

Bemidji State University Department of Campus Recreation
Outdoor Program Center
ROCK WALL RULES AGREEMENT

1. All climbers must be Recreation Center members, official guests, or Rock Wall members. Day pass users must purchase pass at front desk.
2. All climbers must fill out liability waivers before climbing. A list will be kept on file. Youth under the age of 18 must have a parent or guardian sign for them. Climbers under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult in order to participate.
3. Helmets are available for use, but are not required.
4. White gymnastic chalk is not allowed at the BSU Climbing Wall.
5. There is a 30 minute limit while others are waiting for a route.
6. Belayers must pass belay test before they are allowed to belay without a backup. Participants must be 16 or older to take belay test. A supervisor may ask to use a back-up at any time, or revoke privileges if they feel unsafe practices are used.
7. No unsupervised climbing at any time ! – You will immediately lose Recreation Center membership and may be charged with trespassing.
8. Please be courteous of other climbers and recreation center guests.
9. There is no food, gum, tobacco, or beverages other than water allowed in the Gillett Recreation - Fitness Center.
10. Participants under the influence of drugs or alcohol will not be allowed to climb and will be escorted out of the Recreation Center.
11. Participants may “boulder” the opening moves of a route. Boulderers must have a spotter and climb only within reach of the first quickdraws. Traversing the wall is only permitted during quiet times when other routes are not in use.
12. Participants, observers, and their belongings are to be kept off of the running track and clear of the emergency exit doors.
13. Climbing hours are subject to change. Open climbing may be pre-empted for special clinics, group use, inspection, route setting, or staff training.
14. All other Recreation Center rules apply to climbing wall participants and staff.

I agree to abide by the terms stated above, understanding that my climbing privileges may be restricted or revoked. I also agree to follow instructions given to me by Outdoor Program and/or Recreation Center Staff while using the Gillett Recreation Center.

Signed _____