

***Welcome and thank you for becoming a member of the Defiance Bark & Run Dog Park. We're sure that you and your four-legged friend(s) will enjoy the park!***

When you arrive at the park, please be sure to choose the appropriate area for your dog. The small dog area is for dogs 25 pounds or less. All dogs must be spayed or neutered in order to become a member of the park.

There is a waste bag station located near the front of the park. Please be sure to use these because clean up is required. **This is your park, so please help us keep it clean.**

Defiance Parks and Recreation will do regular maintenance to the park. The park will be temporarily closed during these times. Herbicides will not be used in the dog park.

Please be sure that you close the gate securely when you enter and exit the park so non members do not have access to the park. Please be courteous to other dog owners. We would appreciate it if you read our rules and regulations to educate yourself on how to use the park and make the most of your visit. For the safety of all, do not congregate near the entrance; allow other dogs to enter without incident and keep your dog(s) away from the gate when dogs are entering.

Thank you for your support of the Defiance Bark & Run Park.

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Defiance, Ohio 43512

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# Rules and Regulations

1. *Hours are from sunrise to sunset*
2. *Dogs MUST be current on DHPP, Bordetella and Rabies vaccinations.*
3. *Dogs MUST have a valid dog license.*
4. *Dogs MUST display current rabies tag and dog license on their collars when in the dog park.*
5. *Absolutely no aggressive dogs allowed in the dog park. Dogs must be leashed and removed immediately at first sign of aggression.*
6. *Dogs under 6 months are not permitted.*
7. *All dogs MUST be spayed/neutered.*
8. *No children age 12 and under are permitted in the dog park. All children ages 13 - 17 MUST be accompanied and supervised by an adult member.*
9. *No other animals may be brought into the dog park.*
10. *Only two dogs per adult member allowed in the park at one time.*
11. *For the safety of the dogs, choke, prong, pinch and spike collars are strictly prohibited.*
12. *Dogs MUST be leashed when entering and exiting the dog park.*
13. *Once your dog has entered the dog park it must be off-leash.*
14. *All off-leash dogs MUST be in view of and under voice control of their owners*
15. *Dog owners MUST keep a leash on them at all times.*
16. *Food of any kind is prohibited in the dog park.*
17. *Smoking is strictly prohibited in the dog park.*
18. *Digging is not allowed but if your dog does dig please fill the hole promptly.*
19. *Owners MUST promptly pick up their dog's feces. Please use your own bags or bags provided and dispose of them in designated receptacles.*

**THE BARK'N RUNNERS RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CLOSE THE PARK DUE TO ADVERSE CONDITIONS. REASON WILL BE POSTED AT SITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE.**

**USE OF THE DEFIANCE BARK & RUN DOG PARK IS AT YOUR OWN RISK! DOG OWNERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ACTIONS AND BEHAVIOR OF THEIR DOGS AT ALL TIMES!**

**THE DEFIANCE BARK'N RUNNERS WILL PRACTICE A NO-TOLERANCE POLICY. IF YOU ARE FOUND TO BE BREAKING ANY OF THE DOG PARK RULES YOU WILL LOSE YOUR MEMBERSHIP.**

**THE DEFIANCE BARK & RUN DOG PARK WILL BE ROUTINELY MONITERED.**

**PLEASE CALL 911 IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY.**

**REPORT ANY SUSPICIOUS BEHAVIOR OR ACTIVITIES AT THE DOG PARK TO THE DEFIANCE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT. 419-784-5050**

## **Park Membership**

**A 4 digit code is required for you to enter the park.**

**Memberships can be dropped off at:**

The Defiance Development and Visitors Bureau  
325 Clinton St.  
Defiance, Oh 43512

**Any questions about the dog park can be answered through email at [defiancebarkandrun@gmail.com](mailto:defiancebarkandrun@gmail.com) or by phone 419-785-6847. The Visitors Bureau will not be able to answer any questions.**

**Or purchased online at:**

*[www.defiancebarkandrun.com](http://www.defiancebarkandrun.com)*

*Please do not allow others to enter the dog park that do not have a membership. We would like to remind you that memberships are not transferable to any other dog owner. The membership helps ensure that all registered dogs are up-to-date on vaccinations. We expect you to update your vaccinations when they are due. It is your responsibility to send with each renewal yearly.*

*You must re-register each year to ensure that your membership works. Be sure your dog's records are up to date and bring them with you. You cannot re-register without proof of vaccinations or a current dog license.*

# DEFIANCE BARK & RUN MEMBERSHIP FORM

*Please fill out this form completely and accurately and provide all necessary records to expedite processing. Applicants must be 18 years and older.*

Member #1 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Member #2 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address (both members must reside at same address): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE TELL US ABOUT EACH DOG YOU WOULD LIKE TO REGISTER.**

*All dogs must be up-to-date on required vaccinations, have a valid dog license and be altered.*

1. Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Altered: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Altered: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Altered: \_\_\_\_\_

The membership fee is \$35.00 for the first dog and \$10.00 for each additional dog. A service fee of \$3 is required for all credit card transaction.

The membership runs from June to June of the following year.

Please send photocopy records, along with this membership form, that show each dog is current on DHPP, Bordetella and Rabies vaccinations. These records should also show proof of spay/neuter. Also send a photocopy of each dog's license registration.

You will be required to submit verification each year that shows your dog(s) are up to date on vaccinations and have a valid dog license.

**I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE RULES OF THE DEFIANCE BARK & RUN DOG PARK. I UNDERSTAND THAT IF I HAVE DISREGARDED THESE RULES MY MEMBERSHIP WILL BE TERMINATED IMMEDIATELY.**

Member #1 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Member #2 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_