

**American Cancer Society**

**Bark For Life**

**Relay Site Name:**

**Participant Registration and Waiver Form**

(Required for all Team Members, One form per participant; multiple dogs may be registered together as a family unit)



AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY  
**BARK FOR LIFE™**  
A CANINE EVENT TO FIGHT CANCER

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Team Captain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Canine Name/Names \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
This is my address at: Home Work (please check one)  
Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
I prefer to be contacted at: Home Cell  
Emergency Contact Name & contact info: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ I am 18 years old or under: No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_  
Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Will your employer match your donations? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
Is your employer involved in Relay For Life as a sponsor or a team? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
If no, do you feel your employer would be interested in hearing more about opportunities? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

**REGISTRATION FEE:** \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed is the Registration fee of \$25 per participant/dog. I agree to raise a minimum of \$100 for Relay For Life. Return this form and your commitment/registration fee/fees to your team captain to be handed in at the next team captains meeting. Or, you may mail this form with the fee/fees to (American Cancer Society, 3808 Kemp, Suite B # 400 Wichita Falls, TX 76308). Questions? Email: WFBarkForLife@Gmail.com

**WAIVER: Each dog owner MUST read and sign.**

- As a participant in Relay For Life, I, for myself, my executor, administrators, and assigns, do hereby release and discharge the American Cancer Society, the event site, their management, their officers, members, sponsors, organizers, or their representatives, or their successors, and all cooperating businesses and organizations from all claims of damages, demands, actions, and causes whatsoever, in any manner arising or growing out of my participation or that of my dog/dogs in this event.
- I understand that I may be photographed, filmed or videotaped at the event. I hereby irrevocably grant to ACS, its affiliates, licensees and collaborators the absolute right and permission to use my likeness and/or voice for any purpose whatsoever, including commercial advertising. I hereby release, discharge and agree to save harmless ACS and its employees or agents, affiliates, legal representatives or assigns and all persons acting under its permission or upon its authority or for whom it is acting, from any liability by virtue of any publication of my likeness, including, without limitation, claims for libel or invasion of privacy.
- I also give my full permission for such first aid as is deemed necessary to be provided to me or my dog/dogs on the premises or prior to transport to a medical facility for further treatment.

**Participant Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of parent or legal guardian if human participant is under 18)

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

**Canine Owner is a cancer survivor (please circle one)** Yes No Date of Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Cancer Type: \_\_\_\_\_

**Canine Owner is a caregiver to a cancer survivor (please circle one)** Yes No

**I want to participate in the Cancer Survivor/Caregiver Lap at the Relay For Life of Wichita Falls (please circle one)** Yes No

I AM INTERESTED IN JOINING THE PLANNING COMMITTEE FOR BARK FOR LIFE OR RELAY FOR LIFE Yes No

I AM INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING AT THE BARK FOR LIFE OR RELAY FOR LIFE EVENT Yes No

**Please visit: [RelayForLife.org](http://RelayForLife.org) for more information on how to fight cancer through the American Cancer Society's Relay For Life.**

Wichita Falls' ordinance related to the new off-leash dog facility contains a list of rules owners must follow when using the dog park. City leaders encourage people who plan to use the dog park to become familiar with these rules before using the facility. These rules are posted outside the entrance to the facility. See Rules Below:

**Sec. 92-253 - Hours of off-leash dog facility.**

1. Closed from dusk to dawn and any time signs are posted closing the facility for cleaning or maintenance.
2. It shall be unlawful for anyone to loiter, idle, wander, stroll or play in the off-leash dog facility during such period when it is closed. However, if anyone applies for permission to carry out an activity in the off-leash dog facility during such hours, and the director of parks and recreation determines that such activity will not create a disturbance or public nuisance, the director shall have authority to issue a special permit for such activity.

