



Falcon Ridge Recreation Center (FRRC) Off-Leash Dog Area Rules

1. FRRC retains absolute discretion to terminate visit in off leash dog area if Member—in FRRC's determination—fails to obey these rules.
2. Children must be at least 8 years old to enter the off-leash dog area.
3. Member will closely supervise any accompanying minor children at all times. Member will ensure that accompanying children behave in a mature manner (e.g. no running, no flailing, no screaming, no dog chasing, no holding food or toy above dog's head, and no petting other Members' or activity participants' dogs without Member's or activity participant's prior permission).
4. All dogs at the Facility (unless in the Off-Leash Dog Area) must be on-leash, and may not remain outside the off-leash dog area except for ingress and egress to the off leash dog area.
5. Member will not bring any sick, injured, or parasite-infested dog into the Facility.
6. Member must remove his dog's feces and/or vomit, and place in tied plastic baggie in trashcans.
7. Member will minimize his dogs' barking.
8. Member will not allow digging anywhere at the Facility.
9. Intact dogs over 6 months old are not permitted in the off leash dog area.
10. Member must keep his dog **off leash** at all times within the off leash dog area, except if the dog is being moved from one off leash dog area to another.
11. Dogs must be at least 200 feet (large dog) or 50 feet (small dog) from the gate when other dogs are entering. Upon ingress, if dogs are greeting, incoming Member must bellow, "Gate!" and wait for welcoming dogs to vacate before entering.
12. Member will bellow, "Guard!" and/or "Fight!" (as the situation merits) if Member notices dogs behaving in a dangerous or potentially dangerous manner of heightened stimulation. Upon hearing either of these warnings, Member will recall, retrieve, or collect his dog immediately.
13. Dogs may not "two-time" another dog (only two dogs at a time may wrestle).
14. Member must be of a physical and mental state, upon each visit, such that Member is able to control Member's dog.
15. Member must be in control of and have full view of his dog(s) at all times.
16. All dogs must walk through the off leash dog area, and at no time be carried (unless sick or injured).
17. Each Member may bring no more than two dogs into the off leash dog Area.
18. Member will not allow his dog to hump other dogs nor allow his dog to be humped by other dogs.
19. Member will take immediate action if his dog displays annoying, aggressive, or intimidating behavior (posturing, growling, biting, toy possessiveness) to another dog or Member or activity participant. Member will either move his dog to another part of the off-leash dog area, leave the off-leash dog area, or do whatever she/he has to do to prevent the behavior from recurring (time-out, redirect behavior, etc.).
20. Should a fight occur, under the supervision of monitor, both Members and both dogs shall engage in fight de-escalation techniques such as pack walks, re-introduction sniffing, and body blocking. At the monitors discretion, dogs involved shall remain or depart.
21. Should an attack occur, aggressing dog (by monitor's discretion) must leave immediately.
22. Member may allow rough play as long as it is consensual between the playing dogs. Member will not allow rough play and chasing if any of the dogs involved is not comfortable with the situation.
23. Member will not use spiked/prong collars, choke chains, or electric shock collars on his dog(s) within the off leash dog area. FRRC may allow electric shock collars at its discretion.
24. Member must have possession of the dog leash at all times.
25. Member will not bring food—human or canine—into the off leash dog area.
26. Member is responsible for any injuries caused by his dog(s). FRRC is not responsible for any injuries caused by any Member's dog(s) to any other Member, Member's dog(s), agents, or children.
27. Member's dog may only use areas designated for his size class, temperament or age group.
28. Member may bring into the off leash dog area only tennis balls and Frisbees (no high value toys). If a particular toy causes dogs to fight, that toy will be removed immediately.