

UUFC Policy #4.6

Alcohol Use at UUFC-Sponsored Events

A. Purpose

To provide clear guidelines for use of alcoholic beverages at UUFC-sponsored events that are consistent with our vision/mission/covenant and *that recognize the social function of alcoholic beverages in fellowship activities.*

B. Types of Events

The policy extends to all activities of the UUFC and includes fundraising events, programs/retreats, social functions, and services of all kinds. These Fellowship events share the purpose of encouraging members and friends to socialize and work together toward mutually rewarding goals. However, alcohol is prohibited at events focused on youth.

C. Policy


1. UUFC-sponsored activities may involve alcohol.
2. Use of alcohol is at the discretion of the individual participant.
3. Individual participants are responsible for using alcohol in moderation and for obtaining and using a designated driver.
4. Event organizers and the UUFC are not responsible for monitoring an individual's alcohol use.
5. Any damage caused by an inebriated individual is the liability of the individual.
6. Donations may be requested for alcoholic beverages provided as part of UUFC programs and activities.
7. External entities contracted to provide alcoholic beverages as part of a fund-raising event may have additional procedural requirements.

D. Stipulations

1. Alcohol will be limited to beer or wine; no distilled liquor.
2. People under the age of 21 are prohibited from drinking alcohol per Oregon law.
3. Non-alcoholic alternatives and at least 3 food options must always be made available at the same time.
4. This policy is intended to protect the UUFC from loss or liability resulting from activities occurring at UUFC-sponsored events (see Hold Harmless policy, 5.1).

Approved by the UUFC Board of Trustees

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