

Walthamstow Cricket, Tennis & Squash Club Policy on Dogs

- 1) Members of Walthamstow Cricket, Tennis and Squash Club are most welcome to bring their dogs onto the Club facilities. However, they must be on a lead at all times.
- 2) Walthamstow Cricket, Tennis and Squash Club is nevertheless, primarily a sports club and dogs' behaviour must not have a negative impact in any way on the provision of sport on the Club facilities and grounds.
- 3) Members must retain control and responsibility for their dogs at all times when on the Club facilities and grounds.
- 4) Members must tidy up after their dogs, bag up and take any dog faeces home with them.
- 5) Members cannot access the cricket field with a dog when it is being used for cricket matches or training.
- 6) Members cannot walk their dogs onto the cricket pitch, inside the boundary rope, at any time during the cricket season (May-September).
- 7) If the behaviour of a dog makes the users of any Club facility unable to carry out their sporting activity safely and confidently, the Club officials, Club staff or coaches may ask the dog owner to leave the facilities until the end of that sporting activity.
- 8) Members are welcome to bring their dogs into the bar area as long as they are on a lead. Members always remain responsible for their dog's behaviour whilst in the bar.
- 9) Dogs are not allowed into the squash courts, tennis courts, changing rooms, kitchen and meeting rooms at any time.
- 10) Consistent breach of this policy by members could lead to their membership being withdrawn.
- 11) Dogs under the ownership or responsibility of non-members are prohibited from the grounds and facilities of Walthamstow Cricket, Tennis and Squash Club at all times and will be asked to leave.
- 12) Support or Guide Dogs are exempt from all the above rules but remain the responsibility of their owner while on Club premises.