

4th Avenue Car Guard Scheme Rules

The residents and businesses of Parkhurst under the leadership of the 4th Avenue Traders' Association and the South African Police Service have launched an initiative to provide a welcoming and pleasant experience for all in the suburb whilst assisting car guards to earn a more consistent and supportive living from their services. The rules of the scheme are:

1. Car guards may not:
 - i. Walk in the streets or circles soliciting cars to park.
 - ii. Approach, chase or otherwise harass patrons for tips.
 - iii. Provide help with parking unless asked to do so.
 - iv. Give your identification card or clothing to anyone else to wear.

2. Car guards must:
 - i. Be registered with the police before being accepted as an official car guard for Parkhurst and complete any training provided.
 - ii. Wear the official clothing (including bib, t-shirt, cap etc.) and identifying materials (ID lanyards provided).
 - iii. Be friendly and welcoming to visitors to the suburb.
 - iv. Be respectful to business owners and employees and residents.
 - v. Be visible to visitors and ensure that identification is seen.
 - vi. Discourage drivers from parking cars in front of driveways, on pavements, at or near stop streets or traffic circles Use best efforts to ensure that only a business's customers park in that business's private parking area during business hours.
 - vii. Not be under the influence of alcohol or drugs at any time.
 - viii. Be aware of any suspicious activity in your surroundings and report suspicions to the Police and Cortac.
 - ix. Ask to use the bathrooms in the restaurants if required.
 - x. Keep the area in which you operate clean of litter i.e. papers, bottles etc.
 - xi. Return clothing and identification to the 4th Avenue Traders Association if requested to do so, or if you cease to be a regular car guard. Nothing may be passed on to someone else.

3. All clothing (such as bibs, t-shirts, caps etc) and identifying materials (ID lanyards, etc) are owned by the 4th Avenue Traders' Association.

I agree to the above rules and I understand that non-compliance may result in forfeiting the right to wear a 4th Avenue Traders Association car guard bib and ID. I agree that the 4th Avenue Traders' Association may amend these rules from time to time.

Name

Signature

Date