

SFA Game Day Official Tailgate Policies

All tailgate areas open at 8:00 am on game-day regardless of game time. Tailgate space is claimed on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Open-site tailgate areas are green-spaces located within the tailgate footprint that are not parking lots. Driving or parking private vehicles on open-site tailgate areas is strictly prohibited. Tailgating supplies must be carried to the site from the designated load-in zones or parking areas.

Load-in zones for open-site tailgate areas are designated. Parking in load-in zones must not exceed 15 minutes.

Tents and canopies must be secured and amenities including furniture, grills, generators or satellite dishes must be confined to your area and may not obstruct sidewalks, drive lanes or pedestrian walkways.

BBQ grills on trailers are prohibited in open-site tailgate areas. Small grills that can be carried by two people are permissible.

Kegs and glass containers are not allowed in tailgate areas.

Sound amplification equipment is strictly prohibited unless prior approval is granted.

Please be mindful of underground utilities when staking tents. Be sure to identify these areas prior to staking.

All BBQ grills, propane or otherwise, should be attended to at all times. Hot coals must be doused and properly disposed of in designated Coal Dumpsters. Open pit fire devices are strictly prohibited. Cooking grease should be disposed of in proper containers.

Generators must be equipped with a noise reducing device. Special care and consideration should be taken when managing fuel and extension cords.

Please dispose of all trash in trash receptacles or pack it out. The disposal of grease, hot coals or hazardous materials onto the grounds or into storm drains is prohibited.

University policy prohibits pets other than service animals.

RV owners are encouraged to minimize noise and disruption for others. Please use an appropriate manufacturer approved muffler or use a cover to minimize the noise from generators. Cords, satellite dishes, etc. must be confined to each allotted RV space and cannot be stretched across drive lanes. Additional vehicles must be parked in a designated parking space.

Official tailgate activities are private parties and commercial activity of any kind is strictly prohibited. This includes advertising, giveaways, the taking of orders, sales, donations, fundraisers, collecting and distributing literature, marketing applications or promotional materials.

No organization, department, business or individual may offer any food, non-alcoholic beverages, goods or services for sale (including donations and fundraisers) at official tailgate activities except those officially contracted by the University to provide such services.

Individuals, groups and organizations hosting or participating in tailgate parties are responsible for their own conduct and are expected to respect the rights of others and the entire University community. Groups hosting tailgate parties are responsible for providing their own designated drivers.

At its discretion, the University may terminate or take other appropriate action against individuals, groups, or organizations whose conduct at tailgate parties is irresponsible, unreasonable, or inconsistent with University policies, regulations, ordinances and laws.