

Field and Court Requests ("E-APPLY")

Parks

E-Apply

Field and Court Permits

New York City's parks host thousands of sporting events every year. In order to use an NYC Parks athletic field or court, organized leagues or special events must request a permit. Apply online now using our Field and Court Requests system.

Requesting a Field or Court

Before you apply, visit our Requesting a Field or Court Permit page if you have any questions about whether you need a permit and what kind of permit you need. Also, you can find out when the request period opens up for each upcoming athletic field season.

Learn more about requesting a field or court >

Apply Online Now If you have used our online system before, please log in now using your existing account. If this is your first time applying for a permit, please create a new account. If you have already created an account with our special events system, or with certain other citwide permitting systems (**), you can sign in with that account. Email Password Password Sign in to Apply Forqot Password? Don't have an account? Sign Up

Know when to go: view upcoming athletic area usage (PDF)

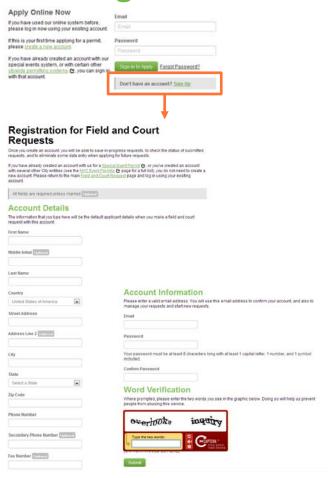
Users can access E-Apply by clicking on "Permits" in the NYC Parks website's main menu, and then clicking on "Field and Court Requests" in the dropdown menu.

The direct link to E-Apply is http://www.nycgovparks.org/permits/s/field-and-court/request



Select a park

Creating an Account



Users click on "Sign Up" button on E-Apply front page.

All fields are required except those marked Optional

Passwords must have 1 capital letter, 1 number, and 1 symbol, and be at least 8 characters long. Examples of good passwords:

- HelloHello1!
- Good5bye@
- 9after&Noon



Registration Confirmation

User Fills Out Registration Form User Gets Email Asking Them To Confirm User Clicks Link In Email User is Confirmed and Can Start Request

After submitting registration form, user will receive email asking them to confirm their account.

Users cannot log in to start making requests until they have confirmed their account.

Users who try to log-in without confirming will get the following error message:

Your account is not activated. An e-mail was sent with instructions to activate your account.

Users who receive this message should first check their Bulk/Spam folder for the confirmation email from NYC Parks.

If the user still cannot locate the Confirmation email, they should contact their local NYC Parks borough permit office for assistance.



Forgot Password



Forgot Password

Please enter your email address. We will send you an email with more information about how to update your password.

Don't remember your email address? Please call the permit office in your borough for more information. Borough permit office contact information can be found on the Athletic Field and Court Requests page.

Email		
Submit		

If a user forgets their password, they can click the "Forgot Password?" link on the login form.

The user will then be asked for their email address, and a link will be sent to them allowing them to reset their password.

Users who do not receive the email with password reset link should first check their Bulk/Spam folder.

If the user still cannot locate the password reset email, they should contact their local NYC Parks borough permit office for assistance.



Your Field and Court Requests



Your Field and Court Requests

Logged in as Tom Hughes | Your Field and Court Requests | Edit Account | Sign Out

Welcome to your Field and Court Requests homepage. From here, you can view requests that you have submitted or edit requests that you have saved in order to send them later.

Start a New Field and Court Request >

Draft Requests

Request Label	From	То	Status	Date	
Afterwork Softball			Incomplete	04/09/13	Edit

Submitted Requests

Request Name	From	То	Status	Submitted Date
Weekend Softball	05/22/13 6:30 a.m.	05/22/13 8:30 a.m.	Submitted	04/10/13

Upon logging in, users will see the Your Field and Court Requests screen, which displays existing requests made by the user, if any.

From this screen, users can:

- Start a new request
- View, edit, delete, and complete any existing **draft** requests.
- View any existing submitted requests.
- •Submit renewal requests for the prior year's approved permits from the **archived** requests section.

Additionally, from this and all of the following permit request screens, users can:

· Edit their account details

Delete

• Sign out of the system

Users are automatically signed out after 30 minutes of inactivity.



