



THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT THE SHOWS AT VINEYARD COMMUNITY SPACE:

- **No drugs or alcohol – this is an all ages venue!**
- **No smoking**
- **No nudity**
- **No fire**
- **Respect the space**
- **Pickup your trash (we are all volunteers here)**
- **Respect each other. No hate speech including song lyrics.**
- **People will be asked to leave if they are drunk, high, bothering others or doing any of the above things.** There are very, very few all age venues in Rochester and we're trying to keep this one open.
- **We host only free or donation based shows.** We won't turn you away if you don't have money, but **ALL** of the money goes to the bands, particularly the traveling bands. Some bands have paid a lot to travel a long distance to play for you. Please give to them! Anyone who works here is a volunteer.

DO NOT BLOCK THE FRONT SIDEWALK before, after or during events here. It causes a legal violation. Take your smoke breaks in the back yard, **exiting by the side door between sets. Don't use the side door during sets** because it will create too much noise for our neighbors. If you need to leave during a set, use the front door and shut it quickly. Don't open the windows during a show either. Please put your cigarette butts in a pail and don't throw them or any other trash on the lawn, porch or in the shrubbery. There is a family who lives upstairs and this is their yard where their kid plays.

ALL SHOWS MUST BE OVER BEFORE 10 PM REGARDLESS OF THE NIGHT OF THE WEEK. We have promised our neighbors and the courts that we will hold to this.

Bands - This is a small venue. Your band probably doesn't need very much amplification. **Please do not play at the levels you normally would for a larger space** because not only do we have neighbors to our sides but also over us. The folks upstairs are great and agreed to put up with us, but it can get wearing if you can't hear anyone else speak to you in your own living room.

Promoters – do not put more than four bands in a show. There isn't time to get them all in before ten and there isn't enough room to stash all of their band equipment between sets. Our goal is to not book more than one show a week. Since our "staff" are all volunteers we are trying to not burn them out. We do not charge for the space or rent it out because our goals are to help, work with and bless the musicians and music lovers in our community, not to be in the venue business. Please don't give the volunteers grief if you can avoid it.

City Code permits around **50 people** in here at a time. There are those who are looking for a chance to call the authorities on us. Don't give them a reason.

Email **Adam Kramer** at Kramer_adamj@yahoo.com or **Tim Avery** at bugjarbooking@gmail.com for information about booking shows here. They are part of Monroe Park Vineyard Church and are in charge of running our music shows.

Please confirm with them that your show is indeed on the schedule. We require two of our volunteers to be at each show and need to arrange for that. We do have a Google calendar of building usage on our website at www.monroeparkvineyard.org as well as on our Facebook pages. **Check us out on Facebook or our website.**

PLEASE BE AWARE OF THE BUILDING RULES AND WORK WITH US ON THEM. WE WANT TO KEEP THIS SPACE OPEN!