



# Stay and Play Dog Care

A Bed and Breakfast for Your Dog

## Policies

### **We are not a drop-in center**

**Please call ahead of time to reserve space for your dog.**

**Holidays in particular may need to be booked a few months ahead of time.**

### **Doggy day care can sometimes be very much like a children's day care center.**

Sometimes small cuts and bruises may result from rough play even though your dog is always under supervision. We slow down energy that is too high or separate or redirect dogs that might have more of a bully attitude. We supervise so that everyone is safe and has a good time, but sometimes they may play a little too hard!

### **Policies for pick up and drop off:**

***For pick-up and drop-off, please phone 459-1377 when you arrive,*** and Donna or her representative will meet you outside to receive your pet or return your pet to you. The reason for this policy is that it is much less disruptive to the animals that are not leaving or arriving at that time.

**No drop-offs or pick-up on Sunday. No drop-offs or pick-ups on holidays.**

### **Requirements and information for visits:**

1. Bring current vaccination record, including kennel cough, rabies, and DHLPP.
2. Include instructions for medication and feeding, and label food and medications with your dog's name
3. Dogs **must** arrive with a standard (webbed nylon or leather) daily collar and leash.
4. Dogs must have on-going treatment for ticks, fleas, and heartworm.
5. Dogs must be spayed or neutered unless they are under 8 months of age.
6. If your dog excessively barks, we may find it necessary to put a bark collar on your pet.
7. Some dogs, like children at day care centers are very sensitive. If your dog is very sensitive to new environments, you may find he/she has an upset stomach for a day or two.

### **Unclaimed dogs**

If your dog(s) are not picked up as scheduled we will make every attempt to contact you. If you are unreachable, and do not pick up your dog, it will be turned over to the Mendocino County Animal Control on the fifth day of no contact with you.