

## Camp Quirky Dog Policy 2019

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Dogs are a part of the van life culture and for many of those living permanently on the road, dogs are an essential part of life. We also recognise that some dog owners find it difficult to find care for their dogs during the festivals so we want to be accommodating as possible.

After much deliberation, we have decided to allow a limited number of dog passes to be bought by attendees (crew and public) as an experiment. These are £12 and come with the following terms and conditions which will be strictly applied. If you are concerned about this policy, or have questions, please send us an email to [campquirky@quirkycampers.co.uk](mailto:campquirky@quirkycampers.co.uk)

### Dog Tickets: Terms & Conditions

Only a very limited number of dogs are permitted onto the festival site. Your dog will not be allowed onto the site without a dog ticket. Please only buy a dog ticket if you really have no option to have your dog looked after elsewhere. No more than two dogs per owner.

Members of crew will also need a ticket.

Personal assistance dogs (guide dogs) will need to arrange with us in advance. Registered trained assistance dogs will not need to pay for a ticket.

If you want a dog ticket, you can buy one via the Ticket Sellers website. Please email with any queries, concerns or if you have a personal assistance dog.

Dogs will be issued with a wrist band to be worn on their collar. Please write your contact mobile number onto the wrist band in case the dog is found loose.

### Dog tickets are £12.

No liability attaches to the festival or any of its members for any action by a dog or its owner and by bringing your dog into the festival grounds you acknowledge your responsibility and liability for its actions. If you are requested by any of the stewards or security personnel to better control your dog please do so.

### Refundable Dog Behaviour Bond (£35)

For every dog ticket purchased you must also purchase a refundable dog behavior bond. This bond will be refunded within 7 days after the festival ends, unless you and your dog have breached the conditions of the dog ticket. These conditions include committing to the behavior in the following section.

### Expected behaviour of dog owners at the festival:

- Keep your dog on a lead and under control, with a responsible adult holding the lead, at all times in both public and crew areas of the festival site. There are designated areas around the edges of the site, where people can walk with their dogs.
- Pick up your dog's mess. There will be scoop bags available at the Event Control. Dispose of these bags in the designated dog poo bin.

- Pay attention to the needs of your dog and other festival-goers. Please be respectful and make sure your dog is not barking excessively. Most venues will not admit dogs; some people are afraid of dogs: please respect this. Be aware that not everyone loves your dog as much as you do!
- Liaise with our Event Control and notify the nearest steward if you witness a stray dog or a dog under insufficient control on the site.
- Dogs must be kept within the designated boundaries of the festival

If any one of these behaviours are not adhered to, the behavior bond will be forfeited and you could be asked to leave the festival.

#### Behaviour which will result in removal from the festival:

- Owner allowing a dog to wander loose around the festival site.
- Owner not responsibly disposing of their dog's mess.
- Owner not looking after their dog, resulting in festival crew having to manage the dog.
- Anybody with a dog considered by the security personnel or event management to be a nuisance to other people on the festival site.

If your dog is found roaming loose event staff will take it to Event Control

If your dog is missing please report this to immediately.

Permission to re-enter will be refused unless arrangements for the dog to be looked after outside of the festival site have been made.

If your dog has been removed from the festival the behavior bond will be forfeited.

#### Dangerous Dogs

Camp Quirky will not admit dogs so designated in the Dangerous Dogs Act 1991. In the unlikely event of injury or damage being caused by a dog, this will be the liability of the owner. Camp Quirky reserves the right to ask for the removal of any 'Out of Control' dog from the event site.

#### Out of Control

Your dog will be deemed 'Out of Control' if it: injures someone; injures someone's animal; makes someone worried that it might injure them; or makes someone worried that your dog might injure them if they try to stop it attacking their animal.

#### Thank you

Thanks for reading this, we hope you understand the need for these rules to ensure the safety and comfort of all festival-goers and the continuance of good relationships with the site owner and the livestock that is living on the site. We hope you and your dog have a great festival.