

Dog Walking Application

To ensure the health and safety of your pet and of our staff, we require that all of our clients comply with the following rules and regulations:

Age: All dogs must be at least 2 months of age or older.

Reservations: All reservations are to be scheduled no later than 5pm the previous day.

Health and Behavior: Owners will need to disclose any medical conditions or special needs. Dog must not have harmed or shown aggression or threatening behavior towards any person or other dog(s).

Payment: All charges are due upon completion of the walks. We accept: CASH, checks, Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express.

Cancellations: We understand plans change and generally do not charge for cancellations when provided adequate notice. However, cancellation within 24 hours of a scheduled reservation will be subject to a cancellation fee. Cancellation fees shall be \$15 for the cancellation of a 30-minute walk and \$20 for the cancellation of a 60-minute walk. Cancellation fees shall be charged to the existing credit card on file..

Weather Conditions: If in the opinion **bark! bark!** weather is not permissive of a walk, the walk shall be rescheduled to ensure the safety of our staff and the cleanliness of your pet and home in heavy rain.

Days and Hours: Our dog walking services are available Monday through Friday. Scheduled walks are broken into the 2-hour windows between: 7am-9am, 10am-12pm, 1pm-3pm and 4-6pm.

Appointments/Scheduling: All appointments are required to be scheduled in advance. Scheduling is on a first come first service basis and we will do our best to accommodate your needs.

Access to your Home by Others: Please notify **bark! bark!** if someone will be in your home. Please also notify the person(s) in your home that **bark! bark!** is coming so that your visitor, as well, is not surprised by our entrance.

Pet and house clean-up: **bark! bark!** will properly dispose of pet waste and do our best to clean up any accidents your pet may have. We are not responsible or liable for carpet/flooring stains created by your pet(s), nor any other conditions created by your pet(s). We do request that you provide plastic bags, towels, cleaning products, paper towels and trash bags and indicate where you would like the waste disposed of.

Fences: Fenced in yards are wonderful play spaces for pets, however, no fence system entirely guarantees your pet's safety. **bark! bark!** does not accept responsibility or liability for any customer's pets that escape, sustain injury (fatal or otherwise), or become lost when pets are left out or given access to a fenced in area. This includes electronic, wood, metal or any other fence types.

Keys: A working copy of your house keys must be provided before start of service. If you live in a gated community, you must provide a gate card, remote control or appropriate access codes. No keys will be returned by regular mail, hidden outdoors or locked in homes at last visit. Please check the key you provide to **bark! bark!**. Should keys become unusable, lock malfunctions, client fails to leave a key or for any other reasons beyond the control of **bark! bark!**, **bark! bark!** is unable to gain access to your home, appointment will be rescheduled. If it happens a second time, appointment will be rescheduled and a cancellation fee (\$15 if a 30 minute walk was scheduled or \$20 if a 60 minute walk was scheduled) will be charged.

Leashes: All dogs will be required to be on leash during outdoor walks. There will be no exceptions. Please leave leash/walking collar out for your dog walker.

Dog Walking Agreement

Client Name _____ Dog(s) Name _____

I understand that I am solely responsible for any harm caused by my dog(s) while under the care of **bark! bark!** and its employee.

I also understand and agree that in admitting my dog(s), **bark! bark!** has relied on my representation that my dog(s) is/are in good health and have not harmed or shown aggressive or threatening behavior towards any person or any other dog. I also understand that my dog will be walked on shared public sidewalks and streets and there are inherent risks that I accept liability for.

While my dog is in the care and custody of **bark! bark!** and I am unreachable in the event of an emergency, I hereby authorize **bark! bark!**, its agents, and/or representatives to seek immediate veterinary care for my dog.

I understand that all costs in connection therewith, including transportation, and veterinary, medical, and otherwise, shall be my responsibility and I am herewith providing **bark! bark!** with credit card information to be used for such purposes. I authorize **bark! bark!** to charge my account for dog walking services and/or all delinquent billing charges, veterinary care, or other charges incurred for services performed

I agree to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless **bark! bark!**, its owners, agents, officers, employees, or volunteers from and against any and all claims of any nature including all costs, expenses and attorneys' fees, which arise in any way out of the dog walking service provided by bark! bark!.

Although we carefully screen all applicants, occasionally we discover that this is not an appropriate service for every dog. **bark! bark!** reserves the right to permanently remove a dog from our dog walking service at any time.

I, the undersigned, affirm that I am at least 18 years of age and am freely signing this Dog Walking Agreement and Application. **I have read this Dog Walking Agreement and Application and fully understand that by signing this Waiver and Liability Release I am giving up legal rights** and/or remedies which may otherwise be available to me regarding any losses I may sustain. I agree that if any portion is held invalid, the remainder will continue in full legal force and effect.

Signature of Owner

Date

Credit Card Number

Exp. Date

3 Digit V-Code

****required for every account**

Zip Code

Parent / Household Information (Please Print)

Parent's Name: _____

Address: _____

Apt: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Alt Phone: _____

Special Entry Instructions (Gate Code, Lobby Code, Lockbox, etc):

Number of people in your household _____

male (adult) _____

female (adult) _____

male (children) _____

female (children) _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Ext _____

Cell Phone _____

Scheduling Information

Parent interested in:

30-min walks

1-hour walks

Start Date: _____

M

T

W

TH

F

Preferred Time Window (based on availability):

7 am – 9 am

10 am – 12 pm

1 pm – 3 pm

4 pm – 6 pm

Pet Profile

Dog 1 Name: _____ Breed: _____ Age: _____ Male / Female (circle one) Fixed: Y / N (circle one)

Dog 2 Name: _____ Breed: _____ Age: _____ Male / Female (circle one) Fixed: Y / N (circle one)

Medical or physical problems? Yes No If yes, please describe:

Is your dog on a flea prevention program? Yes No

Does your dog have any hip/joint problems? Yes No

If yes, what restrictions need to be placed on your dog's activities or movements?

Does your dog have any sensitive areas on his/her body that he does not like touched? _____

Does your dog have any known allergies or food restrictions? Yes No

How is your dog in on walks? Are they leash aggressive, protective, a "tuggers? How do they react to other dogs approaching when you're out on a walk?

How does your dog react to new people/dogs coming into your house?

Are there any kinds of people/dogs that your dog automatically fears or dislikes, or becomes nervous from?

Has your dog ever bitten a person or another dog? If yes, did it break skin? Yes No

What were the circumstances?

Does your dog tend to growl at people? Are there certain circumstances in which it occurs more often?

Does your dog like children? Yes No

Do you have any other pets? If so, please indicate

Has your dog ever jumped or climbed over a fence? Yes No How high was it? _____

Has your dog had any socialization with other dogs? Yes No

Is your dog fearful or aggressive around small/large dogs? Yes No

Are you able to remove things from your dog's mouth? Yes No

How does your dog react to puppies?

Has your dog had obedience training? Yes No When & where? _____

What kind of collar do you walk your dog in? _____

Is it effective in keeping him/her under control? Yes No

We use a second additional collar for safety. _____ OK _____ not OK

Is your dog crate trained? Yes No

What do you do with your dog when you are not at home / Where should we place him/her?

Other comments or information about your dog that you feel might be helpful:
