



## RULES AND REQUIREMENTS

### **SMALL DOGS ONLY**

Small breed Dogs must be under 25 pounds.

### **YOU MUST STAY WITH YOUR DOG**

Please do not leave your dog unattended. It is required that you stay with your dog on the premises at all times.

### **DOG BEHAVIOR - SEVERE AGGRESSION**

Severe Aggressive behavior is not allowed. Dogs that bully, bites, attacks, excessive pouncing, or tries to cause harm to other dogs is considered a Severe Aggressive dog. We recommend behavioral training to assist your dog to play and adjust positively to other dogs before attending any of our small dog social events.

### **THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN BEHAVIORAL TRAINING AND SOCIALIZATION**

**Behavioral Training** is geared towards unwinding years of behavioral issues within your dog. This is ideal for rehabilitating dogs that have aggression or other behavioral issues that require a sort of “rewiring” of the brain to unlearn bad habits.

**Socialization** is the process of preparing a dog to enjoy interactions and be comfortable with other animals, people, places and activities.

### **SPAY AND NEUTER**

Dogs that are **not** spayed or neutered have a tendency to be aggressive towards other dogs to show their dominance. This creates dog fights and potential serious safety issues.

It is required that your dog(s) are spayed and neutered before attending the events.

### **DOG VACCINATIONS**

For the safety of our dogs, it is required that your dog, is current on ALL of their general series of vaccinations according to your veterinarian recommendations.

### **DOG ILLNESSES**

If your dog has cold symptoms, sneezing, runny nose, watery eyes, or frothing of the mouth, please do not bring your dog to the meeting. Please seek a veterinarian before attending a meeting to assure your dog is in good health.

### **TICKS & FLEAS**

To help reduce the spread of Fleas and Ticks to other dogs, it is required that your dog is given tick and flea control preventative before attending the meeting to prevent the spread of fleas, ticks, and potential Lyme disease brought on from ticks.

### **DOG POO CLEAN UP**

It is required that we keep the grounds clean of dog poo to prevent spreading a parasite called Giardia. Giardia is an intestinal parasite that is found in stool that is highly contagious to dogs and humans. Please pick up your dog’s poo immediately. We supply Poo Bags for you to use, so please be courteous of others. (No one likes to step in dog poo).



## DOG LIABILITY WAIVER

I am aware that during the course of my visit to any Senior Living Communities or Retired Veteran Communities, certain inherent risks are involved, including, but not limited to negligence on my part or another person's party. In consideration of this, I hereby declare that this dog has NOT been deemed to be a dangerous or potentially dangerous animal and agree that neither Tiny Paws Fresno, it's owners, agents, assignee's or volunteers shall be liable to the undersigned, or those claiming through or under the undersigned, for injury, death, personal loss or property damage suffered or caused by my own negligence, or the negligence of someone else. If a bite, scratch or other injury damage should occur, I agree to (1.) report it immediately to the Tiny Paws Fresno representative and (2.) hold my pet until I have received instructions from the local authorities regarding the required procedure. I have read the Tiny Paws Fresno Decrees.

I understand and agree to compliance for my dog and myself. I also certify that the information I have given is correct and current.

I hereby certify to the following facts:

1. I am the owner of the dog(s) attending the Tiny Paws Fresno small dog social play events.
2. I will be in control of my dog(s) at all times while at the Tiny Paws Fresno small dog social play events.
3. All of the information I have provided in this Tiny Paws Fresno Waiver Form is accurate.
4. My dog(s) has not been deemed a dangerous or potentially dangerous animal at any time in the past.
5. My dog(s) has never caused a problem in a crowded public environment such as an indoor or outdoor event.

If my dog(s) should bite a person, bite another dog(s), cause property damage, and/or be directly or indirectly involved in any accident, I agree to do the following:

1. Report the incident immediately to the Tiny Paws Fresno representative.
2. Keep my dog(s) available until I have received instructions from the Tiny Paws Fresno representative and/or local authorities regarding the required procedures.

I have read and understand the Tiny Paws Fresno Dog Waiver Form. I understand and agree to full compliance for my dog(s), my guests and myself. I certify that all information I have provided on the Tiny Paws Fresno Waiver Form is current and correct.



## PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE AGREEMENT

I am aware that during the course of my visit to any Senior Living or Retired Veteran Community, I am not allowed to take unauthorized photographs or videos.

Taking and/or posting photographs or videos of residents without proper written authorization can result in a HIPAA violation and trigger HIPAA breach analysis and reporting requirements. The HIPAA Privacy Rule protects the privacy of protected health information (PHI) from unauthorized use or disclosure. The Privacy Rule applies to "covered entities," which includes nursing homes that submit claims electronically. Any use or disclosure not otherwise permitted under HIPAA must be approved by the patient via a HIPAA-compliant Authorization.

Failure to comply with HIPAA by posting images or videos of residents to social media sites can lead to investigations by OCR, civil monetary penalties, and criminal penalties. The civil monetary penalties under HIPAA are tiered and can range from \$100 to \$50,000 per violation per day during the time the covered entity is in violation of the applicable provision.

I agree that neither Tiny Paws Fresno, its owners, agents, assignee's, and volunteers shall be liable for failure to comply with HIPAA by posting images or videos of residents caused by my own negligence, or the negligence of someone else.

I have read and understand the Tiny Paws Fresno Liability for Unauthorized Photograph/Video Waiver Form. I understand and agree to full compliance for my guests and myself.

### AGREEMENT AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

- I have read and understand the following:  
**RULES AND REQUIREMENTS, DOG LIABILITY WAIVER, PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE AGREEMENT.**
- I understand and agree to full compliance for my dog(s), my guests and myself. I certify that all information I have provided Tiny Paws Fresno current and correct.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_