

# House Rules Nova Rock Festival

## General

Due to unpredictable weather conditions during an open-air event unexpected safety procedures (e.g. performance interruption, evacuation) might take place. Any important safety announcements will be communicated through loudspeaker and by the security personnel. Instructions given by the security personnel must be followed immediately!

In case of thunderstorms and dangerous lightning we advise all festival visitors to proceed to their cars and offer a space to others in case of need.

Any kind of gas cartridges, gas bottles or flammable liquids, as well as drones and other flying objects are strictly prohibited on the whole area (parking-; camping-; caravan- as well as the core festival area).

Since the Nova Rock festival site is located close to the Hungarian border, we would like to point out that entering and trespassing is only allowed when carrying a valid passport or identity card. When entering Hungarian national territory, Hungarian Law will be applied in regards to any violation of law.

## A. Parking Regulations

### 1. Scope

The parking regulations apply to the parking lot at the Nova Rock Festival. Access to the car park is only granted for festival visitors with a valid Nova Rock ticket and only during opening hours. By entering the parking site, the visitor unconditionally agrees to the parking regulations as well as all relevant statutory provisions and orders imposed by the public authorities.

Any instructions given by the security personnel must be followed at all times. The regulations of the StVO (Road Traffic Act) apply at the parking site.

### 2. Prohibitions

Parking space assignments must be followed. Parking a vehicle on the traffic roads between the parking lots is prohibited.

Camping, pitching a tent or setting up a night camp is strictly prohibited on the parking site.

Littering or dumping waste on the parking area is strictly prohibited.

### 3. Responsibilities

The organizer/promoter is not liable for personal injury or damage to personal property that may occur at the parking site.

The organizer/promoter is not liable for any objects left, lost, stolen and placed at the parking site.

## **B. Camping-, Caravan and Silent & Clean Caravan Regulations**

### **1. Scope**

The camping regulations apply to the campsite at the Nova Rock Festival.

The campsite and caravan camping area may be used during opening hours and only by festival visitors holding a valid Nova Rock ticket. Access to the caravan-camping area is only granted with a valid Caravan Ticket. By entering the camping and caravan area, the visitor agrees to the camping and caravan regulations as well as all relevant statutory provisions and orders imposed by the public authorities. Any instructions given by the security personnel must be followed at all times.

We do not tolerate any kind of harassment or threats towards other visitors.

By entering the camping and caravan site, the visitor agrees to security checks and searches of any kind of luggage (bags, backpacks, etc.). Visitors also agree to be subject of a possible body search, if considered necessary.

### **2. Prohibitions**

It is strictly prohibited to start a campfire or set off an open fire. The usage of gas cookers or any other gas equipment is prohibited. Visitors are only allowed to use barbecue equipment at the public BBQ area.

Additionally, following items are completely banned and must not be used or brought to the area:

- gas cartridges and fuels (petrol, Diesel, fuel oil)
- inflammable objects (e.g. unnecessary furniture)
- any kind of fireworks
- weapons or weapon-like items

It is prohibited to dig holes in the ground.

It is strictly prohibited to obstruct roads (main roads and sideways) as well as emergency exits with tents or other objects.

Driving motor vehicles or any kind of other vehicles is prohibited at the camping site. Only vehicles of emergency services, security services and the organizer/promoter are permitted.

Only one party tent (marquee) is permitted per caravan or camper. It must cover at least 50% of your sleeping tent. For health and safety reasons, sleeping inside the party tent is not allowed. Tents next to cars or vehicles are not permitted either.

Vehicles longer than 11 meters and exceeding a weight of 3,5t are not allowed at the caravan camping area.

Please consider our strict glass and bulky waste prohibition on the camping and caravan area. Beer crates, tables and benches are also prohibited.

It is strictly prohibited to damage or modify (knock over, set fire to, etc.) any kind of equipment provided by the promoter such as shower facilities, chemical toilets, etc.

It is strictly prohibited to climb structures (such as roofs, towers, containers, etc.) at the camping and caravan area.

The use of sharp or bulky items is not permitted at the camping and caravan area.

Any damages to the fence as well as climbing or knocking it over is strictly prohibited.

Visitors are not allowed to reserve or occupy camping space for other visitors who do not need a spot immediately.

