

Maryland Park Service

Pet Policy

May 2024

WESTERN REGION	PET POLICIES
Big Run	• Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed in day-use area
Casselman River Bridge	• Pets allowed
Cunningham Falls – Houck Area	• Pets allowed in Addison Run, Catoctin Creek and Bear Branch camp loops • Pets allowed on all trails • Pets allowed in day-use area and lake (except for sandy portions of beaches and within designated swimming areas from Memorial Day weekend until after Labor Day)
Cunningham Falls – Manor Area	• Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed on all trails • Pets allowed in day-use area
Dans Mountain	• Pets allowed (except within enclosed swimming pool area)
Deep Creek Lake	• Pets allowed in Browning, Beckman and Garrett camp loops • Pets allowed on trails • Pets allowed in boat ramp area to board vessels • Pets allowed in Discovery Center parking area to access trails • Pets allowed to swim from shoreline in all areas except swimming beach, docks or fishing piers • Pets allowed in day-use area and lake (except for sandy portion of swimming beach area from Memorial Day weekend until after Labor Day)
Fort Frederick	• Pets allowed in all day-use areas except the barrack rooms of the fort • Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed in picnic area
Gambrill	• Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed on all trails • Pets allowed in day-use area
Gathland	• Pets allowed
Greenbrier	• Pets allowed in Cedar and Dogwood camp loops

	• Pets allowed on trails outside day-use area (access from outlying parking areas) • Pets are permitted in the day use area after Labor Day weekend to Memorial Day weekend. When the swim ropes are not in the water, pets are permitted on the sandy portion of the beach
Herrington Manor	• Pets allowed on trails outside day-use area • Pets allowed in cabins # 1–10 • Pets allowed in day-use area and lake (except for sandy portion of swimming beach area from Memorial Day weekend until after Labor Day)
New Germany	• EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2024, pets will be allowed in the White Oak Loop • Pets allowed in cabins # 3–7 • Pets allowed on trails (except for groomed ski trails during cross-country ski season) • Pets allowed in day-use area and lake (except for sandy portion of swimming beach area from Memorial Day weekend until after Labor Day)
Rocky Gap	• Pets allowed in Ash, Birch, Chestnut, Dogwood and Elm camp loops and common areas of campground • Pets allowed in Easter Hill Chalet • Pets allowed in day-use area and lake (except for designated sandy portions of swimming beach areas from Memorial Day weekend until after Labor Day)
Sang Run	• Pets allowed
South Mountain and South Mountain State Battlefield	• Pets allowed
Swallow Falls	• Pets allowed on trails outside day-use area • Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed in day-use area after Labor Day to Memorial Day weekend
Washington Monument	• Pets allowed
Western Maryland Rail Trail	• Pets allowed
Wolf Den Run	• Pets allowed
Woodmont	• Pets allowed
Youghiogheny Wild River	• Pets allowed
SOUTHERN REGION	PET POLICIES

Calvert Cliffs	• Pets allowed
Cedarville	• Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed in day-use area
Chapel Point	• Pets allowed
Chapman	• Pets allowed
Franklin Point	• Pets allowed
Greenwell	• Pets allowed
Merkle	• Pets allowed
Newtowne Neck	• Pets allowed
Patuxent River (all areas)	• Pets allowed
Point Lookout	• Pets allowed in Malone Circle, Tulip Loop, Green's Point Loop and Hoffman's Loop in campground • Pets allowed in day-use area (except for fishing pier year-round, and beach from Memorial Day weekend until after Labor Day)
Rosaryville	• Pets allowed
Sandy Point	• Pets allowed in boat ramp area to board vessels • Pets allowed in day-use area (except the beach)
Severn Run	• Pets allowed
Smallwood	• Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed in all day-use areas
St. Clements Island	• Pets allowed
St. Mary's River	• Pets allowed
Zekiah Swamp	• Pets allowed
EASTERN REGION	PET POLICIES
Assateague	<u>Campground</u> • During the camping season (last week of April – November 1), pets allowed in camp loops G, H and I and adjoining beaches • During the camping season (last week of April – November 1), pets allowed on the hiker/biker path on the west side of Campground Road only. • When the campground is closed (November 1 – third week of April), pets are permitted in all campground loops and the beach. <u>Day Use Areas</u> • Pets allowed in day-use areas after Labor Day to Memorial Day weekend

	• Pets allowed on the Rackliffe Trail on the mainland. <u>Marina</u> • Pets allowed in marina area
Bill Burton Fishing Pier	• Pets allowed
Black Walnut Point	• Pets allowed on trails
Cypress Branch	• Pets allowed
Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad	• Pets allowed
Janes Island	• Pets allowed in day-use area, marina area, on trails and on island • Pets allowed in campground loops B and C, and in adjacent pet walking areas • Pets allowed in camp loop A and parking lot • Pets allowed in cabins # 1–2 and mini-cabins C and D
Love Point	• Pets allowed
Martinak	• Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed in Dogwood and Fir cabins • Pets allowed in day-use area and on trails
Pocomoke River – Milburn Landing	• Pets allowed
Pocomoke River – Shad Landing	• Pets allowed in Acorn Trail, Deer Run, Fox Den and Waters Edge camping loops • Pets allowed in all day-use areas
Sassafras	• Pets allowed on trails
Tuckahoe	• Pets allowed in campground and on trails • Pets allowed in Dogwood and Fir cabins • Pets allowed in day-use area
Wye Island	• Pets allowed in day-use area and on trails
Wye Oak	• Pets allowed
CENTRAL REGION	PET POLICIES
Bohemia River	• Pets allowed
Bush Declaration	• Pets allowed
Elk Neck	• Pets allowed in campground (except Bohemia, Chester, Tred Avon, and Sassafras loops, rustic cabins and the youth group camping area) • Pets allowed in all day-use areas, including North East Beach area (except for sandy portion of swimming beach area from Memorial Day weekend until after Labor Day)

Fair Hill	• Pets allowed
Gunpowder Falls	• Pets allowed in all undeveloped areas • Pets allowed in Dundee Creek Marina area • Pets allowed in Hammerman area (except for sandy portion of swimming beach area from Memorial Day weekend until after Labor Day)
Hart-Miller Island	• Pets allowed
Monocacy	• Pets allowed
Morgan Run	• Pets allowed
North Point State Battlefield	• Pets allowed
North Point	• Pets allowed (except for sandy portion of swimming beach area from Memorial Day weekend until after Labor Day)
Palmer	• Pets allowed
Patapsco Valley – Avalon/ Orange Grove/ Glen Artney	• Pets allowed
Patapsco Valley – Hilton	• Pets allowed in campground (except in mini-cabins) • Pets allowed in day-use area
Patapsco Valley – Hollofield	• Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed in day-use area
Patapsco Valley – McKeldin	• Pets allowed
Patapsco Valley – Pickall	• Pets allowed
Patuxent River	• Pets allowed
Rocks	• Pets allowed
Seneca Creek	• Pets allowed
Soldiers Delight	• Pets allowed
Susquehanna	• Pets allowed in campground • Pets allowed in day-use area
Torrey C. Brown Rail Trail	• Pets allowed