

PLE Dog Policy

4/6/2021

PLE will begin allowing dogs to stay with guests in select housing units beginning the spring of 2021 on a trial basis. Guidelines for pet owners are below:

- Owners wishing to have their dogs stay at PLE with them should notify PLE staff as early as possible. Dog-friendly housing will be limited and may not be available on short notice.
- A \$200 refundable **cash** security deposit must be paid at the PLE Administrative office prior to arrival at the PLE housing site. At the end of a guests stay, PLE staff will inspect the vacated housing unit for damage to property. The deposit will be refunded less any estimated expenses to repair damages found to be caused by the dog. If property damaged by dog is in excess of \$200, the guest will be billed for remainder of the cost.
- A \$50 cleaning fee will be assessed for each stay with a dog.

Rules for dogs while in residence at PLE:

- Dogs must have a current rabies vaccination, which is to be presented to PLE staff when paying security deposit.
- Dogs must be clean and free of parasites including ticks, fleas, worms and mange.
- Dogs are not permitted in any PLE building other than the housing unit they are assigned to.
- Dogs must be on a leash under the control of the owner while outside buildings on PLE and/or Pymatuning State Park property.
- Dogs may not be tied to trees, porches, etc.
- Dogs may not create a disturbance or nuisance, including excessive barking. Guests will be asked to leave if their dogs are making other guests uncomfortable.
- Owners must always pick up after their dogs and properly dispose of the waste.

Non-compliance with these rules will result in the loss of the privilege to have your dog stay at PLE.