

DOG PARK HOURS: DAWN TO DUSK

(Subject to closures during required maintenance operations.)

DOG PARK RULES

- Call 911 for Emergency Assistance
- Non-emergency please call the parks and recreation office (910) 892-2976
- Owners are legally responsible for their dogs and any injuries caused by them.
- Owners must dispose of waste properly in the designated on-site containers.
- Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult. Children under 8 years old are not permitted inside fenced area. Spectators should remain outside the fenced area.
- Dogs must display current vaccination tags.
- Puppies using the park must be at least four months old
- Dogs in heat will not be allowed inside the park.
- No more than three (3) dogs per person are allowed on any single visit
- Owners must carry a leash at all times. Dogs should be leashed before entering and prior to leaving the designated fenced area.
- Dog owners must remain in the fenced area while their dogs are using the dog park. Owners must be in view of their dogs and have voice control at all times.
- Dogs that fight or exhibit aggressive behavior must be immediately removed from the park
- Please be courteous to others and remove any sick dogs from the dog park.
- No animals other than dogs may be brought into the fenced area
- No smoking, food, or alcohol is allowed inside the dog park
- Professional dog trainers shall not use the park to conduct their business.
- North Carolina State Law requires all dog bites to be reported to DPD Animal Control. In addition, owners are required to assist in the investigation of incidents of aggression or biting by providing appropriate identification and information to DPD, AND to other dog owners who are involved with the incident under investigation
- **Failure to comply with posted rules is subject to citation, expulsion, or arrest, as well as dog impound.**