# DOG ABOUT Town

#### YOUR DOG GUIDE TO THE LOWER CAPE

Dogs enjoy dips in the ocean and here at Chatham Rentals we understand that your dog deserves a vacation, too! We've created this services list to ensure that our guests have all the dog-friendly information they need during their stay.

Please remember, dogs are not allowed on Public Beaches from May 1st through September 15th, except for seeing eye dogs. Dogs are permitted on all town landings and parks as long as they are leashed at all times.

See page two for more dog-friendly areas in Chatham.

#### BEACH & TOWN ETIQUETTE

- ALWAYS keep your dog leashed.
- Town bylaw requires owners/keepers to pick up solid waste and dispose of it properly.
- Do not let your dog visit with other beachgoers or dogs unless welcomed.
- If using an official off-leash area, your dog needs to be well-behaved and must listen to your verbal commands.



#### ANIMAL HOSPITALS IN OUR AREA

Animal Hospital of Orleans - 508-255-5500 65 Finlay Road, Orleans (Grooming & boarding available)

VCA Pleasant Bay Animal Hospital - 508-432-5500 Corner of Queen Anne & Rt. 137, Harwich (Grooming available)

READY FOR VACATION

Stony Hill Animal Clinic - 508-945-0151 212 Orleans Road, Chatham

Cape Cod Veterinary Specialists - 508-398-7575 79 Theophilus Smith Road, South Dennis 24/7 Emergency Care

#### ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS

Chatham Police ACO Diane Byers - 508-945-5111 Harwich Police ACO Jennifer Harrington - 508-430-7541 Orleans Police ACO Casey Eagan - 508-240-3751 x1255

#### VISIT CAPEBEACHDOG.COM FOR MORE INFORMATION ON YOUR PET-FRIENDLY VACATION

## **DOG FRIENDLY AREAS**

- Chase Park & Kate Gould Park in Downtown Chatham
- Thompson's Field in Harwich (located between Rt. 39 & Chatham Road)
- Battlefield Road Landing
- Vineyard Ave Landing
- White Pond Landing
- Goose Pond Landing
- Cow Yard Landing

#### • Mill Pond Landing

- Barn Hill Landing
- Scatteree Landing
- Cotchpinicut Landing
- Strong Island Landing
- Eliphamets Landing
- Clafin Landing
- Jack Knife Landing



### DOG PARKS ON CAPE COD

Does your dog need to stretch his legs? The Town of Dennis offers Fresh Pond Dog Park, boasting a good-sized fenced enclosure and a half-mile walking trail through the cedar and maple woods. In the summer, dogs can swim in the fresh water and play without disturbing beach-goers! There's even a picnic area where you can recuperate after your activities. Located on the West side of Route 134 in Dennis, one half mile past the lights at the Upper County Road intersection.

Another perfect area for your dog to socialize and release some energy is the spacious Thompson's Field in Harwich. Thompson's Field is a beautiful 93-acre conservation area with a trail length of 2.75 miles located on Route 39 in Harwich.

One of the most popular and largest areas to go walking with your dog is Nickerson State Park. The park has 1900 acres of land and miles of trails. Pack a picnic and stop with your pup at the dozens of picnic areas scattered throughout the park. Dogs are allowed on the hiking trails and the paved trails but are not allowed at the pond or public beaches. Your dog must be leashed and you must have proof of a rabies vaccination. Nickerson State Park is located on Route 6A in Brewster.

