditions, ground conditions or other matters that may compromise safety or increase risk of damage to the park or reserve. Failure to abide to this requirement may lead to a fine, eviction or revocation of permit.
12. Vehicles are NOT permitted to be taken onto any areas unless special permission is first obtained from Council.
13. Council have a scheduled program for maintaining Parks, Reserves and Open Spaces. Any request for additional works to be undertaken outside this schedule will be at operator's cost.
14. Maximum group training size per session is 18 participants.
15. The use of equipment, tyres, treadmills, weight stacks and heavy ropes is not permitted.
16. Organised ball sports (suitable for use at designated sports grounds) are not permitted.
17. Aggressive or intimidating activities including combat/fighting or training is not permitted.
18. The display of advertising signage must be in accordance with Local Laws.
19. In the event of any dispute arising as to the interpretation of these conditions the decision of the Recreation & Open Spaces Coordinator shall be final and conclusive.
20. If an operator finds that the venue has been damaged (flooding, electrical, storm damage etc.) or an emergency arises, please use the after-hours emergency contact number (1300 666 535) to inform council staff.

*\*NOTE: where activities such as yoga and Pilates may not require Cert. IV in Fitness an alternative qualification in this field will be considered.*

If you have any queries at all in relation to these Conditions, please contact the Recreation Team on Phone (03) 54812200 or via email [shire@campaspe.vic.gov.au](mailto:shire@campaspe.vic.gov.au)