

## **Masjid Etiquettes**

- Please turn off cell phones during prayers.
- Please dress properly per the Islamic code.
- Please keep shoes on the shoe rack.
- Distributing/Posting of flyers or Buying/Selling without prior approval is strictly prohibited.
- No overnight staying.
- No member or guest shall engage in any behavior that causes a disturbance to the peaceful enjoyment of the mosque for other members or guests in the premises of Tracy Islamic Center. This includes, but is not limited to, loud noises, rowdiness, or any other behavior that may be deemed disruptive or offensive, including, but not limited to, physical and verbal attacks or abuse against other members, guests, or volunteers. Any member or guest found to be in violation of these rules of conduct may be subject to disciplinary action, including fines, suspension of membership privileges, and if necessary, the issuance of a restraining order, as determined by the Board of Directors/Management team.
- Please help keep the masjid clean and use its resources (water, paper towels, etc.), as if they were your own. This is the house of Allah (SWT), so treat it better than your own home.
- Please keep silent during the Friday sermon, or it will void your worship.

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## **Masjid Etiquettes (Continuation)**

- Please monitor small children closely. Keep them beside you before; during and after prayers i.e., do not allow them to run around. If a child begins to cry, it is ok to pick him or her up and continue the prayers.
- Please talk softly while waiting for the prayer to begin.
- Please wear T-shirts that are appropriate i.e. No skulls face or explicit phrases.
- No smoking inside or outside the masjid.
- Please make sure that your cars are parked in the appropriate/designated spots.
- Please do not pray in the walkways since this is a fire hazard.
- The last person to leave the masjid should turn off lights, fans and make sure all doors are locked.

These were just a few etiquettes which we felt the need to remind ourselves and our brothers and sisters as it relates to attending the Houses of Allah.

Allah SWT knows the best. May the peace and blessings of Allah SWT be upon His final Prophet and Messenger, and upon his family members and companions.

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