



Bark Park

Obtaining a Bark Park Tag:

- **Complete Application**
- **Your Dog(s) is Spayed/Neutered**
- **Current Dog License (paper copy)**
- **Proof of Home Owners/Renters Insurance**

Annual FEES:

- **Residents: FREE**
- **Non-Residents: \$25 (*fee increase in 2022*)**

***Submit Application, Required Documents and Fee to
the Parks & Recreation Office to Receive Tag(s).**

***A \$25 fine will be enforced if your dog(s)
does not have a Bark Park Tag.**

**Pequannock Parks & Recreation
530 Newark Pompton Turnpike
Pompton Plains, NJ 07444
(973) 835-5700 X158**

Bark Park Application

Owner Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Email: _____

Driver's License No.: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____



Dog 1

Name: _____ **Breed:** _____

Color: _____ **Age:** _____ **Sex:** M / F **Spayed / Neutered**

Town's Dog License No.: _____

Veterinarian's Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Dog Park Tag No.: _____

Dog 2

Name: _____ **Breed:** _____

Color: _____ **Age:** _____ **Sex:** M / F **Spayed / Neutered**

Town's Dog License No.: _____

Veterinarian's Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Dog Park Tag No.: _____



Bark Park Rules & Regulations



1. Dog Owners are responsible and liable for the actions and behavior of their dog(s) at all times and may use the park at their own risk. Pequannock Township will not provide supervision during Dog Park operating hours.
2. Dog owners must confirm that their homeowner's/renter's insurance has liability coverage before using the Dog Park.
3. ALL dogs MUST have current rabies and distemper vaccinations. It is recommended that dogs be on a flea and heartworm preventative medication.
4. If your dog is ill, DO NOT USE THE PARK.
5. All dogs must wear a valid license and Pequannock Twp. Bark Park tag when in the park.
6. A limit of two dogs per adult may be brought to the park at the one time.
7. Dogs must be accompanied by an adult 18 years or older.
8. Dogs must be kept on a leash until inside the gated area.
9. No puppies younger than six months old are permitted to use the park.
10. No children under age eight shall be allowed inside the gated area. Children 8-17 are permitted inside gated area when accompanied by an adult.
11. Owners are required to clean up after their dog(s).
12. Owner MUST remove their dog(s) from the park at FIRST sign of aggression. Continued signs of aggression by any dog may result in loss of membership.
13. ALL dogs must be Spayed or Neutered.
14. All dog bites MUST be reported to the Pequannock Twp. Health Department.
15. No food is permitted inside park.
16. The park may be closed without prior notice for maintenance.
17. Bark Park tags are not transferable.
18. All Pequannock Twp. Parks are Smoke, Alcohol and Drug Free Zones.
19. Park is open during Daylight Hours Only.
20. Dog owners failing to comply with the above rules/regulations shall be deemed in violation of Ordinance 2007-26, Section 129.020

I have read the rules & regulations and understand that violating ANY will result in losing park privileges:

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Bark Park Waiver

ACCEPTANCE of RISK and RELEASE of LIABILITY: Acceptance of the terms and conditions of this release and adherence to the Dog Park rules are conditions of membership approval, retention and renewal. Membership may be revoked for non-compliance.

I hereby acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to participate and use, with my dog(s), designated dog park areas operated by the Pequannock Twp. Parks & Recreation Department. I understand that unleashing my dog(s) and being physically present at a dog area involves risk of injury to me, any individuals accompanying me, other people, my dog(s), including but not limited to, risks resulting from aggressive dogs, unpredictable behavior, and lack of training. I further understand that despite the efforts of the Pequannock Parks & Recreation Department to ensure the owners have complied there is risk that not all dogs in the park are licensed and vaccinated as required by law, which could result in injury to human and/or dog. Additional risks include, but not limited to: dog fights; dog bites; theft or unlawful capture; escape over or under fences; vegetation or standing water that may be poisonous if consumed; burrs or seeds that may become lodged in the dog's coat, paws, eyes, ears or nose; mosquitos; ticks; chiggers; fleas and other insects; and wildlife typically found in a park such as snakes, raccoons, opossums, etc. It is my understanding that use of the dog park is self-directed and not directly supervised by an agent or employee of the Pequannock Twp. Parks & Recreation Department. I assume all risks associated with using the dog park, including fixtures and equipment, in an unsupervised and self-directed manner.

By signing this release, I agree to indemnify and serve harmless the Pequannock Twp. Parks and Recreation Department, its agents, officers and employees and assigns from and against all loss, cost, damages, expenses and liability resulting from my use of the dog park, including death, sickness, injury and disease to any person or dog or destruction to property, real or personal, arising from my use of the dog park. I have carefully read this release of liability and understand, agree with and accept the terms and conditions. I have also received a copy of the rules for dog park use and agree to abide by these rules.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____