Navigation



Button Navigation

Save as Draft Save and Continue

Button Navigation (Optional Steps)

Save as Draft Save Added Contacts and Continue Skip

Button Navigation (Field Schedules)

Save as Draft Save and Add Another Field Schedule Save and Continue Delete this Field Schedule Cancel and Continue

After clicking "Start a New Field and Court Request" on the Your Field and Court Requests screen, users begin the request process.

Users are guided through the process by the **step navigation bar** at the top of the screen and the **button navigation** at the bottom.

Step Navigation

- Current step is in green
- Future step is disabled and gray
- Completed steps are links and editable

Button Navigation

- "Save as Draft" will save data entry up to the current step.
- "Save and Continue" will save data entry and move user to next step

Field Schedule specific buttons

- "Save and Add Another Field Schedule" will save current schedule entry and reload the page for additional schedule data entry.
- "Delete this Field Schedule" will delete everything entered for the current schedule.
- "Cancel and Continue" will clear the current unsaved schedule and move user to the next step.



Do You Have The Right Application?

Field and Court Request - Before You Begin

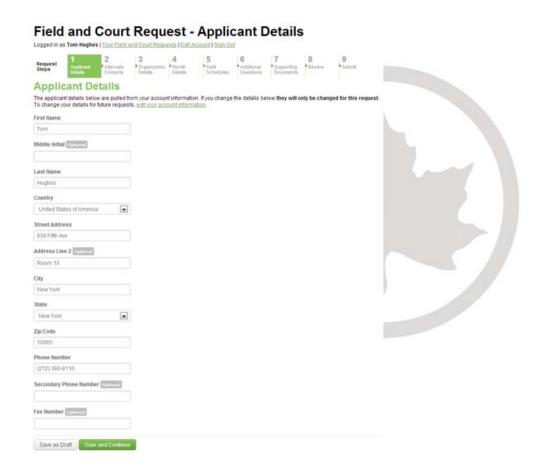
Logged in as Paresh Patel | Your Field and Court Requests | Edit Account | Pay Online | Sign Out

we can direct you to our partners if you require additional permits.
Will you be using amplified sound?
NoYes
Will there be Vendors at the event?
⊚ No
⊚ Yes
Will there be any Items or Food for sale?
⊚ No
⊚ Yes
Will this request also include a non-athletic component? (i.e. picnics, field day, etc.)
⊚ No
⊚ Yes

Before beginning a new application, users are asked to answer a series of questions to determine whether they should continue with their sports field permit request, or should instead apply for a Special Event Permit. Users who answer yes to any of these questions are given information and a link to the Special Event Permit application, and are not able to continue with the field and court request process.



Step 1: Applicant Details



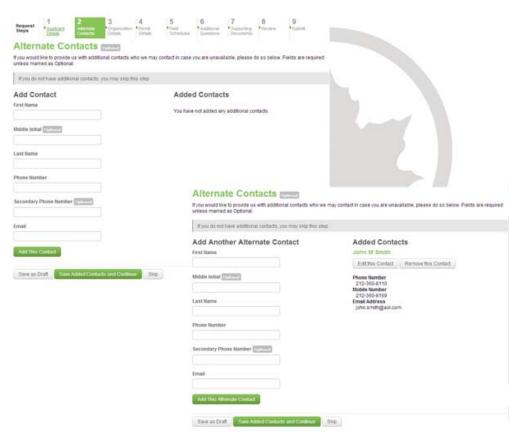
Applicant details are pre-filled using the information the user provided during account creation.

Any changes the user makes to Applicant Details are made only for this permit.

If the user wants to change details for future requests they must click the "edit your account information" link.

Editing the account information will change what is pre-filled for all future requests, but will not change any existing draft or submitted requests.

Step 2: Alternate Contacts

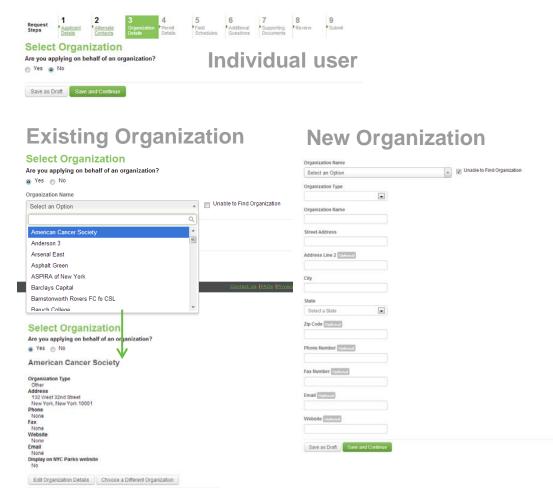


Alternate contacts are **optional**, and the user can skip this step if they do not wish to add any alternate contacts.

