



Welcome to Wrightsville Beach



The residents of Wrightsville Beach strive to keep the community a pristine environment. In an effort to maintain a clean and safe community for our residents and visitors, we ask that you comply with these regulations when you bring your pet to Wrightsville Beach.

Dog Facts

- Dogs have heat strokes too! Please give them water and shade.
- Animal waste on grass or sidewalks ends up in our bodies of water!
- Pets create 3,000 pounds of waste each day in our county!
- Animal waste needs 4 weeks to degrade!
- Pet waste is not fertilizer!



Wrightsville Beach Planning & Parks

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**Important information for
residents and visitors who bring
their best friends to Wrightsville
Beach**



***Dogs are allowed on a leash on the
beach from Oct 1st – March 31st!***

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IT'S THE LAW!!!

1. Your pet must always be on a leash while in the Town of Wrightsville Beach.
2. You are required to clean up after your pet, have the means to do so at all times, and dispose of pet waste in available trash cans.
3. No pets are allowed on the beach strand from April 1st through September 30th.
4. Never leave your animal in a vehicle.
5. The beach adjacent to the Mason's Inlet area is included in the Park Ranger's jurisdiction. All pet regulations apply to this area.

Leashes keep your pet safe!



Violation of these pet regulations may result in a \$250 fine for the first offense!

FOR YOU...

To help maintain a clean environment, there are several stations around the loop containing complimentary dog waste bags.

Law requires pet owners to carry pet waste bags with them at all times, and to clean up after their pets.



FOR YOUR PET...

To help keep your pet hydrated, there are several dog-friendly water fountains located around the Town of Wrightsville Beach Loop. Always bring extra water for your pets.

Due to the number of individuals that visit Wrightsville Beach daily, pet ordinances are enforced to ensure an enjoyable visit for all – both people and pets!

For further information, please contact the Park Ranger at the Wrightsville Beach Planning and Parks Department at (910) 239-1751.

Local Ordinances to Remember While on the Beach

- No Alcoholic Beverages
- No Smoking
- No Glass Containers
- No Litter
- No Fireworks
- No Fires or Cooking
- No Camping
- No Solicitation
- No Walking on the Dunes
- No Vehicles
- No Man-Made Holes Left Unfilled
- No Surfing Without a Leash
- No Surfing Between Checkered Flags
- No Tents or Canopies Left Overnight



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