

# Walnut Ridge Farm Contract

## 304-763-9017

Owner's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Veterinarian \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Number \_\_\_\_\_

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1. This is a Contract between **Walnut Ridge Farm** (owners & employees) and the pet owner(s) whose signature(s) appears on Page 2 (hereinafter called "Owner") for services for the above stated dog(s) (hereinafter called "Dog(s)").
  2. Walnut Ridge Farm agrees to exercise due and reasonable care.
  3. Walnut Ridge Farm is not responsible for any items brought with the Dog(s).
  4. All payments are due before Dog(s) leaves, Walnut Ridge Farm offers no guarantees or refunds.
  5. Owner understands that when dogs are involved unexpected things happen and the Owner assumes all responsibility should their Dog(s) attack or be attacked by another dog(s) or otherwise be injured. Owner also understands that all dogs handle boarding differently, that boarding can be a stressful situation and their Dog(s) may develop diarrhea or other illness/symptoms aggravated or brought on by stress. After considering the risks and potential benefits of the services offered by Walnut Ridge Farm, the owner believes that the potential benefits outweigh the risks. The owner knowingly and voluntarily assumes the risk that his or her Dog(s) may suffer injury or harm as a result of or in connection with the services provided to the owner by Walnut Ridge Farm. The owner agrees not to hold Walnut Ridge Farm or any representative of Walnut Ridge Farm, financially responsible for any injury, illness, harm or damage that the owner or the owner's Dog(s) may suffer as a result of connection with the services provided by Walnut Ridge Farm.

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6. Walnut Ridge Farm reserves the right to refuse admittance to any pet that shows signs of illness or that does not meet vaccine requirements. Despite this precautions, owner acknowledges that the Dog(s) will be in an environment with other dog(s) during boarding and or training, and understands that any dog may harbor and spread a communicable disease. Owner releases Walnut Ridge Farm and its representatives from and waives all claims and liability against Walnut Ridge Farm for all losses, damages, costs, and expenses arising out of or in connection with any communicable disease contracted by owner Dog(s) during boarding.
7. If the Dog(s) becomes ill or if the state of the animal's health otherwise requires professional attention, Walnut Ridge Farm in its sole discretion may engage the services of a veterinarian or administer medicine or give other requisite attention to the animal, and the expenses thereof shall be paid or reimbursed to Walnut Ridge Farm by the owner. The owner hereby authorizes and holds harmless their veterinarian to share/release any and all information regarding the health and or treatment of their Dog(s) before, during and after boarding at this facility, including follow up. A **\$25.00 transportation fee** is charged for **all trips to and from** Walnut Ridge Farm's veterinarian.
8. Owner understand that if the Dog(s) is not picked up within 14 calendar days after that day the Dog(s) is scheduled for pick up, the Dog(s) shall be deemed abandoned. Walnut Ridge Farm then has the right to place the Dog(s) with a new owner(s), Owner shall remain liable for all boarding fees.
9. The Owner represents that he/she is the legal owner of said Dog(s) and that the said Dog(s) has not been exposed to Distemper, Parvo, Kennel Cough, or Rabies within last 30 days.
10. The Owner hereby waives any and all claims that may accrue in his or her favor against Walnut Ridge Farm or any of its employees or representatives resulting from or relating to Walnut Ridge Farm's provision of services pursuant to this agreement, including, but not limited to, claims for bodily injury, emotional distress, property damage, and other damages and loss of any kind whatsoever, including injury or damage suffered by the Owner and the Owner's Dog(s), regardless of whether active or passive negligence on the part of Walnut Ridge Farm contributed to causing such injury or damage.

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Owner's Signature

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Date