The user can choose to add multiple alternate contacts, the details of which appear to the right of the input form.

After adding contacts, the user can edit or remove them from the request by clicking the relevant buttons under the contact's name.

Step 3: Organization Details



Organizations and leagues should choose yes to "Are you applying on behalf of an organization?", while individuals and informal groups should choose no, and can save and continue to the next step.

Users representing an organization can find it by searching or choosing from the list. They can click the "Unable to Find Organization" checkbox if they do not see their organization. They will then enter their league information in the new organization form.

Users can also click on the "Edit Organization Details" button to change information about their organization. These edits will be approved or rejected by the NYC Parks borough permit coordinators as part of the permit approval process. Approved edits will be reflected on this and all future permits choosing this organization.

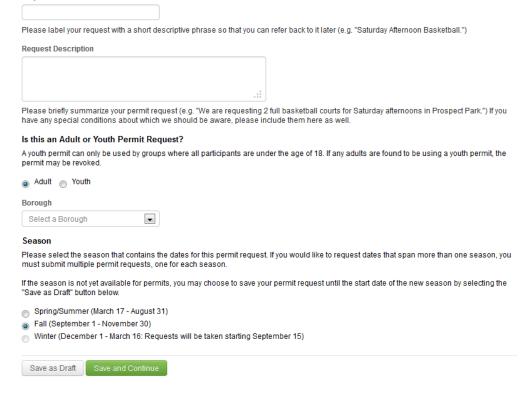


Save as Draft Save and Continue

Step 4: Permit Details

Details of Your Permit Request

Request Label



"Request Label" and "Request Description" are required fields where users should explain their request in clear language and can make any special requests or notes for NYC Parks borough permit coordinators that they may have.

Users must choose between Adult and Youth Permits, and must select a borough.

Finally, users will select a Season. The current, or current and next season may be highlighted, depending upon the date the request is being made. The system autoenables possible season options based on the new rules.



Step 5: Field Schedules – Selecting a Field

Request Steps 2 3 4 Applicant Details Contacts Details Organization Details		porting ments 9 Submit		
Add a Field Schedule				
Please set up a Field Schedule below by choosing a park and selecting your preferred fields. If you do not have a field preference, or if you are flexible enough to choose more than one field, please also select the box that says "Custom Field Request" and explain your preferences in det in the "Additional Area Information" box.				
Your Field Schedule request is subject to change. While we will w present you with alternate dates, locations, and times.	ork to accommodate all Fleid Schedule	requests, our borough offices may		
Sport				
Other Sport				
Park				
Choose a Park				
Field Selection Please indicate your first and second choice of field. The maximur	n number of reserved sessions that ar	ov adult single-permit holder or league		
may control is limited to sixteen sessions per week, per park. The Commissioner or his or her representative. Youth leagues shall n	maximum length of any permit is six m	onths. Exceptions may be made by the		
Show only lighted fields				
Field: First Choice	Field: Second Choi	Ce Optional		
Select a Field	Select a Field			
Custom Field Request	Custom Field Request			
Additional Area Information	Additional Area Information			
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To add a Field Schedule, users must first select a sport. The sport selected affects the fields that will be available below. If the sport isn't listed (e.g.: bocce, netball) users must check "Other Sport" and enter a sport name in the text field that appears.

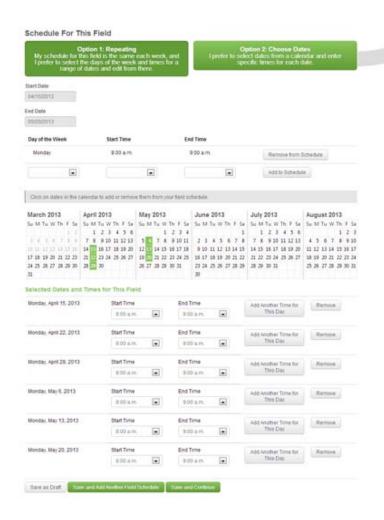
Parks are restricted to the borough chosen previously in Step 4.

