



# CENTRAL BARK

## Irvine's Dog Park



### Welcome to the City of Irvine's Central Bark!

Central Bark is an off-leash dog park for the Irvine Community. This park is available for the use of dogs and their owners AT THEIR OWN RISK. The City of Irvine, its officers, agents, employees, and volunteers assume no liability for any use of this facility.

#### **To keep Central Bark a pleasant and safe experience, by entering this park you agree to the following park rules:**

1. Each dog must be under the control of an adult age 18 or older.
2. Only persons with dogs are allowed to use Central Bark. This is a play area for dogs and is not intended for any other use (i.e. playing catch between two or more people, climbing trees, tag games).
3. Dog owners/guardians must be in the park with their dogs and observing them at all times.
4. All dogs must be under the voice control of their owners. If dog(s) cannot be controlled off leash, Central Bark is not the appropriate place for them.
5. No more than three dogs are permitted to enter the park with any one adult guardian.
6. ALWAYS SCOOP YOUR DOG'S POOP!!! It's the law! Bags are available for use and should be disposed of in the trash receptacles provided.
7. Dogs must wear a collar and current dog license at all times.
8. Dogs must be current on all vaccinations.
9. Dogs must be leashed when entering and exiting the park. For the safety of dogs and other park visitors, choke, prong (pinch) and spike collars are strictly prohibited and may not be worn by dogs inside the fenced areas of the dog park.
10. Aggressive dogs are not permitted on the premises. Owners/guardians must remove dog(s) at the first sign of aggression!
11. Dog owners may be held legally responsible for injuries caused by their dog. If you are the owner/guardian of a dog that causes injury to another person or dog, it is your responsibility to provide your contact information to the person injured or the owner/guardian of the dog(s) injured.
12. Children under 13 years of age must be supervised by a responsible adult age 18 or older and kept within an arm's length of that adult at all times. These facilities are play areas for dogs and not safe for play by unattended children.
13. Smoking is NOT permitted within Central Bark.
14. Professional dog trainers/handlers are not permitted to use the facility for instruction.
15. No food – human or dog – of any kind.
16. No sports equipment of any kind is permitted within the park.
17. Puppies less than 4 months of age, lactating female mother dogs, and female dogs in heat are not permitted within the park.
18. Large breed dogs are not permitted within the small dog park. Large breed dogs found in the small dog park will be asked to leave the park. It is not advised to bring small breed dogs into the large dog park. Please see additional signage on fences and entrances.

*Please note...failure to abide by these posted rules may result in a citation (Irvine Municipal Code 4-5-201, 4-5-209, 4-5-301, 4-5-701, 4-5-710).*

#### **General Information**

- For emergencies call Irvine Public Safety at 949-724-7000.
- To reach staff in Community Services, please call 949-724-6600.
- To reach Community Services after hours, please call a Park Ambassador at 949-254-1444 or 949-337-5238.
- To reach an Animal Services Officer, please call 949-724-7092.

#### **Hours of Operation**

- Open daily from 6:30 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
- Central Bark Closed for maintenance every Wednesday.
- Central Bark may be closed due to inclement weather. Please call 949-724-6833 for up-to-date information.