

16 February 2011

**Annual Indemnity Form for all Dog Day Care Dogs
(Please autograph boxes and sign at the bottom)**

- Two walks a day will be performed. Dogs will remain on leads for the entire walk, but are free to play unrestrained within the confines of **Vet HQ**.
- There may be occasion for some dogs to be off the lead in the park in leash free areas. This will be at the discretion of the Dog Day Care staff. **Please indicate if you are happy for your dog if suitable to be off lead** Y_____N_____ Signature_____
- Dogs may get dirty during the day from walking (especially in certain weather conditions). Bathing can be requested at **Vet HQ** but not guaranteed every day.
- Nail Trimming is essential and will be performed by the staff if it is deemed necessary.
- I understand the extra risks that my dog has of contracting disease or illness by entering the day care program.
- Water is available at all times during the day (except on walks), Dogs may drink excessively at home after Day Care. You may also notice increased urination.
- Treats, exercise and change in environments may cause gastrointestinal signs such as vomiting and diarrhoea. These signs may occur with your dog.
- Any behaviour deemed dangerous or inappropriate by **Vet HQ** staff may result in dismissal from the program.
- Dogs not regularly exposed to dog day care may feel mild discomfort including sore muscles and joints and fatigue.
- No accounts will be issued for day care and bills must be settled in advance or at the end of every day. A cancellation fee applies if less than 24 hours of notice is given for cancellation or failure to arrive when booked into Day Care. This fee is equivalent to a day stay in Day Care.
- Dinner is provided in the form of dry food at 5pm. Please specify each day at drop off if you want don't your dog to eat and any specific dietary requirements.
- If an incident occurs between two dogs in day care, any treatment costs will be covered by the owners of the parties involved. Remember all dogs have had a behavioural assessment and we had one incident in 2010 that required treatment.
- Vaccination (including intranasal Canine Cough), Heartworm Prevention, Topical Flea Prevention (monthly) and Intestinal Worming (quarterly) must be kept up to date. If we do not perform these procedures we will request the history from your Veterinarian.
- Should any medical emergency arise, it is agreed that **Vet HQ** should perform Emergency Care even if I can not be contacted. I authorise **Vet HQ** to spend up to \$_____AUD without authorisation. **We recommend private health insurance.**

Signature of owner or authorised agent:

Signature:.....

Name: **Date:**.....

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