Boarding at Grand View Canine Care: The “Kennel Alternative!”

Q: How does boarding at Grand View Canine Care work?

A: Simply put, when your dogs stay with us, they become part of our family! As much as possible we try to integrate the dogs into our daily activities with our own dogs and other boarders. Playtimes take place at least twice a day with dogs of the same energy, and they are always supervised. The dogs get to enjoy leashed walks through our woods and fields at least three times a day. We also have a pond available to cool off in and just relax at! It is not uncommon to find a boarder or even a few lounging in the house with us at numerous points during the day and even at night. Some dogs that we board regularly have gotten so accustomed to our pack that they are able to live with us full time in our homes with our own dogs. Certain boarders may also be permitted to be loose in the building during our cleaning times or when we are grooming another dog, if they are dog friendly. However, we also understand that not all dogs enjoy the company of other dogs, like people! We have the space to be able to keep everyone comfortably separated. We even have an in law suite in our own home that has become the “dog suite” complete with their own furniture and a playyard. We do have some beautiful indoor/outdoor kennel runs. Kennels are spacious and we can house groups of dogs together. We have two 10x6 and four 4x6 complete with heated floors, a/c in the summer, and anti-fight/privacy panels. Many dogs are accustomed to being in a kennel and thrive quite well especially in these safe areas. Every dog needs downtime and space to call their own, so these serve that purpose quite well since you dog(s) will be quite active with us all day. Many owners have told us that when their dogs get home, they sleep for a few days! We know a happy dog is a tired dog so we do as much as we can to keep them happy mentally and physically. We do our best to send out daily updates via text, email, or facebook too. Leaving your dog can be stressful and we do not want you to have to worry about them!

Q: What does boarding cost?

A: We average $20 per night per dog. If your dog has special needs such as a behavior issue, medication or a medical condition that we need to be wary of, the price does go up to $25. There is also a one time fee of five dollars per dog if we are *unable* to do a meet and greet with you and your pet(s) first.

Q: What do I need to bring to board?

A: Food and your dog’s collar/leash are required. If your dog is on medication, be sure to provide that. For some dogs, especially older dogs, their own bed is recommended. You can bring as much or as little with you as you want (toys, treats, dishes, etc). Be sure to fill out our consent form for first time stays.

*Find out more info on grandviewk9care.com and social media under the /grandviewk9care. You can also call or text 607-661-9969. We can provide references from other professionals and happy boarding clients! Thank you for looking into Grand View Canine Care!*