

Feeding Birds Not Allowed At LCSD Venues Offenders Will Be Prosecuted



To maintain personal hygiene, keep public places clean and prevent germs that may be carried by birds, the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) urges the public not to feed birds at its venues or contact wild birds or their droppings.

It is an offence to feed birds. As stipulated in the Pleasure Grounds Regulations Cap. 132 Section 11, no one shall in any pleasure ground feed or attempt to feed birds kept or found in the venue.

For Park-goers

- Conspicuous notices have been put up in parks to remind the public not to have any contact with birds or their droppings.
- The staff have stepped up patrols and urge the public not to feed birds or have contact with wild birds.
- Anyone who fails to comply with the regulation will be prosecuted.
- If you have been in contact with birds or their droppings, immediately wash your hands thoroughly with liquid soap and water.
- Educational and promotion panels on prevention of avian flu prepared by the Department of Health have been displayed at each aviary and Yuen Po Street Bird Garden of the LCSD to further remind the public about the message.

For LCSD

The Department continues to reinforce the cleansing work at its venues to maintain the hygiene of the environment.