**Sec. 82.254 - Use of off-leash dog facility generally.**

1. Only dogs accompanied by an owner at least 16 years of age are permitted to be within the off-leash dog facility, whether or not the dog in question is leashed. An owner will only be considered to be accompanying a dog if both the person and the dog are within the fenced confines of the off-leash dog facility, and the dog is in the visible presence of the owner at all times. An owner may not accompany more than two dogs in the off-leash dog facility at any one time. Dogs must wear collars or harnesses bearing a current rabies vaccination tag and a city license tag at all times while in the off-leash dog facility.
2. It shall be unlawful for any person to bring a dog weighing 30 pounds or more into the designated "small dog area" of the off-leash dog facility.
3. It shall be unlawful for any person to bring a dog weighing less than 30 pounds into the designated "large dog area" of the off-leash dog facility.
4. It shall be unlawful for any person to host or participate in any competitive event at the off-leash dog facility unless the director of parks and recreation determines that such competitive event will not create a disturbance or public nuisance, and issues a special permit for such competitive event.
5. It shall be unlawful for any person to keep a dog leashed in the off-leash dog facility. Dog leashes must be removed within the double gate entry and dog released without the leash into the off-leash pen. Only one owner at a time may utilize the double gate entry to leash and unleash a dog.

**Sec. 82-255 - Care of off-leash dog facility by users.**

1. Owners must immediately clean up and dispose of waste left by any accompanied dog. It shall be unlawful for an owner to leave the off-leash dog facility without first cleaning up and disposing of all waste left by an accompanied dog.
2. Owners must stop any accompanied dog from digging and must fill any holes caused by an accompanied dog. It shall be unlawful for an owner to leave the off-leash dog facility without first filling any holes caused by an accompanied dog.

**Sec. 82.256 - Health rules for off-leash dog facility.**

1. It shall be unlawful for any person to bring a dog which does not have current rabies vaccination into the off-leash dog facility.
2. It shall be unlawful for any person to bring a dog which has a contagious condition, disease, parasites, or fresh wounds into the off-leash dog facility.
3. It shall be unlawful for any person to bring a female dog in season into the off-leash dog facility, whether or not the female dog in question is leashed.

**Sec. 82-257- Bites, scratches and aggression in the off-leash dog facility.**

1. All bites and scratches by a dog within the off-leash dog facility must be reported to the Animal Control Division of the Health District. It shall be unlawful for any person to fail to report to the Animal Control Division that a dog accompanied by him in the off-leash dog facility bit or scratched a person or another dog within twenty-four hours of the bite or scratch incident.
2. Dogs showing aggression toward people or other dogs must be removed immediately. It shall be unlawful for an owner to fail to move immediately to leash and remove from the off-leash dog facility any dog showing aggression.
3. It shall be unlawful for any person to bring any dog deemed to be vicious dog or a dangerous dog by any state or local government or agency into the off-leash dog facility.

**Sec. 82-258 - Use of off-leash dog facility by children.**

1. No child under eight years of age is permitted in the off-leash dog facility except during city-approved activities scheduled for that age group. It shall be unlawful for a parent or guardian to permit a child under eight years of age to be in the off-leash dog facility, unless the child is attending a city-approved activity scheduled for that age group..
2. Every child over eight and under sixteen years of age in the off-leash dog facility must be accompanied by an adult over 17 years of age who is directly supervising the activities of that child. It shall be unlawful for a parent or guardian to permit a child over eight and under sixteen years of age to be in the off-leash dog facility unless the child is accompanied by an adult over 17 years of age who is directly supervising the activities of that child, or unless the child is attending a city-approved activity scheduled for that age group.

**Sec. 82-259 - Possession unlawful.**

1. It shall be unlawful for any person to possess food for humans or dogs, including dog treats, tobacco products, alcoholic beverages or glass containers in the off-leash dog facility.
2. It shall be unlawful for any person to possess or unleash an animal other than a dog within the off-leash dog facility.
3. It shall be unlawful for any person to possess or utilize an outside obstacle in the off-leash dog facility.
4. It shall be unlawful for any person to possess a skateboard, skates, a bicycle, a scooter or any other wheeled apparatus in the off-leash dog facility. The operation of a nonmotorized wheelchair or motorized mobility device by a person with physical disabilities is exempt from this section.

