

How to Book Your Group Outing at *FOX PAINTBALL*

Call one of our group outing Hotlines for assistance - 630.631.2007 or 630.667.5489

First and foremost you need to understand that organizing a group outing to play paintball can be time consuming and sometimes a frustrating process. The final reward of playing a great day of paintball is well worth the effort but you need to be prepared for that day. This guide will help answer some questions as well as help you deal with any issues that may arise when setting up your game.

Step #1 - Getting your date set

Plan ahead! Some dates are fully booked months in advance. Determine the time frame that you want to play and pick a date. It is a good idea to have an alternate day. Your first choice may not be available. Once you know the dates call Fox Paintball and check to see if there are openings on those dates. If you are within one month of your date you may want to move fast. Please keep in mind peak seasons for paintball are Spring and Fall. Also keep in mind that sometimes we have special rates for off season usually after Thanksgiving and before March. Make sure to ask if there are any special rates available.

Step #2 - Figure out your game fee and deposit - Game Deposit's are NON-REFUNDABLE

If your date is available, then you need to figure out how much money you need for your game fee and deposit. This is the time as an organizer that you may want to collect money from each player that is going to play. Collecting and paying the group game fees is the organizers responsibility. We prefer that all the fees are collected by the organizer in advance and paid at one time upon the final group tally. Collecting individual payments from each person in your group at the field will add considerable time to the registration process and you will lose valuable field playing time. Keep in mind we will not except third party checks at all or personal checks unless approved in advance.

Your initial deposit is based on \$15 per player needing equipment and is non-refundable once reserved. Minimum deposit is \$150 and will hold 10 rentals guns for your group. To reserve more equipment, add \$15 for each player to the deposit. You do not need to increase the game deposit to add "Self Equipped" players because we do not need to reserve equipment for them. The balance due between the deposit and the entire game fee will be collected on the day of your outing. You may also want to start determining how many paintballs you are going to use per person. Our rates include lower pricing options that are below our normal case prices and are not available for individual purchase. Keep in mind that our prices include all sales taxes and transportation. We do have additional paint for sale all day.

NOTE: Your game deposit will determine exactly how much equipment we reserve for you. If you only reserve for 20 players and you have 30 players show up, we cannot guarantee equipment for those players. Likewise, if your deposit covers 30 players and only 20 show up, your deposit will not be refunded or credited for no-shows.

NOTE: The minimum standard game fee is \$400. You must reach this fee with admission and equipment rentals only. Paintballs cannot be used to reach the minimum game fee. If your group is hovering at or around 10 players keep this in mind when determining your final cost to play. If your group shows up short, you will still have to pay the minimum of \$400 before paintballs to stay a private game.

Please keep in mind that game deposits are non-refundable once paid!

Step #3 - Getting the game deposit in on time

If you are using a credit card then you may quickly and easily confirm your date over the phone. You may also stop by our store at 1891 N. Farnsworth Ave. in Aurora and drop off your payment in person. If you are going to send a check in the mail, PLEASE CALL BEFORE YOU SEND THE CHECK. You need to confirm that the date is still available and that you are sending a check for that date. Fox Paintball will hold the date until your check arrives. If your check does not arrive within several days the date will become available to someone else. It is recommended that if you are using the mail, that you use Priority Mail to ensure 2 day delivery. If you are scheduling a game within a week of the date then you will need to send the check by Express Mail Next Day Service. Remember, your date and game is not booked until your game fee is received!

Step #4 - Follow the Organizer Guide - Review this guide for further assistance.

A note about extra players or no shows

Extra players can be added as long as there is space available at the normal per player additional cost as outlined in the rate chart. Equipment for players not registered is not guaranteed.

There is no credit or cash back for groups and players who do not show up on their scheduled date.

Send mail in game deposits to:
Attn: Private Group Coordinator
Fox Paintball 1891 N. Farnsworth Ave. Aurora, IL 60505

Fox Paintball Private Game Organizer Guide

Important Game Organizing Tips

1) Determine paintball needs

All private groups include a minimum purchase of 500 premium paintballs. You may include additional paintballs. Groups must purchase paintballs from Fox Paintball. Paintballs included with groups are high quality Draxxus Custom Paintballs made for Fox Paintball. Our paint is picked up fresh weekly from a local warehouse and prices are extremely competitive. Do we sell cheaper paintballs? Yes, we carry those too, but with groups we include our best paintballs to ensure a problem free day of play. Higher quality paintballs shoot straight, break less in guns, break more on your targets (less bruising) and leave easy to see marks. After your included paintballs players may choose to buy a lesser grade.

2) Collecting Money - Collect money in advance from players! Collect at least \$15 from each player to cover your deposit. Tell your people that your deposit is non-refundable and so is theirs. Payment for group fees is the responsibility of the organizer. Please have your payment funds ready before your outing.

3) Payment - We no longer accept personal checks but we can take your debit card. We take Visa MC, Discover, American Express and Debit. Make sure players bring extra money. It's terrible to run out of paintballs half way through the day. Please collect money from your players ahead of time, so we can use one transaction to cover the group costs. Collecting for a group from each individual will create a long delay in getting your day of paintball started.

4) Rental Equipment and ID's - Use of rental equipment requires the posted bond of a valid State ID or Drivers License. Each player is responsible for their own rental equipment and we can take ID's from each player. To speed this process up, the organizer or several individuals can post ID to secure multiple sets of equipment. However, if there is a problem with equipment return or theft the person who has posted the ID will be responsible for all players equipment which whom they have placed under their ID. Please be aware of this!

5) Player Info and Directions - Make sure each player gets a copy of the "PAINTBALL OUTING INFORMATION GUIDE" or that they read it on the website. This guide will answer most questions on how to prepare for the event. This guide will save you many phone calls!! Get maps for those driving down. Make sure they know how to get there. Maps are printable off our website www.foxpaintball.com

6) Waivers -If you choose to copy and hand out waivers in advance please print your group name or organizer name in the box on the upper right corner of the waiver and make sure that each person holds on to their own waiver. Waiver are available from the website. Please use the current waiver from the site. DO NOT USE OLD WAIVER FORMS. We must collect them from each individual. If you have underage players please make sure the forms are filled out and signed properly in advance.

7) Underage Players - We allow kids age 10 and up to play at FOX. Do not invite anyone under the age of 18 unless you have properly signed waiver for those players in advance. Younger players can be disruptive for an adult group unless the group is prepared and expects young kids to be involved. If you are organizing an underage group event then be sure you have the waivers and be sure you have enough adult supervision on and off the field.

8) Food— Fox Paintball does not restrict groups from bringing their own food or drinks. Groups are welcome to set-up grills and cookout, order pizza, bring sub sandwiches or make a run to McDonalds! Fox does have basic concessions at the field so you can eat with us too. Alcohol is prohibited on the property.

To book a game call one of our group outing Hotlines direct!

Call our Group Outing hotlines at 630.631.2007 or 630.667.5489

Reach us anytime to answer all your questions!

Contact our retail store in Aurora 630.585.5651

Main Offices and store located at: 1891 N. Farnsworth Ave. Aurora, IL 60505

Field Located In: Millington, IL - 30 minutes Southwest of Aurora

Field Contact Number during operating hours is 815-695-5208