



**All dogs must come for a FirstVisit/Orientation before they board with us.** This visit is day of dog care so we can evaluate your dog's temperament here at the ranch. We also complete your dog's history file including vaccination records from your vet, each dog's profile, our boarding legal agreement and any specifics about care on the dog reservation form.

Most dogs love the company of other dogs, and this gives your dog a chance to get to know our handlers and our routines so that when you leave her or him with us in the future, she will be all ready to rejoin the fun!

*\*\*If you do not make a reservation at the time of your dog's visit, we will keep your records active for 60 days, and then we will need new forms and vet records. Disqualifying behaviors for free play boarding include fence jumping, aggression toward handlers or other dogs. We found 95% of dogs do well in our safe, serene, free-play, country setting. Also, the initial evaluation is free unless you are taking advantage of special services like shuttle rides etc. Please make sure your dog has had some positive exposure to other dogs and is not aggressive.*

### **Vaccinations:**

We require a veterinarian certificate indicating proof of vaccination for Rabies, DHLPP, and Bordetella. We require the Bordetella vaccination be administered at least once per year. If other vaccinations are required we will let you know. At this time these are our requirements.

Rabies shot is required for dogs over 4 months. Puppies who are too young to receive rabies vaccination will be admitted with their puppy shots (a series of vaccinations at 8 weeks, 12 weeks, and 16 weeks to protect against canine diseases including distemper and Parvo).

### **Temperament Testing for All Dogs (Protective Breeds are screened carefully):**

All dogs are temperament tested on their required First Visit/Orientation Day to make sure they are friendly with handlers and other dogs in our ranch environment.

Some breeds are NOT normally suitable for free play with other dogs, but sometimes with proper socialization and exposure to other dogs, they will fit in with our free play temperament standards. These breeds include Staffordshire, Pit Bull Terriers, Doberman Pinschers, German Shepherds, Siberian Huskies, Malamutes, Akitas, Belgian Malinois, and other protective or attack breeds. They will be screened with greater scrutiny and caution than other breeds. If you would trust your dog unsupervised in a yard with 7 or 8 other dogs not familiar to him/her, then there is a chance they may be suitable. We trust owner's discretion about the temperament or breed that can be social with strangers, and other dogs. We are willing to temperament test all breeds but will have a higher standard of social behavior for these breeds.

### **Spayed or Neutered Dogs are Welcome:**

Doggie Dude Ranch boarding is for *friendly spayed or neutered dogs only*\*. For the well-being of your dogs, please spay or neuter. Dogs are much happier in this state as they are not in breeding competition.

**Exceptions:** Dogs UNDER ONE YEAR may board intact (not neutered). Females in heat cannot be cared for.

**Breeders:** If you have a purebred dog that you are planning to breed we will CHECK CAREFULLY for untolerated behavior on the FIRST VISIT. But, be aware that we may have to limit these dogs from high traffic times with larger crowds.

If we do accept your NON-NEUTERED DOG we do NOT accept any liability for your dog. FREE PLAY BOARDING IS REALLY BEST WHEN ALL DOGS ARE NEUTERED OR SPAYED (See Limited Liability

Boarding Agreement) For more info on spaying and neutering contact your vet or [Spay Arkansas](#) Spaying or neutering is best for your dog's health, and can help your dog maintain good behavior in social settings. WE SAY SPAY! Consult your veterinarian if you have any questions and ask for her recommendations.

*\*If your dog is approved by special permission to board without being neutered there are no discounts and extra charges may apply.*

### **Feeding and Medicine:**

Our prices include dog food. We feed a high quality kibble that is suitable for dogs of all ages and activity levels. If your dog is used to a diet you feed consistently, bring that diet regimen for the stay. If not you can let them eat our yummy food that dogs usually love and digest well. We can feed a grain-free kibble for an extra \$2/day. We offer feed morning and afternoon adventure walks. No one goes hungry here. \*We feed [4-star rated Diamond Dog Foods](#). Treats are shared and provided. We are happy to feed your dog's diet, just provide the meals pre-packaged or just enough food for the stay. **We can't store large containers or large bags of food. NO scoops or bowls please.** ABOUT MEDICINE OR TREATMENTS: The charge is \$2-\$5/per day per medicine (NOT PER DOSE) or treatment depending on the nature of administering.

