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# Happy Tails Dog Park Annual Permit Application

Permits are valid May 1 thru April 30

Must include a copy of current rabies vaccination(s) with forms.  
Limit of 3 dogs per person.

## Dog Owner(s) Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

## Dog Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Male  Female  Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_

## 2nd Dog Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Male  Female  Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_

## 3rd Dog Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Male  Female  Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_

## Fees

### Resident

\$20 - First Dog  
\$10 - 2nd Dog  
\$10 - 3rd Dog

### Nonresident

\$30 - First Dog  
\$15 - 2nd Dog  
\$15 - 3rd Dog

Number of Dogs \_\_\_\_\_

Total Fee \_\_\_\_\_

## Payment

Cash  Check # \_\_\_\_\_

*Make checks payable to the Buffalo Grove Park District*

Circle one: Visa Mastercard Discover Amex

Card Holder Name \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ CVV \_\_\_\_\_

Signature for Credit Card \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_

### For Office Use Only

1st Dog Tag # \_\_\_\_\_ Rabies Exp \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Dog Tag # \_\_\_\_\_ Rabies Exp \_\_\_\_\_

3rd Dog Tag # \_\_\_\_\_ Rabies Exp \_\_\_\_\_

Signed Waiver \_\_\_\_\_

Signed Rules \_\_\_\_\_



# Happy Tails Dog Park Rules

For everyone's safety and enjoyment, you and your dog are required to adhere to the following while visiting the Buffalo Grove Park District Happy Tails Dog Park. Permits are nontransferable and nonrefundable. Permits may be revoked and/or fines charged for any rule violation.

## General

1. Park hours are from sunrise to sunset. Patrons will use the park at their own risk.
2. Alcoholic beverages and smoking are not permitted.
3. All dogs must wear a collar displaying the following tags:
  - Current rabies tag
  - Buffalo Grove Park District Annual Dog Park Permit, or the owner must have valid daily use permit.
4. Children under the age of 10 years old are not permitted in the dog park at any time. Children 10 - 17 must be accompanied by an adult 18 years of age or older.
5. Children should not run or chase after dogs. Never pet a dog unless the dog's owner has granted permission.

## Control and Behavior

1. Dogs visiting the park must be at least 4 months old.
2. Dogs that are ill or in heat are not permitted.
3. Rawhide or food are not permitted, as dogfights might result.
4. Aggressive dogs are not permitted. Handlers/owners must remove their dog(s) at the first sign of aggression.
5. Dogs must be leashed while entering and exiting the park. Once in the dog park, the leash may be removed; however, the handlers/owners must have a leash in their possession at all times.
6. Handlers/owners are responsible for controlling their dog(s) and must maintain visual and voice contact with their animals at all times. Handlers/owners may be legally responsible for any injuries or damage caused by their dog(s).
7. There shall be no more than 3 dogs per handler/owner.
8. Pinch, choke chain and spike collars must be removed from the dog(s) prior to entering the dog park.
9. Handlers/owners are subject to a \$75 fine for failure to pick up and properly dispose of their dog's waste.

**I have read and fully understand the above rules and I agree to follow all of the Happy Tails Dog Park Rules. If registering on-line or via facsimile, your on-line or facsimile signature shall substitute and have the same legal effect as an original form signature.**

**Permit Holder's Name** (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_

**Permit Holder's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

Please return completed forms to: Buffalo Grove Park District - Dog Park Permit Application  
530 Bernard Drive  
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089





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# Happy Tails Dog Park Waiver & Release

## Important Information

You are solely responsible for supervising your dog and determining whether or not this is an appropriate activity to participate in. You must understand that you and others who accompany you are participating in this activity at your and their own risk (and risk of your dog). Dogs and permit holders of varying degrees of skill, training and experience use this facility.

You are solely responsible for determining if you and/or your dog are physically fit and/or adequately skilled to use this facility. It is always advisable, especially if you or your dog is pregnant, disabled in any way or recently suffered an illness, injury or impairment, to consult a physician or veterinarian before undertaking any dog training or exercise activity.

