



## Country Companions Pet Sitting

### DOG WALKING TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Acceptance of our services is deemed acceptance of our Terms & Conditions and an agreement to pay our fees on time.
- We reserve the right to stop walking a dog if he/she shows aggression to people or other dogs.
- We reserve the right to either impose supplementary charges and/or terminate this agreement if, the assignment changes from the description given by the client and needs more time or responsibility or if there is a change in the nature of the assignment which could not have reasonably been foreseen by either party.
- We will not be liable for any damage or injury caused by your dog excepting that of proven Third Party. We cannot be held liable for any theft or damage to your property or injury/illness to your pet unless we can be shown to be negligent.
- We reserve the right to deny or terminate service because of safety or financial concerns.
- Extreme weather conditions may mean a curtailment or cancellation of our services at short notice. (we will keep your pet company if we can get there!)
- We will try to give 24hrs notice if we cannot walk your dog. We will refund the fee for that walk.
- We do not walk dogs during thunderstorms or extreme heat but will let your dog out to relieve himself and keep him company indoors.



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- We cannot walk ill dogs or dogs known to have an infection even on a one to one basis because of the risk of cross infection.
- We will not feed deep chested dogs in the hour presiding or after a walk because of the risk to your dog of gastric torsion.
- **Kennel Cough** - although every care is taken to prevent contact with dogs with kennel cough, the incubation period means that it is always possible your dog may pick this up and we cannot be held liable for you dog contacting kennel cough. We strongly advise you to discuss kennel cough vaccination with your pets vet.
- We will not walk dogs who wear choke chains or electric collars nor can we administer negative punishment (smacking or jerking collars or any method which may cause the dog distress or pain).
- **Holidays** - we aim to give you six weeks notice at least, of our holidays.
- **Cancellations** - we require a minimum of 24 hrs notice of any cancellations to your regular dog walking schedule or you will be charged the standard rate for the walk.

I agree to the above Terms & Conditions

Name .....

Signature .....