

WHERE TO PURCHASE :

**Parks, Recreation, & Tourism
Office and Visitor Center**
1224 Progressive Drive
757-382-6411

Deep Creek Community Center
2901 Margaret Booker Drive
757-487-8841

Elizabeth River Park (limited hours)
1400 Elizabeth River Way
757-494-1202

Western Branch Community Center
4437 Portsmouth Boulevard
757-465-0211

REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS:

- ◇ Dog owner purchasing membership must be at least 18 years old.
- ◇ Male dogs over 1 year must be neutered.
- ◇ Dogs must be at least 4 months old.
- ◇ Dog owner must provide proof of animal registration with dog tag number from city/county residence and Rabies tag #.
- ◇ Dog owner must provide current documentation for required city license, rabies tag, and shots.
- ◇ Dog owners must comply with all City of Chesapeake Dog Park Ordinances and related Virginia State Code.

Get yours early! Dog tags for the following year are available on October 1 of each year.

ADDITIONAL CONTACT INFORMATION:

Parks, Recreation, & Tourism	757-382-6411
Park Ranger Dispatch	757-421-7151
Animal Control	757-382-8080
After-Hours Non-Emergencies	757-382-6161
Health Department	757-382-8672

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ANY PARK, STATE, OR CITY ORDINANCE MAY RESULT IN SUSPENSION/LOSS OF MEMBERSHIP WITHOUT REIMBURSEMENT.

City of Chesapeake Dog Park Ordinance

Section 50-22 Domestic animals; dog parks.

- (a) No person shall bring or be responsible for the entry of a dog or other domestic animal into areas other than automobile parking concourses and walks immediately adjacent thereto and in such other areas as may be clearly marked by signs. Except in an area specifically designated as a Dog Park, subject to paragraphs (b) and (c) of this section, nothing in this section shall be construed as permitting the running of dogs at large. All dogs in those areas, other than dog parks, where such animals are permitted shall be restrained at all times on adequate leashes not greater than five feet in length.
- (b) A "dog park" is a fenced or otherwise enclosed area within a city park that is clearly marked by signs posted in the area, where dogs are allowed to be released from leashes.
- (c) Any owner or other person bringing a dog or dogs to the dog park (the "responsible party") shall be legally responsible for any injury, property damage, or other loss caused by the dog or dogs in his or her care.
- (d) The city, in creating dog parks, relies upon all immunities existing at common law and by statute, including, but not limited to Virginia Code 15.2-1809.
- (e) Access to and continuing use of dog parks is conditioned upon the following:
 - (1) All dogs must be licensed, vaccinated, and wear a collar with identification and current tags.
 - (2) The responsible party must carry a leash at all times and remain with the dog in the dog park. Leashes should be removed immediately upon entrance to the dog park, and dogs must be leashed when removed from the dog park.
 - (3) Dangerous dogs and vicious dogs as defined in section 10-47.1 are prohibited. Dogs must be removed at the first sign of dangerous behavior toward people or other dogs.
 - (4) Dogs that are ill, less than four months of age, an unneutered male over the age of one and female and in heat are prohibited from entering a dog park.
 - (5) The responsible party must clean up and dispose of waste left by their dogs and provide any necessary equipment for removal and disposal.
 - (6) Children under eight years of age are not permitted in the dog park except during approved events or activities sanctioned by the city.
 - (7) No responsible party shall be in possession of more than three dogs at a time within the dog park.
 - (8) Responsible parties must prevent dogs from digging within the dog park and immediately refill any holes.
 - (9) No food, drink, or tobacco products are allowed within the enclosed area of the dog park.
- (f) Violation of any of these rules is cause for expulsion of the dog and the responsible party from the dog park. In addition, violation of any of the items set forth in paragraph (e) is a class 3 misdemeanor.
- (g) The Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism may impose any additional rules and regulations it deems necessary to ensure safe and efficient use of the dog park.



Chesapeake Dog Parks



Locations:

Chesapeake City Park
900 City Park Drive
(two parks on site!)

Deep Creek Park
437 S. George Washington
Hwy

Western Branch Park
4437 Portsmouth Blvd

Elizabeth River Park
1400 Elizabeth River Way

REGISTRATION FORM

OWNER INFORMATION

Date _____

Are you at least 18? Y or N

Name: _____
First Last

Address: _____

City _____ State _____
Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

PET # 1



Name _____
First Last ("family" name)

Age of dog _____ Neutered: Yes _____ No _____

Breed _____ Color _____ Male _____ Female _____

Documentation for the following items is REQUIRED:

Bordetella Expiration Date _____

D(H)APP Expiration Date _____

Rabies Expiration Date _____

City Dog License # _____

Rabies Tag # _____

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Parks, Recreation, and Tourism Dog Tag # _____

Receipt Number: _____

I have read this brochure, and I understand and agree to adhere to all dog park ordinances, city/state codes, guidelines including keeping vaccinations current.

I certify that this registration information is correct.

Signature _____

PET # 2



Name _____
First Last ("family" name)

Age of dog _____ Neutered: Yes _____ No _____

Breed _____ Color _____ Male _____ Female _____

Documentation for the following items is REQUIRED:

Bordetella Expiration Date _____

D(H)APP Expiration Date _____

Rabies Expiration Date _____

City Dog License # _____

Rabies Tag # _____

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Parks, Recreation, and Tourism Dog Tag # _____

Receipt Number: _____

Park staff will monitor and spot-check proper dog park usage including verifying licenses and compliance with dog park rules and ordinances. Tickets for non-compliance will be issued.

ANNUAL FEES & PRICING (Jan 1-Dec 31)

REGULAR MEMBERSHIP: \$10 PER DOG
DAY PASS: \$5 [with proof of vaccinations]
REPLACEMENT TAG: \$3.00

For your convenience, our administrative office and Visitor Center now issues animal licenses for dogs AND cats! Just bring your rabies tag number and register at 1224 Progressive Drive.

Animal License Fees:

Non-neutered/non-spayed pet: \$10
Neutered/spayed pet: \$4

WE ACCEPT CASH, CARD, OR CHECK (payable to "Chesapeake Treasurer")

Submit Registration Information

Keep for Your Quick Reference

GENERAL GUIDELINES

- ◇ Please be a responsible dog owner and follow all posted rules.
- ◇ Dog owners are required to have dog park tags on all dogs as proof of membership, proper licensing, and vaccination.
- ◇ Dog owners will be liable for the full value of any park property damaged by their dogs.

DOG PARK RULES

Keep you & your pup happy!

- ◇ Clean up after your dog.
- ◇ Keep your dog's collar on (with membership tag).
- ◇ Keep an eye on your dog at all times.
- ◇ Barking or uncontrollable dogs must be removed.
- ◇ Remove your dog immediately at the first sign of aggressive behavior toward people or other dogs.
- ◇ Leash your dog before you leave the dog park.
- ◇ Have an adult accompany dogs and children at all times.
- ◇ Take all of your belongings with you when you leave.
- ◇ Adhere to all city and state dog park ordinances and regulations. Visit cityofchesapeake.net/dogparks for dog park ordinance information.

NOT PERMITTED:

- ◇ Sick dogs
- ◇ Pools
- ◇ More than three dogs per person
- ◇ Female dogs in heat
- ◇ Non-neutered males over the age of 1
- ◇ Children under 8
- ◇ Digging
- ◇ Unattended dogs
- ◇ Feeding dogs
- ◇ Large dogs in the small dog park