

CANAAN DOG CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.

ROOM RESPONSIBILITY POLICY

The Canaan Dog Club of America, Inc. has adopted the following rules in order to insure that its members and their dogs will be welcome at hotels/campgrounds in the future.

Any individual attending a CDCA sanctioned event and staying in a hotel, motel, inn or campsite/fairgrounds has the responsibility of leaving that room or campsite exactly as found. This includes picking up after dog(s) on the grounds. Anyone who damages a room or campsite/fairground and does not report the damage to the hotel/campsite/fairground management, and make immediate restitution or arrangements to do so within a period of time agreed upon by the management, will be subject to any or all for the following actions by the CDCA Board of Directors:

- 1 May be banned from showing at the next CDCA Sanctioned event(s).
- 2 May be subject to AKC sanctions.
- 3 Membership in the CDCA may be terminated and may not be allowed to be reinstated.

Damage shall be defined as:

- 1 Flea infestation, urine, defecation and/or any damage to hotel/campsite/fairground property (wall, bedspreads, carpets, drapes, etc.).
- 2 Any verified complaint by the host hotel/campsite/fairground.
- 3 Any verified complaint by a CDCA Member.

CDCA Room Regulations:

- 1 All dogs shall be crated and quiet when left alone in a room. Noisy dogs shall be quieted upon request, even if this means the owner/handler must stay in the room with dog.
- 2 Individuals will be expected to immediately report any damage by dogs or themselves to the hotel/campsite/fairground management, and to assume complete financial responsibility for those damages.
- 3 No bathing or grooming will be allowed in rooms. A grooming room will be available whenever possible.
- 4 Dogs are to be allowed only on hotel furniture/beds ONLY if the furniture is covered with protected covering provided by the owner/handler.
- 5 All owners/handlers will take preventive measures to assure that their dogs are free of fleas, mites, intestinal parasites and other communicable diseases prior to their arriving at the hotel/campsite.
- 6 Protective sheeting shall be placed under all crates in hotels. (Whenever possible, such sheeting will be provided by the host group and will be given to the hotel to dispense at the time of check-in.)

THIS POLICY WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL SPECIALTY GUIDELINES AND BE REQUIRED TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PREMIUM LIST WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT SIGNING THE ENTRY FORM ALSO INSURES COMPLIANCE WITH THIS POLICY. THE POLICY WILL ALSO BE INCLUDED IN THE SPECIALTY PACKET MAILED TO MEMBERS AND WILL BE DISTRIBUTED WITH SPECIALTY HOSPITALITY PACKETS. ALL INDIVIDUALS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLY.

THIS POLICY WILL BE INCLUDED IN INFORMATION OR PREMIUM LISTS FOR ANY CDCA SPONSORED EVENT (SUPPORTED ENTRIES, REGIONAL SPECIALTIES, AGILITY OR HERDING TESTS/TRIALS, ETC.), WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT SIGNING THE ENTRY FORM OR REGISTERING FOR THE EVENT ALSO INSURES COMPLIANCE WITH THIS POLICY.

Copies of this policy shall also be given to any hotels/campsites/fairgrounds listed in CDCA event information and it is suggested that those hotels/campsites/fairgrounds post this notice.