

Waller Mill Dog Park



Joint venture
between
City of Williamsburg
and
James City County



2016 Hours of Operation:

(open year round weather permitting)

January 2- 17	8:00 am - 5:00 pm
January 18- March 13	8:00 am - 6:00 pm
March 14- 27	7:00 am - 7:00 pm
March 28- April 17	7:00 am - 7:30 pm
April 18- August 21	7:00 am - 8:00 pm
August 22- September 11	7:00 am - 7:30 pm
September 12- October 9	7:00 am - 7:00 pm
October 10- November 6	8:00 am - 6:30 pm
November 6- December 31	8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Scheduled Closings:

Jan 1, Nov 24, Dec 24 & 25

Hours Are Subject To Change Without Notice.

Virginia State Code Recreational Use Immunity

§ 15.2-1809. Liability of localities in the operation of parks, recreational facilities, and playgrounds.

No City or town which operates any park, recreational facility, or playground shall be liable in any civil action or proceeding for damages resulting from any injury to the person or from a loss of or damage to the property of any person caused by any act or omission constituting ordinary negligence on the part of any officer or agent of such city or town in the maintenance or operation of any such park, recreational facility or playground. Every such city or town shall, however, be liable in damages for the gross negligence of any of its officers or agents in the maintenance or operation of any such park, recreational facility or playground.

The immunity created by this section is hereby conferred upon counties in addition to, and not limiting on, other immunity existing at common law or by statute.

(Code 1950, § 15-714; 1962, c. 623, § 15.1-291; 1979, c. 277; 1990, c. 18; 1997, c. 587.)

FEEDING OF
PARK
WILDLIFE IS
STRICTLY
PROHIBITED.



**DOGS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN
THE RESERVOIR FOR
ANY REASON.**



**Waller Mill Park
Route 645, Airport Road**

Phone: (757) 259-3778

Fax: (757) 259-9187

Website: www.williamsburgva.gov/rec

Mailing Address:

City of Williamsburg
Parks and Recreation Department
202 Quarterpath Road
Williamsburg, VA 23185

Mission Statement:

To provide a safe and well-maintained park for you and your dog to enjoy.

In keeping with the Mission Statement, the following rules have been established. The Waller Mill Dog Park is a joint venture between the **City of Williamsburg** and **James City County**.

Prior to entering and using the Dog Park, all dogs must be registered at the Operations Building and all owners/handlers must read and agree to abide by the Dog Park Rules. To register your dog: the owner's information, the handler's information (if different) and the dog's information must be submitted on the Registration Form.

Information for your dog must include the name, approximate age, breed, and City or County of dog license registration. Owners must present written records indicating current dog license and rabies vaccination.

Since this is a community dog park, the Department of Parks & Recreation recommends that all users consult their local veterinarian to determine if their pet should receive preventative vaccinations other than those required by the department for dog park usage.

Use of the Dog Park shall be at your own risk.



Annual Membership Rates:

Williamsburg / James City County Residents:

\$27.00 1st dog / \$10.00 each additional dog

****Prices include vehicle entrance****

Non-Residents:

\$62.00 1st dog / \$25.00 each additional dog

****Prices include vehicle entrance****

Daily Use Rate:

\$2.00 per dog / per day

****Vehicle entrance not included in this price****



🐾 The Dog Park has two areas, one for small dogs 30 pounds and less and an area for large dogs. To ensure the safety of all the dogs in the park, dogs should be kept in the area that fits their weight category.

🐾 All members must wear their membership card and lanyard at all times while in the dog park. If you do not have your membership card with you, a name tag must be issued at the boathouse before entering the dog park.

🐾 Daily users must wear the name tag issued to them at all times while in the dog park.

🐾 All dogs must be off leash while in the dog park.

🐾 The Dog Park gates must be kept closed. No animals other than dogs are allowed in the Dog Park.

🐾 Aggressive, disruptive, sick, female dogs in heat, and puppies younger than four months old are not permitted in the Dog Park.

🐾 Only two dogs per handler are allowed. Dogs must be under the handler's control at all times.

🐾 A handler must be eighteen (18) years old, but may permit a person who is twelve (12) years or older to participate in the handling of the dog.

🐾 Children under the age of five (5) years are not allowed within the Dog Park fences at any time.

🐾 Smoking, food, cigarettes and tobacco products, glass containers, and trash are not allowed in the Dog Park. These items may cause harm to the dogs.

🐾 Do not feed the dogs in or near the Dog Park. This includes training treats.

🐾 Choke, prong, pinch, and spike collars must be removed before a dog may run free in the Dog Park.

🐾 Handlers are responsible for cleaning up after their dogs. Failure to clean up will be cause for termination of further use of the Dog Park.

🐾 Anyone creating a disturbance or violating the Dog Park or general Waller Mill Park rules may be asked to leave Waller Mill Park and/or relinquish their Dog Park membership. In the event of relinquishment of membership, there shall be no refund of any portion of the membership fee.

🐾 Park personnel are not responsible to mediate any disputes. Some or all persons involved in a dispute may be directed to leave Waller Mill Park. Further, the City Director of Parks and Recreation may in his/her sole discretion, either temporarily ban persons involved in a dispute from either the Dog Park or the entirety of Waller Mill Park. In either case no refund will be made of Dog Park Membership fees. I understand that my dog park membership will be issued with a gate card that includes my entrance fee until which time my membership expires. I also understand that in order to receive the benefit of the gate card, I will need to have it with me or be subject to the regular rate. Replacement rate for membership card or gate card is \$5 each.

🐾 I understand that by my use of the Waller Mill Dog Park, staff may ask for my registration information and identification, and I hereby agree to provide that information upon request. Failure to provide this information may result in my being asked to leave the dog park until such time as I can produce this documentation.

