



Greenville's Off-Leash Dog Area

is located on North Ash Street between First Street and the Tar River.

The successful and on-going operation of Greenville's first Off-Leash Dog Area is a testament to the community spirit of all who use the park, and especially to the lovable spirit of our furry friends.

Not allowed inside fenced area:

- Bare feet
- Food (including dog treats and chews)
- Smoking
- Choke collars
- Muzzles
- Dogs in heat
- Dogs with contagious conditions
- Dogs under 4 months old
- Aggressive dogs
- Alcohol

For the safety of our children:

No children under 55 inches tall are allowed inside the fenced area. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult. Dogs could become upset by children's behavior and could react aggressively.

Neighbor to Neighbor

We need to remember that the Dog Park is here for all of us, especially our dogs. Making sure that we all follow the rules keeps us and our dogs safe, and promotes a sense of community. Please have a rabies vaccination tag on your dog's collar. Handlers must have a photo ID with them. Keep your dog's leash with you at all times. Also, make sure your dog's collar stays on in case you need to get your pooch out of a bad situation. Stay in the fenced area with your dog. Don't let your dog dig holes, other dogs may get the idea they can do it too! Only two dogs per handler are allowed.



We're lucky to live in a city that cares about its citizens' (and dogs') quality of life. Please help all of us in maintaining the wonderful privilege the Dog Park affords us. Animal Control and the GRPD are partners with us, working toward the success of the Dog Park. Let's keep everybody happy by following the rules.

Remember: We're all in this together.



WE NEED ALL THE FRIENDS WE CAN GET

A volunteer "friends of the park" group has been formed to support the Off-Leash Dog Area and help ensure its success.

Won't you join us?
Please contact the
City of Greenville's
Recreation & Parks Department
to find out how.
252-329-4567
www.grpd.info
www.greenvilleolda.com



Always scoop your dog's poop! Bags are provided. Also please help with "orphan poop."

Keep your dog leashed while outside the fenced area. It's for everybody's safety, and it's the law.

Please help keep the area clean. No one wants their dog to play in or eat trash.

Please have an ID tag (with owner's address and phone #) and current vaccination tag on the collar or harness.

Consult your veterinarian for advice on other vaccinations such as Bordetella, Parvo, and Distemper. Don't forget heartworm protection and flea/tick control.

Be aware of your dog's location at all times.

Don't forget to communicate with your fellow dog handlers regarding your dog's well-being and safety. You may even make some new friends! Very often, communication alone can keep a question from becoming a problem. If we all keep each other's best interests in mind, most problems can be resolved agreeably by the parties involved.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

ANIMAL CONTROL - 329-4387

POLICE NON-EMERGENCY - 329-4300

PARK RANGER - 258-3839

EMERGENCY - 911

Paws and Ponder

For a safe and enjoyable visit:

Handlers are legally responsible for their dogs. The City of Greenville will assume no responsibility for injuries to humans or to animals.

If you are unsure how your dog will react to crowded conditions, don't force it into a situation it may perceive as threatening. Return at a less crowded time.

Avoid entering the double-gated transition area when other dogs are in that area to eliminate the possibility of both gates being open simultaneously.

Place your dog off leash in the transition area before entering the unleashed area. Some dogs feel threatened when leashed in the presence of unleashed dogs.

Moving away from the entrance area as you enter keeps your dog from feeling cornered by the dogs that may come to greet it.

Aggressive or disruptive dogs should be removed from the fenced area.

For the safety of your pet, it is strongly recommended that dogs under 10 pounds not be taken into the large dog area.



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