



EPDOG (Elings Park Dog Owners Group)

We are delighted to offer you the largest and most beautiful off-leash dog park on the Central Coast! Elings Park is an independent non-profit park operated with no government funding. We are dependent on community support through program fees (like EPDOG memberships) and private donations.

Elings Park is one of the few local recreational spaces that encourages off-leash activities for dogs and their owners. EPDOG is a partnership between dog owners and Elings Park; a membership program for the privilege of enjoying off-leash play in a beautiful environment. The following conditions and restrictions ensure that dog owners and other park users co-exist peacefully and safely.

EPDOG Code of Conduct

You are responsible for your pet's actions at all times. Always maintain control, on-leash and off.

- All dogs must have a current EPDOG tag attached to their collar when on Park grounds.
- Follow all posted instructions and verbal requests by staff regarding Park use.
- Avoid areas that are posted "RESERVED" for weddings or special events.
- Please clean up after your pet everywhere in the Park. Mutt Mitts are provided for your convenience.
- Please stay off wet playing fields and obey "FIELD CLOSED" signs.
- Exert extra care in Godric Grove and Singleton Pavilion; these areas are special event venues that can be easily damaged.
- Have one leash per dog in hand at all times (even when off-leash) to insure the safety of your pet.
- Keep dogs on-leash in all parking lots and roads and do not allow dogs to run alongside vehicles.
- Overly aggressive dogs, dogs in heat, or dogs with illnesses are not permitted in the Park at any time.
- For the safety of your pet and as a courtesy to other park users, stay off the playing fields while organized practice or play is in progress
- Keep dogs away from playgrounds, children, and park maintenance operations.
- Prevent dogs from digging or playing in planters, wildflower areas and hillsides, particularly the Veterans' Memorial hillside (which is prone to erosion).
- All dog bites/attacks on humans will be reported to animal control and will result in revocation of EPDOG membership.
- Dogs, like humans, are social and emotional. Please work out all differences amongst yourselves.

2010 EPDOG Membership Application



1298 Las Positas Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93105
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Returning member: \$100/year {+ \$90 for each additional dog (3 dog limit)} (or \$90/year for registration before Dec. 23)
 New members: \$125/year (+\$115 for each additional dog)

*All memberships include a dog tag and special window decal that qualifies members to receive free parking at special events.

In the interest of maintaining a park that is safe, clean and fun for all users, all dog owners are expected to adhere to the Park guidelines and policies. Failure to comply with the guidelines may result in revocation of EPDOG Membership.

Dog's Name	Breed/Mix	Color	City/County License #	2010 EPDOG Tag (office use only)

Owner's Name(s): Mr/Mrs/Ms/Dr _____
(Please include spouse, if applicable)

I am applying on behalf of owner(named above). My name is _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Home Phone _____ **Cell** _____

Email _____

** Email addresses will be used to update EPDOG members of park activities or maintenance and will NOT be shared or sold.

STATEMENT OF HOLD HARMLESS AND UNDERSTANDING

Applicant hereby agrees to comply with all rules and regulations of this agreement and of the Elings Park Foundation. Applicant further takes full responsibility for the behavior of their dog(s) and agrees to hold harmless and indemnify Elings Park Foundation and its employees and officers for any loss, damage, liability, cost of expense arising from the use or occupation of the Park, facilities and equipment relating to this application. Notwithstanding the provisions of this Statement of Hold Harmless and Understanding, Applicant shall be under no duty to indemnify and hold Elings Park Foundation and its employees and officers harmless for any loss, damage, liability, cost or expense arising from an intentional tort or willful misconduct (as opposed to negligent act) committed by Elings Park Foundation or its employees or officers.

I have read and understand the EPDOG Code of Conduct and agree to all provisions outlined in this contract.

Signed _____ Date _____