

# The Happy Hound



721 Route 23 South  
Pompton Plains, New Jersey

## DAYCARE REQUIREMENTS

For the safety and well-being of all of our members, the following requirements must be met. At The Happy Hound, the SAFETY of our dogs always comes first!

- Dogs must be in good health. No coughing, vomiting, or diarrhea 48 hours prior to arrival at the facility.
  - We cannot accept aggressive or anti-social dogs.
- All dogs must be brought in and out of the facility on a collar and leash. **Quick release collars and non-retractable leashes are recommended and preferred.**
- All dogs must have current vaccination records to include Rabies, Distemper, and Bordetella. **We strongly suggest getting your dog vaccinated with Bordetella every 6 months instead of a year.** Please continue to provide us with your dog's most recent vaccination records.
  - All dogs must have a clean fecal exam within the last year.
  - Prior to spending time in daycare, your dog must complete a temperament evaluation.
- **Dogs wishing to participate in daycare must be spayed or neutered by 1 year of age.** Unaltered dogs destabilize the pack, resulting in a greater risk of injury.

All dogs must also be free of external parasites (fleas and ticks) and should be on a control program such as Nexgard, Frontline, or Bravecto. All dogs are inspected upon entry into the facility and if parasites are found, they will be isolated from the other animals and you will be required to remove them from the facility as soon as possible.

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## CLIENT INFORMATION

Human's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Dog's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Best phone number(s) to reach you: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact (with phone number): \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Veterinarian: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

May we use an alternate veterinarian in case of an emergency? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about The Happy Hound?

\_\_\_\_\_

What services are you looking for? Ex Daycare once a week, Grooming, etc.

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## PET PROFILE

**This profile must be filled out for each dog that attends The Happy Hound. To ensure the safety and well-being of your dog, the other dogs in our care, and our staff, please try to answer all questions as accurately and honestly as possible.**

Human's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Dog's predominant breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Current age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday/Gotcha Day: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Currently taking medication? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what type? \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Limitations? \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Conditions? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your dog spayed or neutered? \_\_\_\_\_ If not, when? \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you had your dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you get your dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your dog been socialized with other dogs? \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your dog ever attended daycare or visited a dog park? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, where and how often? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your dog had formal obedience training? \_\_\_\_\_

Does your dog respond to basic commands? (sit, down, stay, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Has your dog ever... If yes, please describe.

Growled at someone? \_\_\_\_\_

Bitten a person? \_\_\_\_\_

Scaled a fence? (type and height) \_\_\_\_\_

Reacted negatively when someone took food or toys away? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your dog ever growled, snapped, or bitten another dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any types of dogs your dog automatically fears or dislikes? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your dog ever shared food, water, or toys with another dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your dog uncomfortable around...

Men? \_\_\_\_\_

Women? \_\_\_\_\_

Children? \_\_\_\_\_

Strangers? \_\_\_\_\_

Does your dog experience separation anxiety? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your dog afraid of thunder or other loud noises? \_\_\_\_\_

Does your dog live with other dogs, cats, or pets? \_\_\_\_\_

Is there anything else we should know or that you would like to share? Please write below.

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## AGREEMENT

- 1) Owner represents that their dog is healthy and does not suffer from any disability, illness, or condition, which could affect said dog, other dogs, or staff's safety while attending The Happy Hound.
- 2) Owner represents that their dog is non-aggressive to other dogs or people.
- 3) Owner agrees to provide updated vaccination and veterinary records upon request and understands that refusal to do so will prevent their dog from attending daycare until such records are provided.
- 4) Owner understands that they are solely responsible for and agree to indemnify The Happy Hound all liability incurred as a result of any harm caused by their dog while attending daycare.
- 5) Owner agrees that The Happy Hound, their staff, and volunteers will not be held liable for any problems that develop, provided reasonable care and precautions are followed, and hereby agrees to release them and hold them harmless from any liability from their dog's attendance and participation in daycare.
- 6) Owner assumes all financial liability for any problem that develops with their dog while at The Happy Hound, including medical costs, destruction of equipment, materials, structures of property, etc.
- 7) Owner understands that although The Happy Hound requires that all dogs attending daycare are healthy and up-to-date on vaccinations, some contagious illnesses may not show symptoms that can be detected by the owners or daycare staff. Since the dogs are intermingling, there is a chance that your dog may contract a contagious condition such as kennel cough or an intestinal parasite.
- 8) Owner understands that daycare is a highly physical environment that may exacerbate pre-existing conditions, such as arthritis, orthopedic issues, or exercise intolerance.
- 9) Owner agrees to pay for services at the dog's check out from daycare. Payment is accepted in cash, check, or by credit card. A \$35 fee will be assessed for each check returned by a financial institution.
- 10) Owner agrees to pick up their dog by the close of business.

**I certify that I have read and understand this agreement. I accept all the terms, conditions, and statements of this agreement.**

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Dog's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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## VETERINARY RELEASE

I certify that I am the legal owner of this dog. I hereby grant permission to The Happy Hound to act in my behalf and in my pet's best interest, by obtaining veterinary care at my expense, if deemed necessary. I further agree to pay for all veterinary and other necessary services incurred by and for my dog during its stay in this facility. This facility agrees to exercise all due and reasonable care to prevent injury or illness to my dog. However, in the event of illness or injury, the owners and employees of this facility shall not be held personally liable for such illness or injury. I hereby release The Happy Hound, Jessie Berg, Carmin Piccirillo, and Mindy Piccirillo (owners), and all of its employees from any and all liability for loss or injury to myself, my dog, or my personal property while my pet participates in dog daycare.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The Happy Hound will use one of the below facilities in case of illness or injury:

Tri-County Animal Hospital  
Howard L. Silberman, VMD  
2075 Hamburg Turnpike  
Wayne, NJ 07470  
973-831-2426  
[www.tricountyah.com](http://www.tricountyah.com)

Animal Emergency & Referral Associates  
1237 Bloomfield Avenue  
Fairfield, NJ 07004  
973-226-3282  
[www.animalerc.com](http://www.animalerc.com)