The possession or use of drugs is prohibited.

It is not allowed to bring pets to the camping or caravan area.

### **2.1. Additional prohibitions for the Silent & Clean Caravan Area**

Music and power units are prohibited from 8.00 pm to 11.00 am.  
(music at a moderate volume is allowed from 11:00 am to 8 pm)

### **3. Responsibilities**

The organizer/promoter is not liable for any objects left, lost, stolen or placed at the camping or caravan area.

The organizer/promoter is only liable in cases of intent or gross negligence and cannot be held liable for any personal injury or property damage beyond his sphere of influence.

Furthermore, the organizer/promoter cannot be held liable for any personal injury or property damage related to visitors who still remain at the campsite or re-enter it after the official end of the festival or the closing of the camping area.

The campsite regulations apply as soon as the setup of the Nova Rock starts and can be changed at any time. The rules revoke when deconstruction is finished.

Any violation of the camping regulations will lead to an immediate festival ban and loss of admission to the Nova Rock. Tickets will not be refunded if ejected from the festival for any violation of our policy.

## **C Regulations Stage/Core Areas**

### **1. Scope**

These Regulations apply to the stage area (so-called core area, including the party area) at the Nova Rock Festival.

Access to the core area is only granted to festival visitors holding a valid Nova Rock ticket and only during opening hours. By entering the core area, the visitor agrees to the camping and caravan regulations as well as all relevant statutory provisions and orders imposed by the public authorities. Any instructions given by the security personnel must be followed at all times.

Any kind of harassment, threatening or abusive towards other visitors is strictly prohibited and will not be tolerated.

By entering the core area, the visitor agrees to security checks and searches of any kind of luggage (bags, backpacks, etc.). Visitors also agree to be subject of a possible body search, if considered necessary.

The visitor consents to being filmed and photographed at any time during his presence at the festival or camping area. The visitor also gives permission to the unpaid use of this material and that it can be used and transmitted through any kind of technical means and as promotional material.

Access to the first stage wave-breaker is supervised and regulated by the security personnel at the entrances. In order to prevent overcrowding, the entrance will be closed and access will no longer be permitted after the area has reached its maximum capacity. In this case, visitors are obligated to clear the entrance area in front of the gates and follow the instructions given by the security personnel.

## **2. Prohibitions**

The following items are strictly prohibited and must not be brought to the festival area:

1. Weapons or dangerous objects, which can be used as weapons
2. Glass containers, glass bottles, cans, plastic bottles & plastic tanks and hard-shell packaging
3. Bulky objects, e.g. stools, chairs, boxes
4. Big bags, backpacks. Only bags smaller than Din A4 are allowed
5. Poles, umbrellas, torches, sticks (e.g. selfie-sticks)
6. Pyrotechnic articles, e.g. fireworks, Bengal light, etc.
7. Chain belts, studded straps and studded belts (conical studs)
8. Remotely Operated toys like cars, planes or helicopters
9. Drones or other flying objects like airballoons, fire balloons, lanterns etc.
10. Visual and audio recording devices
11. Flyers, which are not permitted by the organizer/promoter
12. Drugs
13. Pets

### **It is also prohibited to:**

1. throw any kind of objects
2. bring along food
3. stage-dive and crowd-surf
4. push at the festival site or at the entrances and exits to the stage barriers or the general entrances and exits
5. block escape routes and emergency exits
6. ignite objects (except tobacco products)
7. to urinate and defecate outside the toilets
8. damage and alter (knock over, set a fire to, etc.) any kind of equipment provided by the promoter such as shower facilities, chemical toilettes, etc.
9. climb structures (e.g. towers, roofs of containers and similar) at the camping and caravan area
10. damage the fence as well as to climb or knock it over
11. enter the stage and backstage areas

### **3. Responsibilities**

The organizer/promoter is not liable for any objects left, lost, stolen or placed at the festival area.

Attending the festival is at one's own risk. The organizer/promoter is not liable for personal injury or property damage.

The organizer/promoter cannot be held liable for any hearing or health damage caused by a high noise level.

The organizer/promoter is only liable in cases of intent or gross negligence and cannot be held liable for any personal injury or property damage beyond his sphere of influence.

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