



WARREN COUNTY PARKS AND  
RECREATION DEPARTMENT  
ANIMAL POLICY

Animals and pets are not permitted (NOT ALLOWED) in the following areas:

1. Athletic Complex Areas (areas enclosed by fencing)
  2. Inline Hockey Rink Area
  3. Bleachers
  4. Indoor Gymnasium Areas, including all meeting rooms
  5. Walkways around ball field areas, including dugouts, bleachers, playing fields
  6. Concession areas
  7. Playground areas
  8. Bull pin areas
  9. Batting cage areas
  10. Pickle ball areas
- Only trained service animals are allowed in areas mentioned above and other areas as defined by the American with Disabilities Act (hereinafter referred to as “ADA”) requirements.
  - Pets and emotional support animals are not recognized by the ADA as service animals and not allowed in areas mentioned above.
  - All animals must always be under handler’s control.
  - Anyone that falsifies the status of a service animal is subject to legal penalties per KRS (Kentucky Revised Statute) and ADA policies.
  - Under the ADA, a public accommodation may not ask you questions about your disability or demand to see certification or other proof of your animal’s training or status.
    - If it is not apparent what a service animal does, park staff may only ask the following questions:
      - 1<sup>st</sup> – Is the animal a service animal?
      - 2<sup>nd</sup> – What task does the animal perform?
  - Per ADA rules, a service animal can be excluded from a public accommodation if the animal poses a direct threat to health and safety of the public or is out of control.
  - All animals / pets in the other (non-athletic) areas of the parks must always on a leash. All non-restrained – leashed / out of control animals will be removed from park premises by animal control officials.