When this Waiver and Release refers to "your dog," "my dog," or "the owner of a dog," it includes you whether or not you are the legal owner of the dog, since you are the person responsible for the dog while using this facility.

## Warning of Risk

Dog activities are intended to provide a fun and rewarding experience for a dog and its owner/handler; however, despite careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury, including death to the dog, its owner/handler or other persons or animals. Dogs are pack animals and when "off lead," even the best-trained dogs will act instinctively. Understandably, not all hazards and dangers associated with dog activities can be foreseen. Certain inherent risks include the propensity of any dog to behave in dangerous ways that may result in injury to you, another person or dog. Other risks include, but are not limited to, the inexperience, negligence or irresponsibility of a dog owner/handler; the inability to predict a dog's reaction to sound, movements, objects, persons, or other animals; and actions by the dog due to fright, anger, stress, insect bites or natural reactions such as jumping, pulling, resisting and biting. Other risks include the hazards associated with environmental and traffic conditions, acts of God, inclement weather, slip and falls, premises defects, equipment failure, failure in instruction/supervision, and all other circumstances inherent to dog and/or outdoor activities.

Should you attempt to break up a dog fight or restrain a dog, including but not limited to your dog, you may be attacked and severely mauled by your dog the other dog or attacked by another dog's owner/handler. In this regard, it must be recognized that it is impossible for the Buffalo Grove Park District to guarantee absolute safety.

## Waiver and Release of All Claims and Indemnification Agreement

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in consideration for permission to use this facility, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages or loss which you or your dog might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with use of this facility and surrounding area.

I recognize and acknowledge that use of this facility and the surrounding area for dog activities and participating in dog activities entails certain risks of damage, loss or injury to animals, persons or property (including to me, other persons, my dog and other dogs or animals), and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of and responsibility for any injuries, damages, loss, liability, costs and expenses, regardless of severity, extent or amount, that (a) I, my dog or any other person accompanying me might sustain or incur as a result of my presence in this facility and surrounding area or my participating in any and all activities connected with or associated with use of this facility and surrounding area; or (b) any other person or animal might sustain as a result of my or my dog's actions or conduct in connection with or arising out of my presence in this facility and surrounding area or my participating in any and all activities connected with or associated with use of this facility and surrounding area.

I do hereby agree to waive, relinquish, release and forever discharge (a) the Buffalo Grove Park District, and its officers, directors, employees and agents, and (b) any volunteer assisting or working on behalf of the Buffalo Grove Park District or any of its officers, directors, employees or agents (hereafter collectively the "Parties") from any and all claims or causes of action for injuries, damages, loss, liability or expenses that I may have or which may accrue hereafter to me or any other person claiming through me or on my behalf and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with this use of this facility and surrounding area.

I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless and defend (a) the Buffalo Grove Park District and its officers, directors, employees and agents, and (b) any volunteer assisting or working on behalf of the Park District agents from and against any and all losses, claims, damages, liabilities, cause of actions, and expenses (including but not limited to court costs and attorney fees), occurring, growing out of, incident to, or resulting directly or indirectly from my use of this facility and surrounding area, including without limitation any losses, claims, damages, liabilities, cause of actions and expenses on account of personal injury to or death of any person or animal, or damages to property of any person or entity (including but not limited to the Buffalo Grove Park District).

Photo Disclaimer: Users of this facility permit the Buffalo Grove Park District to take photos and videos of themselves and their children for publication in the program guide, website and additional uses as the Park District deems necessary unless the user expressly files with the Buffalo Grove Park District a written objection as to photos or videos of themselves and/or their children.

**I have read and fully understand the above important information, warning of risk, assumption of risk and waiver and release of all claims. If registering on-line or via facsimile, your on-line or facsimile signature shall substitute and have the same legal effect as an original form signature.**

Permit Holder's Name (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Permit Holder's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

