



Please complete this waiver with the required information. All dogs are required to have a current dog license issued by a licensing agency. **Additionally, each applicant is required to have thoroughly read and sign the Dogs in the Garden “Rules & Regulations”.**

OWNER’S NAME(s): _____ **Garden Member #** _____

Local Address: _____ **City:** _____ **Zip:** _____

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

Email Address: _____

Alternate Contact: _____ **Phone:** _____

Vet’s Name _____ **Phone:** _____

DOG INFORMATION (NOTE: One dog per adult allowed during any Dog Event at the Garden.)

Name of Dog: _____ **Breed:** _____ **Weight** _____ **lbs.**

Color(s): _____ **Sex:** _____ **Age:** _____ **Spayed/Neutered:** _____

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WAIVER OF LIABILITY: I, the undersigned, will indemnify, defend and hold harmless, Naples Botanical Garden, its agents, employees, officers, servants, dog committee members, donors, instructors, volunteers and any and all other associates, from and against any and all actions, in law or in equity, from liability claims for damages, demands, or judgments to any person or property which may result now or in the future from the conduct of this event/activity. I understand that this waiver includes any claims based on negligence, action or inaction of any of the parties. The undersigned further expressly agrees that the foregoing release, waiver, and indemnify agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of State of Florida, and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect. I, the undersigned, have read and understand all rules, regulations and policies and will be responsible for adherence.

I, do hereby acknowledge and accept that I have voluntarily applied to participate and utilize, with my dog(s), the Naples Botanical Garden located in the City of Naples, Florida. I fully understand and acknowledge that having my dog and being physically present in the Garden involves risks of injury to me, any individual accompanying me, other persons, my dog(s) and other dog(s), including but not limited to, risks resulting from aggressive dogs, unpredictable behavior and lack of proper training. I further understand and assume that despite the efforts of the Naples Botanical Garden to ensure owners have complied, there is a risk that not all dogs present in the Garden are licensed and vaccinated for rabies as may be required, which could result in injury to a person or a dog.

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____



DOG WALK HOURS (NOTE: ALL DOGS MUST BE OUT OF THE GARDEN BY THE END TIME)

Sundays: 9:00am-11:30pm, (last allowed entry into the Garden is at 11:00am)

Tuesdays: 8:00am-11:00am, (last allowed entry into the Garden is at 10:30am)

Thursdays: 3:00pm-5:00pm, (last allowed entry into the Garden is at 4:30pm)

These days and times are subject to change at the discretion of Naples Botanical Garden.

Dogs MUST be out of the Garden at the end time, Naples Botanical Garden reserves the right to ask any dog and patron to leave if they are in the Garden after the allocated times. (Please refer to end times above.)

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. No unregistered dogs are admitted into the Garden. All dogs entering the Garden must be accounted for via the Waiver of Liability Form. New household dog(s) require a new dog registration.
2. Pet owners are responsible for their dog's actions and behavior at all times. Dogs must be attended and supervised at all times by a person eighteen years or older. Children under the age of eighteen must be accompanied by an adult. No unattended dogs are permitted in the Garden at any time.
3. All dogs entering the Garden must check in with "Dogs in the Garden" volunteers and Garden staff at the specified "Dogs in the Garden" entrance. Dogs may not enter at the main Entry Pavilion unless entry payment is necessary. Abandoning animals is prohibited by law.
4. The owners of any dog and guest of the Garden assumes liability for damages suffered by anyone who is bitten by a guests' dog while utilizing the "Dogs in the Garden" Dog Walks/Events.
5. NO RETRACTABLE LEASHES ALLOWED. Dogs must remain on a non-retractable leash at all times. Leashes may be no longer than six (6) feet. If a dog arrives with a retractable leash, and there is no other leash to use, the Garden Volunteers and all Garden staff reserve the right to ask the guest to leave.
6. No more than one (1) dog per adult is permitted in the Garden at a time.
7. Pet owners must clean up after their dog. Pet owners must pay close attention to their dog and properly pick up and dispose of their waste before leaving the Garden. Please use discretion where you permit your dog to urinate. Many of the Garden's plants are sensitive to dog urine.
8. Aggressive or unruly dogs, wolves or wolf-dog hybrids, are prohibited from the Garden. A dog that is sick or a female dog in heat is prohibited in the Garden. Spayed/neutered animals are recommended. Unneutered dogs must be closely monitored at all times. If a guest's dog becomes unruly or plays too roughly, the offending dog must leave the Garden until such time that the dog is under owner control and has settled down.
9. All dogs must be licensed and properly immunized. Puppies under six (6) months are prohibited in the Garden. The use of heartworm and tick prevention products is recommended.
10. No smoking, alcohol, human food, or glass containers are permitted in the Garden.
11. DOGS MAY NOT ENTER THE GARDEN STORE OR THE FOGG CAFÉ AT ANY TIME.
12. Dogs and owners eating at The Fogg Café must be out of the Garden at the designated time period. (Please allow time for ordering at the Café so you are able to exit the Garden at the end time of Dog Walks-see hours above)
13. Dogs are not permitted in the Children's Garden.
14. Dogs must remain on paths or grassy areas. Dogs are not permitted in plant beds.
15. Dogs are not permitted in any lakes or ponds at the Garden. Dogs must remain 10 feet from these areas.
16. Only dogs and their owners are permitted within the Garden during Dog Walk/Event days and hours. No other animals (domesticated or not) may enter. Professional dog trainers are not permitted to enter the Garden for training purposes without written permission from the Garden.
17. Dog Walk hours and days are subject to change at the discretion of Naples Botanical Garden, due to high volumes of visitors or traveling exhibits.
18. Naples Botanical Garden reserves the right to refuse entry to or remove any dog if they see necessary.

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____