



**MEMBERSHIP/DONATION FORM:**

We appreciate any/all monetary contributions but request a \$20 fee for the first dog owned and \$15 for each additional dog. Donations are gratefully welcomed. Acquired funds are used to manage the park and provide all amenities/improvements for the benefit of users. Memberships are for one year only and EXPIRE DECEMBER 31<sup>ST</sup> in the year in which the membership is purchased.

Please complete the information on this form and send it to us:  
Stratford Dog Park Association,  
P.O.Box 21017,  
Stratford, ON  
N5A 7V4

We will send you a membership card that entitles you to a 10% discount at participating Pet Stores in Stratford. Presently the following Pet Stores provide the discount:

- ⑩ Better Dog Training and Behaviour (Huron Street)
- ⑩ Feed-All Pet Centre (new location by SHOPPERS on Ontario Street)
- ⑩ Global Pet Foods (Ontario Street) *The dog park is a registered "not-for-profit" Corporation. It is not a registered charity. Unfortunately, tax receipts cannot be issued for donations.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Vehicle Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Licence Plate #: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) of Dog(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Breed(s): \_\_\_\_\_

**AMOUNT ENCLOSED: (Please make cheques payable to "Stratford Dog Park Association")**

First dog ----- \$20.00

Additional dogs # \_\_\_\_\_ x \$15.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Donation ----- \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL AMOUNT** ----- \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I am willing to become a volunteer: Yes / No

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

***I understand that I am responsible for my actions and those of my dog(s) at all times at the park.***



### **PARK GUIDELINES:**

*The City of Stratford and the Stratford Dog Park Association assume no responsibility for any injuries or damage that may occur during the use of the Park.*

- All dogs must be accompanied by an **adult** owner or handler who must pick up and dispose of their dogs' poop in the garbage cans provided in the parking area.
- Owners/handlers must **supervise and be in control** of their dogs at all times.
- All dogs must be **leashed** when entering or leaving the park.
- **Only spayed or neutered dogs** are welcome in the park. No intact dogs over 6 months old.
- **No puppies** under 4 months of age. Puppies must have had all shots and boosters.
- No sick dogs.
- Aggressive dogs must be **muzzled**.
- **No glass containers or food**.
- Place all **litter and/or cigarette butts in the garbage cans** in the parking lot.
- It is dangerous to bring babies or toddlers into the park. **All children must be supervised at all times**.
- **Unaccompanied children are not allowed** in the park.
- This is a park for dogs, not an exercise area for humans. Therefore, no running or jogging.

### **ADDITIONAL TIPS FOR USING THE DOG PARK:**

A dog park is a great place to exercise and socialize your dog but there are things you should know before you visit. We ask that you become familiar with the etiquette associated with our park. **Please be a responsible pet owner and respectful of others.**

For the safety of all dog park users, your dog must have had all its *vaccines* - including boosters - before you venture in.

Your dog **must wear its collar at all times**. Should an altercation occur, you now have a means of catching and controlling your dog. Municipal licence and rabies tags should be attached. You are subject to fines if you do not comply. It is imperative that you **keep your dog leashed outside the park**. It is against Municipal By-laws to let your dog run loose in the parking lot.

Before you visit any dog park, you should have taught your dog *basic obedience*.

All dogs must be under *the control of their owners* at all times.

Municipal By-laws require you to **“stoop and scoop”**. Bags are usually provided within our park, however, please come prepared.

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**Under the Dog Owners Liability Act, “The owner of a dog is liable for damages resulting from a bite or attack by the dog on another person or domestic animal.”**