### **Additional Charges and Damages:**

Our Staff works hard to maintain a schedule conducive to all the dogs attending the Ranch. Therefore, we have required time windows for drop off and pick up. If you let us know the time you'd like to drop off or pick up within the following windows, it will save you time when you get here. *Owners are required to pay for all damages to property, people or other dogs.*

Our Daily Schedule for pick up or drop-offs are:

Morning 7-10 am (no Sunday morning d/o or p/u)

Afternoon 4-6 pm

*Pick up and drop off times BY APPOINTMENT ONLY, 7 days a week. NOTE: We prefer morning drop-offs so your dog gets more time to get oriented to the staff and dogs they will be staying with at the Ranch. And it is a free day of dog play!*

*Late Pickup:* There is an automatic \$20 late fee if you are late picking up your dog. For morning pick up, you must be here by 10 am. We close at 6pm and expect owners to plan accordingly when doing an afternoon pick up between 4 and 6 pm.

### **Changes to Your Reservation with Early Pick up or Cancellations:**

Early pick up is fine, just call to let us know changes as soon as you can. We are not able to change your invoice if we have less than 48 hours' notice. No invoice changes are made on weekends.

**Refund Policy:** Deposits are refundable ONLY if you notify us 10 or more days before the stay. There are no refunds if you notify us less than 10 days before your reservation date. All reservations require a 50% deposit to confirm your dogs stay at the Ranch. Once the deposit is paid the refund policy is in effect. If you have booked with Petbookings.com, you may contact them up to 10 days before the stay to refund your payment. After this we will not be able to refund your deposit made through Petbookings.com. Thank you.

Pet Owner Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Pet Owner Name Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

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

# Your Dog's Profile (one for each dog)

Owner's Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Dog's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nicknames: \_\_\_\_\_ How long have you owned this dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. Age \_\_\_\_\_ Sex M / F Neutered Y / N

*Non-neutered dogs stay only by special arrangement, no discounts, extra charges may apply.*

How did you hear about Doggie Dude Ranch? \_\_\_\_\_

Referred By: \_\_\_\_\_ (earn \$10 credit when a friend puts you here)

Date of First Orientation Visit to DDR \_\_\_\_\_ \*\*\*\*\*

## CONTACT INFORMATION

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Vet's name \_\_\_\_\_ Clinic name \_\_\_\_\_

Clinic Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Permission to take dog to available vet in the event of an emergency Y / N

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## TELL US ABOUT YOUR DOG! (please answer all questions)

Circle all words that describe your dog

Adaptable Agile Playful Cranky Excitable Gentle Frisky Good-natured Friendly Healthy Shy  
Scared Nervous Lazy Destructive Anxious

Rate your dogs activity level (1 being not active, 10 being extremely active): 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Does your dog like and get along with: People Y / N Other dogs Y / N Children Y / N

In your own words, describe your dog's temperament: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**\*IMPORTANT\*** Has your dog ever shown any type of aggression to other dogs, people or children: Y / N

Describe these situations \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Has your dog ever escaped a fenced area? Y / N Is your dog anxious when you leave? Y / N

Explain these situations \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Do you feel your dog has special needs? Y / N Explain \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

What are your dog's nightly sleeping arrangements? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Describe what your dog's eating patterns: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Describe your dog's daily routine \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

What does your dog like to do most \_\_\_\_\_

Any bad habits? \_\_\_\_\_

Anything else you would like us to know about your dog: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for submitting one for each dog.

Ernie Boudreaux's



**DOGGIE DUDE RANCH**  
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Dear Dog Owner,

We are here to serve you and your dog, but issues can arise so the following agreement outlines the limits of our liability during the time we are caring for your dog. We love dogs and will treat yours as our own. As for the terms of agreement, we have consulted the American Boarding Kennel Association and their legal counsel to outline the conditions under which you are leaving your dog with us. We have listed any circumstance we or the ABKA has imagined. Thank you for reading this carefully before you sign this binding agreement. **If your dog is not neutered or spayed, or is unable to be contained please note the no liability clause in item 5: and note damages clause in item 5, also.**

*Thank you, EB's Doggie Dude Ranch*

### **DOG BOARDING LIMITED LIABILITY AGREEMENT**

This is an Agreement between Ernie Boudreaux's Doggie Dude Ranch (hereinafter called "Kennel") and the pet owner whose signature appears below (hereinafter called "Owner").

