



PAINTBALL FAQs

WHAT DAYS/HOURS ARE YOU OPEN?

Our normal business hours are Sat/Sun 10-4. We do offer some special events throughout the year such as NIGHT GAMES, HOLIDAYS and offer PRIVATE EVENTS MONDAY-FRIDAY. Weekday private parties must reserve ahead of time and adhere to a minimum player policy to have an event. For more information give us a call at 805-737-9600.

WHAT IS PAINTBALL?

Paintball is a recreational game/sport which can be played year round. There are many different types of paintball. 2 of the most common types are scenario (woods ball) and speedball. In both types of play players are eliminated by being hit with paint filled gelatin paintball which are shot from a carbon dioxide or compressed air paintball marker (gun)

DOES PAINTBALL HURT AND WHAT DOES IT FEEL LIKE?

The best way to describe how being shot with a paintball feels is like being snapped with a rubber band? It stings for a few seconds and then goes away. However when you are playing the adrenaline normally kicks in and it doesn't hurt as bad as you may think.

WHAT SHOULD I WEAR?

You will want to wear clothes you don't mind getting dirty. Old jeans, sweat pants, hooded sweat shirt is always good to add extra coverage for your head, old baseball hat, beanie, some type of sport cleat is good for traction while playing.

DOES THE PAINT WASH OUT?

Paint will wash out of clothes. It is a good idea to wear old clothes because you may be crawling around in the dirt while attempting to get that KILL SHOT.

YOUR WEB-SITE SAYS "NO PINK PAINT" WHY NO PINK PAINT?

We do not authorize the use of PINK paint, due to something in the pigment may lead to staining of clothes and field equipment.

I CAN I BRING MY OWN PAINT?

If you have your own equipment you may bring your own paint. **NO PINK FILL- NO EXCEPTIONS.** If you are renting equipment you **MUST** purchase paintballs from the field. You will **NOT** be allowed to use your own paint inside rentals. There is a charge for bringing in your own paintballs. Call for pricing.

DO YOU RENT EQUIPMENT?

We do have rental equipment available. Currently we are using TIPPMANNs and an array of other markers for rentals. We also have a limited availability upgraded markers. In addition to paintball; markers we have the following items for rent as well: air tanks, masks, barrel sleeves, pod packs, hoppers

OTHER SPORTS HAVE REFS. ARE THERE REFS FOR PAINTBALL?

Safety is our #1 concern. We do have experienced REF on the field at all times with players. When all players come to the field the first time a REF will give a safety briefing explaining all the rules and how the field operates. The REFS then start and stop each game and ensure that all players are following the field rules at all times.

DOES THE SHACK PAINTBALL FIELD SELL EQUIPMENT?

There is a pro shop (retail store) on site at the field. At the PRO SHOP you can purchase everything you need to get started with your own gear. We also offer FREE Life Time Warranty on markers when they are purchased from THE SHACK. When purchasing paintball items we offer incentives such as a FREE day or air, or a FREE entry (see store or give us a call for details) At the PRO SHOP you can purchase beverages and prepackaged snacks, paintball accessories items as well as rent any equipment that you may want or need for the day?

DO YOU RENT EQUIPMENT FOR OFF SITE EVENTS?

We don't do this. We only rent equipment to be used at our facility under our trained staff.

I DON'T PAINTBALL BUT I AIR SOFT. CAN I HAVE AN AIR SOFT PARTY AT YOUR FACILITY?

We allow air soft. The rules for air soft is that you must either bring an unopened package of BIODEGRADABLE BB'S and the package must state they are BIODEGRADABLE or you MUST purchase said BB's from the field. All players must be at least 10 and must wear a full face mask. Eye goggles only covering eyes with not be permitted.