

Rules and regulations for the Sau reservoir and surroundings recreation area

General rules and regulations for making a reservation to access the area

- You must make a reservation if you wish to access the Sau reservoir and surroundings recreation area with a motor vehicle on the dates and times on which restricted access is indicated.
- You can make a reservation at any time as long as parking is available.
- The vehicle accessing the recreation area must be the same as the one registered with the vehicle number plate provided when making the [online reservation](#).
- If you do not make use of your reservation, the reservation fee will not be refunded.
- A reservation is valid for a single day, within the visiting hours between 9:00 am and 8:00 pm. Vehicles may not be parked in the controlled area outside of these hours as camping and/or overnight stays are prohibited by municipal ordinance.
- Once a reservation has been made, a vehicle can access the Sau reservoir and surroundings recreation area through the access control point only once.

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- Lighting fires or using stoves or similar devices is prohibited (pursuant to Decree 64/1995, establishing forest fire prevention measures, and Article 65 of the Special Plan to protect and improve the Les Guilleries-Savassona Natural Area).
- Camping is prohibited (pursuant to Article 65 of the Special Plan to protect and improve the Les Guilleries-Savassona Natural Area).
- Staying overnight is prohibited for people's safety and to conserve the Natural Area.
- Visitors must behave respectfully with the natural environment, people, and property.
- Setting up tables, chairs, hammocks, awnings, windbreaks, tents, or similar structures is prohibited to prevent damaging the conservation of the natural environment and the landscape.
- Playing music or making loud noise is prohibited (pursuant to Article 65 of the Special Plan to protect and improve the Les Guilleries-Savassona Natural Area) to avoid disturbing other visitors and the wildlife present in the area.

- Leaving behind rubbish is prohibited.
- Damaging the natural environment, uprooting plants or flowers, and collecting firewood for use in the barbecue area is prohibited.
- Catching or disturbing wildlife is prohibited.
- Building huts with driftwood washed away by the reservoir is prohibited.
- Damaging the furnishings, equipment, or service areas is prohibited.
- Pets must be kept on a lead to prevent conflicts with other visitors, livestock, or wildlife in the natural area.
- In order to avoid the spread of invasive exotic species, boats must be washed and disinfected in accordance with the [boat cleaning and disinfection protocol approved by the Catalan Water Agency](#). Visitors must also take into account [the good biosafety practices guidelines drawn up within the framework of the Life Tritó Montseny](#) project.
- To comply with the previous rule, visitors can contact any of the tourist and sports companies that do business in the Sau reservoir area and offer this service.
- All commercial filming and photography authorisations, as well as for flying drones, are subject to obtaining specific permits from the Les Guilleries-Savassona Natural Area and the Vilanova de Sau City Council.