RCA and Birchwood Apartments 2009 Summer Squat Contract

Effective Dates
This contract is for housing in the Reed College Apartments (RCAs) and the Birchwoods from Tuesday, May 19, 2009 at noon, through 5 pm on Tuesday, August 25, 2009. Students who are renting apartments for the summer and who currently live in the dorms are allowed to stay in their current room until Tuesday, May 19 at noon, when the apartments are clean and ready for summer tenant move-in. Early move-in is not permitted.

Occupancy Details
Only currently registered students are permitted to sign a rental contract for a summer apartment. To be eligible, students must be enrolled in at least 3 units in spring 2009 and three units in the fall 2009. The summer maximum occupancy for the apartments is three people in a two-bedroom apartment or two people in a one bedroom. Students who reserved their current apartments for the next academic year (squatters) are allowed to sign summer squat contracts. Please note: Residence Life cannot place any student in a two-bedroom apartment if the tenant is paying for only one room and has no roommate. Rooms may be entered at anytime for maintenance or cleaning issues to keep room upkeep current.

Termination By the Student
Students desiring to terminate their summer contracts may do so in writing on or before May 22, 2009 at noon. Canceling a summer squat contract will terminate your 2009-10 academic year Apartment contract. After May 22, any student with a signed contract will be expected to fulfill the contract until August 25, 2009. Early move-in is not permitted.

Tenant Responsibilities
All guidelines and policies listed in the Reed College Apartments Rights and Responsibilities Guide are incorporated by this reference, except to the extent superseded by this contract.

Rental Rates
Rent for the apartments is due on the first of the month in June, July, and August to the Business Office. Arrangements for late payments must be brought to the attention of the Assistant Dean of Residence Life prior to the 5th of the month. If the rent for the month is not received by the 5th of the month, a daily late fee of $5.00 will be assessed for each day the rent remains unpaid. If no arrangements have been made with the Assistant Dean, and if payment in full (including all accumulated late fees) is not received by the 15th of the month, Reed College reserves the right to terminate this contract and, upon termination, the College has the right to immediate possession of the apartment. If you fail to vacate the apartment and deliver possession to the College, you will be deemed guilty of an unlawful detainer and subject to eviction. Even if Reed College terminates this contract and recovers possession of the apartment, you will remain liable for payment of all unpaid rent and late fees. Utilities are included in the monthly rental rate. There will be an additional utility charge of $50 a month if student(s) install air conditioner units.

- One Bedroom Apartment - $806
- Two Bedroom Apartment - $952

(Initial and date here signifying you have read, understand, and agree to the above terms of the contract.)

Cleaning and Maintenance
Unoccupied apartments will be cleaned starting on May 19, 2009. During the summer there may be maintenance work scheduled for your apartment for which we will need your cooperation. It is the tenant’s responsibility to clean the apartment and report any maintenance concerns to Facility Services immediately. Apartments will be inspected at least once during the summer contract to assess the need for repairs and upgrades.

Summer Guests
Occasional overnight guests are permitted in a student’s apartment with the consent of the roommate(s), if any, for a total of 14 days during the summer. (A guest is defined as any person other than the official occupant of the room.) Guests need to be registered with the community safety office.

Furniture
The one-bedroom apartments have one set of bedroom furniture and the two bedroom apartments have two sets of bedroom furniture. Students must provide additional furniture for the summer if desired. Reed furniture will not be removed.

Subleasing
Students may not sublease or assign this contract or sublet their apartment, or any portion of it. Any attempts to sublease or assign this contract will be null and void, will constitute a violation of this contract, and may, at the option of the College, be grounds for administrative termination as specified in the Reed College Apartments Rights and Responsibilities Guide.

Termination By the College:
The College may deem it necessary to terminate the contract for noncompliance with any of the provisions of the contract, including the RCARRG and any additional guidelines, or for non-compliance with the health and fire safety provisions.

By signing this contract, you agree to the conditions outlined above and the 2009-2010 Reed College Apartments Rights and Responsibilities Guide and the Reed College Apartments Contract.

Current Reed Student’s Printed Name/ID # Signature Date

RCA or Birchwood (please circle) Apartment Number: #________