



The City of Wilmington Parks & Recreation Department and the Wilmington Dog Park Committee have joined together to implement **Wilmington's first off-leash dog park.**

LOCATION:

The dog park is at Empie Park, on the corner of Independence and Park Avenue, behind Steinmart.

FEATURES:

- 🐾 Completely fenced in
- 🐾 Large dog & small dog areas (20 pounds or less)
- 🐾 Play areas
- 🐾 Water and pet waste stations
- 🐾 Lots of shade
- 🐾 Free
- 🐾 Open dawn to dusk

DOG PARK RULES:

- 🐾 Always clean up after your dog.
- 🐾 Children under age 12 are not permitted.
- 🐾 Dogs must have current license and vaccinations.
- 🐾 Dogs that act in an aggressive manner must be muzzled or removed.
- 🐾 Persistent mounting or other dominant behavior is not allowed.
- 🐾 Owners are responsible for any injuries caused by their dogs.
- 🐾 Food & toys are not allowed in the dog park.
- 🐾 Do not leave dogs unattended.
- 🐾 Upon entering or leaving the dog park, dogs must be on a leash.
- 🐾 Female dogs in heat are prohibited!
- 🐾 Puppies less than 4 months of age are prohibited.
- 🐾 Running, ball playing, and riding a bike are not permitted.
- 🐾 ***If a person is bitten by a dog, please report it to Animal Control at 798.7500.***



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

The dedication and fundraising of the Wilmington Dog Park Committee, along with contributions from sponsors and individual donors, made the opening of the Dog Park possible.

Honor a relative or pet by purchasing a sign or bench for the Dog Park. For details call, 341-3237.