1. Owner agrees to pay the rate for boarding in effect on the date pet is checked into the Kennel (as posted in office and as indicated on the Prices information page).
2. Owner further agrees to pay all costs and charges for special services requested and required, and all veterinary costs for the pet during the time said pet is in the care of the Kennel.
3. Owner further agrees that the pet shall not leave the Kennel property until Owner pays all charges to Kennel or proper payment arrangements are agreed upon by both parties.
4. By signing this contract and leaving pet with the Kennel, Owner certifies to the accuracy of all information given about said pet. Kennel reserves the right to deny admittance to Owner's pet for any reason at any time.
5. Kennel shall exercise reasonable care for the pet delivered to the Kennel for boarding. Kennel allows social interaction between dogs at appropriate times; Owner recognizes and accepts potential risks involved in such interactions. It is expressly agreed by Owner and Kennel that Kennel's liability shall in no event exceed the lesser of the current chattel value

of a pet of the same breed/kind or the sum of \$400 per animal boarded. **It is expressly agreed by Owner and Kennel that Kennel has no liability for animals not neutered or spayed; and no liability if dog is unable to be contained in our facility (i.e. fence jumpers and escape artist dogs).**

ALL injuries that require veterinarian services will be paid by the Owner to the Kennel or to the vet. The Owner further agrees to be solely responsible for any and all acts of behavior of said boarded pet while it is in the care of the Kennel, to include payment of costs for injury to staff or other animals or damage to facilities caused by the pet.

6. Owner specifically represents that he or she is the sole owner of the pet, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances.
7. Owner specifically represents to Kennel that, to Owner's knowledge, the pet has not been exposed to any contagious diseases within a thirty-day period prior to boarding. During the period of this Agreement, owner also agrees to notify Kennel of any known exposure of pet to a communicable disease and hold pet out of attending Kennel until pet is symptom-free for a period appropriate to the particular disease or with written veterinary clearance. Owner further agrees to maintain currency of vaccinations as required by Kennel policy.
8. Owner agrees to provide proof of preventative flea/tick treatment program and to be financially responsible for any required treatment for fleas/ticks, if determined necessary by the Kennel.
9. All charges incurred by Owner shall be payable upon request. The Kennel shall have, and is hereby granted, a lien on the pet for any and all unpaid charges for services provided by the Kennel. The Owner hereby agrees that in the event the boarding or other appropriate charges are not paid when due in accordance with this contract, the Kennel may exercise its lien rights upon ten days written notice given by Kennel to Owner by certified mail to address shown on contract. Kennel may recover monies owed for any and all unpaid charges by offering pet for private or public sale, in the sole discretion of the Kennel, and Owner specifically waives all statutory or legal rights to the contrary. If such sale shall not secure a price adequate to pay such costs of board or other charges delinquent, plus costs of sale, then Owner shall be liable to Kennel for the difference. All monies realized by Kennel at such sale, over and above the charges due and costs of sale, shall be paid by Kennel to Owner.
10. If pet becomes ill or injured, or if the state of the animal's health otherwise requires professional attention, the Kennel, in its sole discretion, may engage the services of a veterinarian or administer medicine or give other requisite attention to the animal, and the expenses thereof shall be paid by the Owner.
11. Kennel shall make every reasonable effort to drive carefully and safely while transporting pets for owners who utilize the pick-up or delivery service, or any other reason pets may be transported. Owner agrees not to hold Kennel liable for injury or death of pet due to accident during transport unless Kennel's driving is found to be grossly negligent. Kennel's liability is limited to terms outlined in item 5 of this agreement.
12. This contract contains the entire agreement between the parties. All terms and conditions of this contract shall be binding on the heirs, administrators, personal representatives and assigns of the Owner and Kennel.

