

Stonebridge Kennels

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Important Info about Boarding and Doggie Daycare Release of Liability

This information is provided so that you, the pet owner, have an understanding of the benefits and risks associated with dog boarding. By signing and returning this form, you agree to accept these risks.

1. Unless your dog is in doggie daycare, there are few opportunities for your dog to interact with other dogs in the kennel and all interactions cannot be prevented. Some dogs, even when boarded with mates, may react atypically. Sometimes tussles and fights can break out. Attempts will be made to prevent such behavior. However, Stonebridge Kennels cannot be held responsible for injuries, illness, death, and/or escape while dogs are boarded. Dogs that dig, chew on fencing, exhibit obsessive compulsive behavior (licking, barking, pacing) may injure themselves. Stonebridge Kennels will not be held liable for injury resulting from such behavior. Owner assumes responsibility and will pay for damages to persons and property done by their pet(s) while on Stonebridge Kennels' property.
2. Dogs will, at times, have access to outside, fenced areas, and Stonebridge Kennels will not be held liable if your dog(s) escape from climbing, jumping, or digging.
3. Dogs not regularly exposed to much activity may develop muscle soreness, blisters, fatigue, and other aches/pains. Sometimes they may develop abrasions to their feet. Try to maintain a healthy toenail length. Excessively long nails may cause injury to the dogs. We will trim nails at a cost of \$7.00 if they are too long. Let us know if you notice any problems, and we will try to adjust your dog's activity level.
4. Water will be available at all times, but your dog may still be thirsty when you bring him/her home. Try to limit excessive water intake, as it may cause stomach upset.
5. All dogs must be picked up as scheduled, unless prior arrangements have been made. If no contact is made by the owner for pick-up, your dog will be boarded for up to one week. The Owner will be responsible for all charges. Stonebridge Kennels will consider the dog abandoned after one week, and Stonebridge Kennels may, at Stonebridge Kennels' discretion, place, sell, or euthanize the dog.
6. By signing this agreement, you, the dog owner, agree that you are solely responsible for any harm caused to or by your dog while boarded at Stonebridge Kennels, and you release Stonebridge Kennels from any and all liability arising from your dog's actions. Any and all necessary veterinary care required and costs incurred as a result of any incident while boarded will be the sole responsibility of you, the pet owner. Reasonable attempts will be made to contact the owner if an incident requiring

medical attention occurs, but if no contact can be made, Stonebridge Kennels will have the pet treated by a veterinarian of Stonebridge Kennels' choosing, and all costs shall be the sole responsibility of the pet owner. The Owner agrees that Stonebridge Kennels' liability shall in no event exceed the lesser of the current tangible value of a pet of the same breed or the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) dollars per animal.

Important Info about Doggie Day Care Release of Liability

This information is provided so that you, the pet owner, have an understanding of the benefits and risks associated with group doggie day care. By signing and returning this form, you agree to accept these risks.

1. Doggie Day Care offers many positive experiences for your dog. Dogs are social animals, and a group environment fosters physical health as well as psychological well-being. Boredom is alleviated, and your dog will develop social skills. You will probably discover that after doggie day care, your dog is less inclined to exhibit destructive behavior around the house.
2. While there are many positive aspects to doggie day care, there are some risks. No known aggressive dogs will be permitted to attend, but sometimes tussles and fights can break out. Every attempt will be made to prevent such behavior. However, Stonebridge Kennels cannot be held responsible for injuries, illness, death, and/or escape while dogs are playing.
3. Dogs will, at times, have access to outside, fenced areas, and Stonebridge Kennels will not be held liable if your dog(s) escape from climbing, jumping, or digging.
4. Dogs not regularly exposed to much activity may develop muscle soreness, blisters, sore feet, fatigue, and other aches/pains. Sometimes they may develop abrasions to their feet. Try to maintain a healthy toenail length. Excessively long nails may cause injury to the dogs. We will trim nails at a cost of \$7.00 if they are too long. Let us know if you notice any problems, and we will try to adjust your dog's activity level.
5. Dogs not regularly socialized may exhibit atypical behavior, such as acting out, aggression, fear, or biting. Dogs may also become dirty while playing. Baths and brush-outs may be scheduled prior to pick-up.
6. All dogs in day care will be supervised AT ALL TIMES, but Stonebridge Kennels cannot prevent or control all incidents that may occur. Aggressive dogs will be removed from the day care setting.

7. Water will be available at all times, but your dog may still be thirsty when you bring him/her home. Try to limit excessive water intake, as it may cause stomach upset. Also, dogs in day care will share water bowls.
8. Dogs will be separated by various criteria including activity level, age, physical fitness, size, and/or demeanor.
9. All dogs must be picked up prior to 5:30pm,, unless prior arrangements have been made. Dogs not picked up by 5:30pm will be moved to an isolation kennel or crate until their owner arrives. A charge of \$5.00/15min (up to one hour) will be assessed for late pick-up. After 6:30pm, your dog will be housed overnight, and you will be charged regular boarding fees, in addition to the doggie day care fees. If no contact is made by the owner for pick-up, your dog will be boarded for up to one week. The Owner will be responsible for all charges. Stonebridge Kennels will consider the dog abandoned after one week, and Stonebridge Kennels may, at Stonebridge Kennels' discretion, place, sell, or euthanize the dog.
10. By signing this agreement, you, the dog owner, agree that you are solely responsible for any harm caused to your dog while attending Doggie Day Care at Stonebridge Kennels, and you release Stonebridge Kennels from any and all liability arising from your dog's participation. Any and all necessary veterinary care required and costs incurred as a result of any incident at Doggie Day Care will be the sole responsibility of you, the pet owner. Reasonable attempts will be made to contact the owner if an incident requiring medical attention occurs, but if no contact can be made, Stonebridge Kennels will have the pet treated by a veterinarian of Stonebridge Kennels' choosing, and all costs shall be the sole responsibility of the pet owner. The Owner agrees that Stonebridge Kennels' liability shall in no event exceed the lesser of the current tangible value of a pet of the same breed or the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) dollars per animal.

I acknowledge and accept that all the above policies refer to day care and boarding, and this agreement serves as accepting these conditions for one or both services.

Owner Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Please initial all that apply:

_____ Boarding

_____ Doggie Daycare