Users must select a first choice field at that park from the dropdown. For night games, users can filter the field listings to show only lighted fields by checking that option. Users can fill out the Additional Area Information text area to add specifics. Users can also opt to make a second field choice.

If no fields are listed in the dropdown, if a field is missing, or if the user is flexible and is willing to accept any available field, the user must click "Custom Field Request", and include more information in Additional Area Information.



Step 5: Field Schedules – Repeating



Users must add a field schedule to each chosen field. To add this schedule, the user can choose either: "Option 1: Repeating"; or "Option 2: Choose Dates."

Organizations that have a set weekly schedule should choose the repeating option. Users should choose start/end dates for the repeating schedule, then select day of week, and finally the start/end times for each day.

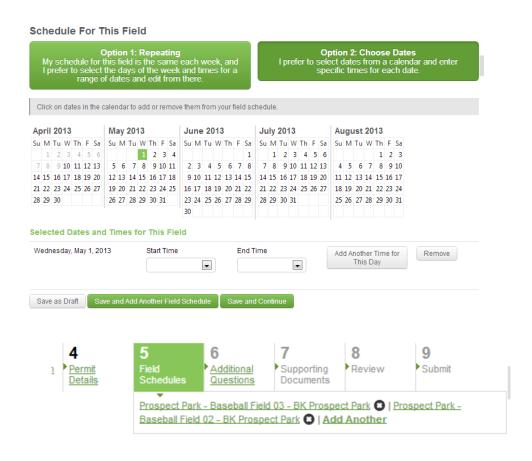
Clicking the "Add to Schedule" button auto-generates a calendar and a list view of dates. The calendar will populate with selected dates in green. Out-of-season dates are in grey. To edit individual dates/times, click the calendar date or edit the start/end time dropdowns.

Users can repeat the process to select more than one day per week, and more than one session per day.

To proceed, a user can click the "Save and Continue" button, or to add an additional park/field click "Save and Add Another Field" button.



Step 5: Field Schedules – Selected Dates



The Choose Dates option is useful for one-off dates or schedules that are not on a set pattern.

Users can manually click on desired calendar dates to select or deselect them. By doing so, they are added to the list of dates below the calendar.

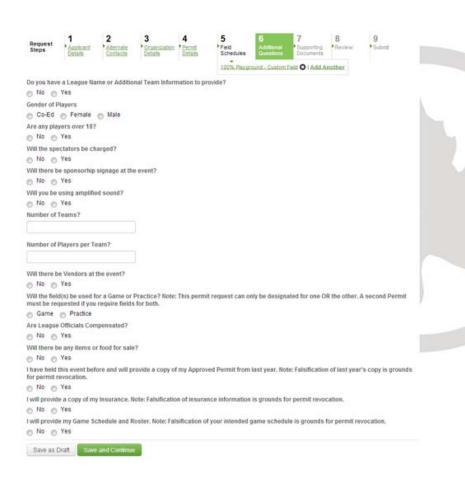
Users must select a start time and end time for every date that is manually chosen.

To proceed the user can click the "Save and Continue "button, or to add additional park/field click "Save and Add Another Field" button.

Park and Field names are displayed in the top Step Navigation, where the user can Add, Edit, or Delete fields.



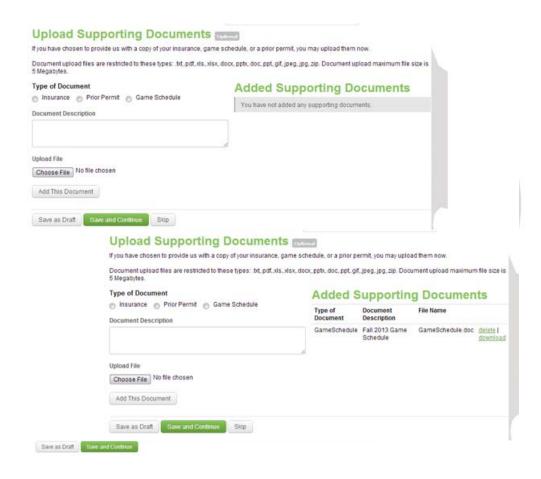
Step 6: Additional Questions



All additional questions are required, and some questions will lead to follow-up questions that are also required.

Answering Yes to questions about Items/Food for Sale and Amplified Sound will trigger an email to the requester once the status of the request is changed to Pending by NYC Parks borough permit coordinators, letting the requester know that additional NYC Parks vending and NYPD sound permits are required.

Step 7: Supporting Documents



This is an **optional step** and can be skipped. Users can choose to upload documents. To do so, they must first select the Type of Document.

Users can provide a description of the file, then the user will browse to the file on their computer. File types are limited to .txt, .pdf, .xls, .xlsx, .docx, .pptx, .doc, .ppt, .gif, .jpeg, .jpg, .zip files and the maximum file size is 5 Megabytes.

After adding the file and it's details, the user will click the "Add This Document" button, which adds it to the list of Supporting Documents to the right, where added documents can be removed or downloaded and viewed.

Step 8: Review

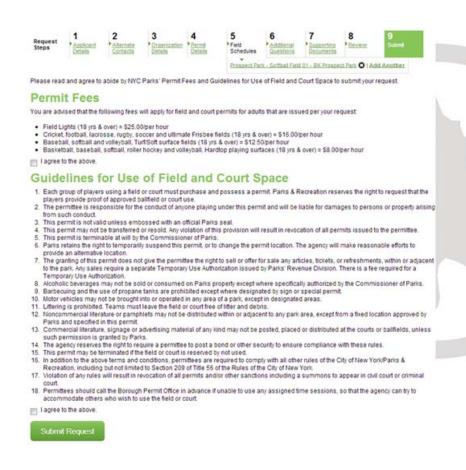


Users can review all data that has been entered, and use the "Edit..." buttons to jump to corresponding Steps to update as necessary.

Additionally, users can click the top Navigation Steps to go back and update any steps they choose.



Step 9: Agree and Submit

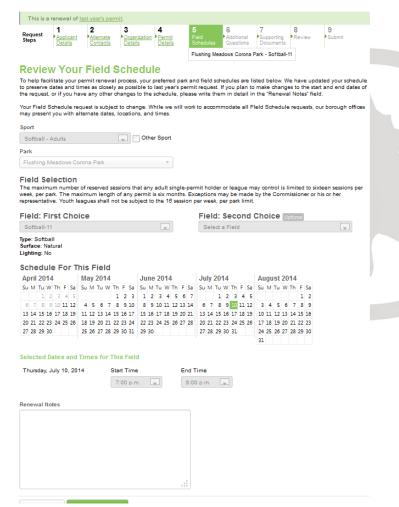


For the final step, users must check both checkboxes for Permit Fees and Guidelines and then click the "Submit Request" button.

Requests cannot be edited after submission. A user must call or email their NYC Parks borough permit coordinators to edit a submitted request.



Renewing Permit Requests



If a permit was approved last year, and the current season's application period is the same, then the renewal link will appear.

Upon renewing, permit type, type of sport, and other pertinent information from the prior year's permit will be copied into the renewal.

- Most of these fields cannot be edited by the user, and are only for review.
- If the user wants to change their details, then they can add notes to the Request Description.

Field schedules will be copied and updated to match permit dates and times as closely as possible with last year's permit request.

 Any changes to the field schedule start and end dates of the request, or any other changes to the schedule, can be entered in the Renewal Notes text box.



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Support

Bronx

(718) 430-1840 Re: Ballfield Permits Borough Office: Ranagua 1 Bronx River Parkway Bronx, NY 10462

Brooklyn

(718) 965-8941 Re: Ballfield Permits Borough Office: Litchfield Villa 95 Prospect Park West Brooklyn, NY 11215

Manhattan

(212) 408-0234 Re: Ballfield Permits Arsenal West - 5th Floor 24 West 61st St. New York NY 10023

Queens

(718) 393-7272 phone (718) 393-7280 fax Re: Ballfield Permits New York City Parks & Recreation **Olmsted Center** Flushing Meadows Corona Park Flushing, NY 11368 OFFICE LOCATION (For visitation purposes only; for mailing, use address above) Passerelle Building (across from outdoor Tennis Courts) Flushing Meadows Corona Park **Brooklyn**

Prospect Park and Parade Ground (718) 965-8944 Re: Prospect Park Ballfield Permits 95 Prospect Park West Brooklyn, NY 11215

Staten Island

(718) 667-3545 Re: Ballfield Permits **Greenbelt Recreation Center** 501 Brielle Ave Staten Island, NY 10314

