

BOARDING AGREEMENT 2016

(To be filled out by clients annually)

Owner's Name: _____

Pet's Name: _____

A. VACCINES:

In order to board your pet(s), his/her Rabies vaccine must have been given within the last 12 months if the pet is less than 2 years of age or 36 months if the pet is over 2 years of age. A licensed veterinarian must have administered all other vaccinations within the last 12 months. Our boarding facility only accommodates active clients of Village Animal Hospital that have had an examination within the past year. If your pet does not receive its vaccines at this facility, you must show documentation that verifies current vaccinations. If you and your pet are new to the state of North Carolina, state law requires you must provide proof the Rabies vaccine has been administered within the last 12 months, if it has not been your pet maybe subject to re-vaccination. If any vaccinations are past due, your pet must be vaccinated before boarding for his/her protection. Vaccines administered at this facility will be added to your bill.

FOR DOGS: Rabies, Distemper, Adenovirus, Parainfluenza, Parvovirus, Bordetella, and Canine Influenza are **REQUIRED FOR BOARDING.**

FOR CATS: Rabies, Rhinotracheitis, Distemper, Calicivirus, and Pneumonitis are **REQUIRED FOR BOARDING.**

B. FECAL EXAMINATION:

All cats/dogs must show proof of a negative fecal exam within the last 12 months. This will ensure your pet's safety and protection while he/she stays here for boarding.

C. DIET:

We have a Purina EN food available to feed your pet(s) while boarding. If your pet is on a special diet please bring their food with them for their stay. If while your pet(s) is boarding is not eating his/her food, we will charge canned EN to your account to help encourage your pet to eat throughout his/her stay.

D. MEDICATIONS

We will administer any required medications to your pet at an additional fee of \$5.00 per night (Medical Boarding). Please bring appropriate medications in their original bottles and provide instructions for giving. Vitamins and other supplements will be given at no additional charge. Should medications need to be filled or refilled, they will be added to your bill.

E. HAIR, COAT, AND SKIN

Your pet(s) will be given an exam of skin upon admittance to our facility. Should your pet have fleas, ticks, or a generalized skin condition, treatment will be given to improve the pet's skin condition at owner's expense. We cannot allow other pets to become infested.

F. AGGRESSION

Should my pet show any aggression toward the staff, Village Animal Hospital will notify owner and arrangements for pick up will be made.

G. FEE SCHEDULE:

DOGS: 1-25 lbs. = \$19.00 per night
26-50 lbs = \$22.00 per night
51-80 lbs. = \$25.00 per night
> 81 lbs. = \$28.00 per night
CATS: \$16.00 per night

MEDICAL BOARDING: Additional \$5.00 per night to the fees above.

H. RUN REQUEST ADDITIONAL CHARGE:

For owners that request small dogs be boarded in a large run an additional charge will be added per night. An initial fee of \$12.00 will be added for the request of a run. After the fourth night of boarding, \$3.00 will be added per night for accommodating that run.

H. STATEMENT OF KENNEL POLICY:

1. Pets must be admitted for boarding and picked up between 8:30AM to 4:30PM Monday through Friday and between 8:30AM to 11:30AM on Saturdays. Owners needing to pick up or drop off their pets outside of these hours need to make arrangements in advance with the kennel manager so that our staff may be aware of the exception.
2. Check In and Check Out processes require time to make sure your pet(s) needs are recorded accurately. If you will be pressed for time, please provide full written instructions and contact information when dropping your pet off.
3. Personal items such as bedding, towels, and toys may be left only at your own risk. We cannot guarantee their safe return. We have bedding and bowls here to supply.
4. Village Animal Hospital cannot guarantee the health of any animal, but pledges to give appropriate care to all boarding pets. I hold Village Animal Hospital harmless for conditions unavoidable in boarding environments such as, but not limited to, weight loss, rough hair coat, kennel cough, upper respiratory infection, diarrhea and fleas. Village Animal Hospital will take appropriate measure to minimize those conditions from occurring.
5. Should my pet(s) identified on this record become ill, I hereby request that the veterinarians and staff of Village Animal Hospital provide any necessary medical/surgical treatment. I acknowledge that in the event of my pet(s) illness, the staff at Village Animal Hospital may not be able to contact me immediately and is therefore authorized to initiate treatment of my pet(s) until I can be reached. I agree to pay all related expenses associated with the treatment of my pet(s) until I am available to discuss further care and cost with the attending veterinarian.
6. Village Animal Hospital will take every precaution to protect your pet during their time outside. We have a fenced yard for their use. However, Village Animal Hospital is not responsible and will be held harmless should your pet escape from this area.
7. No pet will be discharged to anyone other than the owner or known family member. Should pet owner be unable to pick up the pet, a staff member must be notified prior to pick up with name of responsible party to whom the pet will be released.

I AGREE TO MAKE COMPLETE PAYMENT TO VILLAGE ANIMAL HOSPITAL AT THE TIME OF DISCHARGE.

I certify that I have no knowledge of pet(s) having an unreported illness or contagious disease, fleas, tick, and have not bitten anyone within the past ten days.

I certify that my pet(s) have never been labeled or identified as an aggressive pet by a handler, breeder, animal control officer, other veterinarian, or insurance agent.

By signing below, I agree that Village Animal Hospital is not to be held liable for any events and/or any charges incurred by such event should I elect to board two of my pets in the same cage/crate/ or kennel. I take full responsibility for this decision and any damages/charges incurred as a result.

I understand that if I fail to pick up my pet(s) within ten days of notification to the above address. My pets will be considered "abandoned" and will be handled in accordance with North Carolina State Law, and that doing so does not relieve me of my financial obligations.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE AND I AM IN FULL AGREEMENT.

Signature of Owner

Date

Emergency Contact Numbers: _____