

# Windsor Dog Park

Informational Meeting Minutes

January 27, 2008

Windsor Public Library

6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

## General Info

- ❦ A site for the new dog park has been approved. The site is located at Northwest Park in the overflow parking area. The lot is approx. 1/3 acre large and will include a section for small and large dogs.
- ❦ A website is up and running at [www.windsordogpark.org](http://www.windsordogpark.org) and contains some initial information along with a site map of the designated location.

## What's Next

- ❦ We need to raise approximately \$6400 and then the next \$4800 dollars we raise will be matched by the Town of Windsor. Funds are needed for fencing, shade, mulch, signs and other necessities.
- ❦ There are approximately 5000 licensed dog owners in the Town of Windsor. There is a potential for some fund-raising with all of the dog owners.
- ❦ We have broken out into sub-committees to efficiently work on the separate deliverables. Sub-committees are as follows:
  - Public Relations
  - Hospitalities
  - Administration
  - Research/Logistics
  - Rules
  - Finance (includes keeping track of the account held by the rec. department)
  - Fund Raising
  - Outreach

## Fund Raising Ideas

- ❧ Checks can be made payable to *Town of Windsor Dog Park*
- ❧ Participate in the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Dr. Pennington Dog Walk on Sunday, May 31<sup>st</sup> from 9 - 5. A liaison from our committees would be asked to participate in the planning of the dog walk
- ❧ Have a booth at the Shad Derby
- ❧ Paws for Cause
- ❧ Windsor Feud
- ❧ Dog Contest
- ❧ Dog Pictures
- ❧ Collection buckets at different venues (ie: Petco, Dog Groomer, Veterinary Hospitals).
- ❧ Sell T-Shirts, bumper stickers, hats, vests etc. (need a logo)
- ❧ Dog Training
- ❧ Dog Sitting
- ❧ Dog Grooming
- ❧ Secure Grants

## Additional Notes

- ❧ Secure advertising through Windsor Public Access
- ❧ Reach out to boy scouts to build shelter

**Next General Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday Feb 24<sup>th</sup> at 6:30.**

**All Purpose Room 1 at L P Wilson.**