13. Any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this contract, or the breach thereof, or as the result of any claim or controversy involving the alleged negligence by any party to this contract, shall be settled by arbitration in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association, and judgment upon the award rendered by an arbitrator may be entered in any Court having jurisdiction thereof. The arbitrator shall, as part of his award, determine an award to the prevailing party of the costs of such arbitration and reasonable attorney's fees of the prevailing party.

Ernie Boudreaux's Doggie Dude Ranch  
REPRESENTATIVE

\_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_  
*(print)*                      *(signature)*                      *Date*

PET OWNER

\_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_  
*(print)*                      *(signature)*                      *Date*

# Dog Reservation Information for Ernie Boudreaux's Doggie Dude Ranch

Please fill out one form per reservation. You can include up to 3 dogs on one form. Please complete all information. Hours for drop-off and pick-up are 7-10 am and 4-6pm Monday-Saturday. Sunday 4-6 pm. Please let us know your estimated drop off and pick up times, so we can help you quickly when you arrive.

Owner's Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Drop-off Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Pick-up Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Doggie Dude Ranch will provide FREE shuttle service for our customers at Huntsville Rd and Crossover Rd. where the Mana Clinic, Rolling Pin Café and Medical Arts Pharmacy is. The service is available most **weekdays** at 7:30 am

Largest DOG Name \_\_\_\_\_ BREED \_\_\_\_\_ Wt \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. AGE \_\_\_\_\_

Second DOG Name \_\_\_\_\_ BREED \_\_\_\_\_ Wt \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. AGE \_\_\_\_\_

Third DOG Name \_\_\_\_\_ BREED \_\_\_\_\_ Wt \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. AGE \_\_\_\_\_

## CONTACT INFORMATION

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_

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

## EMERGENCY CONTACT

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

## FEEDING and MEDICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Doggie Dude Ranch feeds Diamond Maintenance kibble in the morning and afternoon. If you would like to bring your own dog food OR your dog is on medication, please specify instructions below and bring just enough food for your dog's stay. Please label all food and medicine containers, and provide information about amounts or have meals prepackaged for each meal. Medicines should include full instructions about administration. We charge between \$2.50 and \$5 per medicine per day, costs per medication or treatment depends on the number of doses, difficulty to administer, etc.

DOG 1: \_\_\_ House Food \_\_\_ Bring Food feeding instructions \_\_\_\_\_

MEDICATION: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Dosage instructions \_\_\_\_\_

DOG 2: \_\_\_ House Food \_\_\_ Bring Food feeding instructions \_\_\_\_\_

MEDICATION: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Dosage instructions \_\_\_\_\_

DOG 3: \_\_\_ House Food \_\_\_ Bring Food feeding instructions \_\_\_\_\_

MEDICATION: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Dosage instructions \_\_\_\_\_

## SPECIAL PERMISSION for ADVENTURE WALKS

My dog is allowed to leave the premises of Ernie Boudreaux's Doggie Dude Ranch ON LEASH for nature walks or other suitable, supervised dog adventures. \_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO

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

## VACCINATIONS AND FLEA/TICK TREATMENT

Please provide a copy of your vet records when bringing your dog. If self administered, provide dates (mo/yr) of last treatment, and dated receipt with all of the following vaccinations included. All vaccines must be within the past 12 months. *Our standards for vaccinations are your vet's recommendations. If you have records from the vet of the vaccinations we will accept them.* It is recommended by most vets to keep your dog protected from fleas and ticks year round. Those critters are here in the countryside but if everyone complies they don't bother us.

DOG 1 Rabies \_\_\_/\_\_\_ DHPP \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Bordatella \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Flea-Tick \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Brand: \_\_\_\_\_

DOG 2 Rabies \_\_\_/\_\_\_ DHPP \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Bordatella \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Flea-Tick \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Brand: \_\_\_\_\_

DOG 3 Rabies \_\_\_/\_\_\_ DHPP \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Bordatella \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Flea-Tick \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Brand: \_\_\_\_\_

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We can email your estimated invoice for deposit on request.