

# Ways to Help

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I want to join! Enclosed is my application and check.

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I want to "Buy A Brick."  
Enclosed is my application and check.  
(Download application at [www.bennettcerfdogpark.org](http://www.bennettcerfdogpark.org))

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I would like to make a donation to support the park. My check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

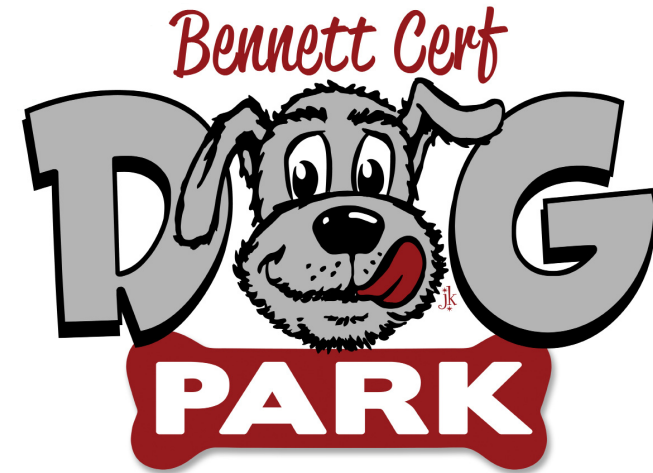
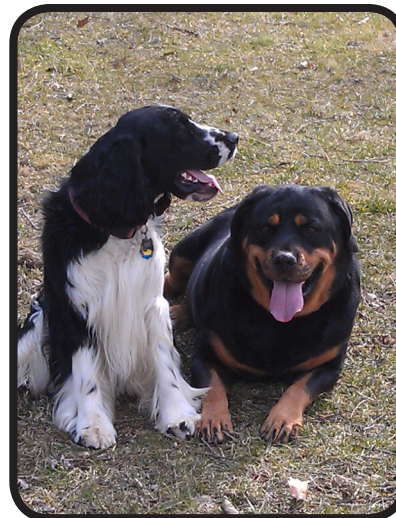
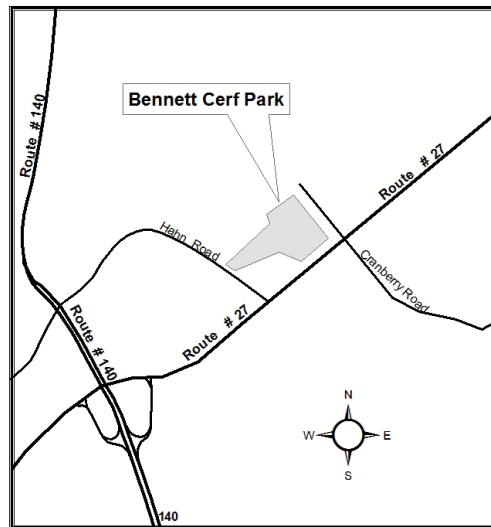
MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:  
Carroll County Recreation & Parks  
*Check Memo: Bennett Cerf Dog Park*

MAIL TO:  
Carroll County Recreation & Parks  
300 S. Center Street  
Westminster, MD 21157



## LOSE THE LEASH!

DIRECTIONS:  
(Near Random House)  
Follow Route #140 to Route #27N.  
Turn left onto Bennett Cerf Drive.  
The park is on the left.



**JOIN &  
CONTRIBUTE  
TODAY!**

(410) 386-2103



[www.BennettCerfDogPark.org](http://www.BennettCerfDogPark.org)





# Welcome to Bennett Cerf Dog Park...*where dogs rule.*

*How did this project begin?* For the past 15 years, there have been a growing number of requests for a County dog park. Recently, the Carroll County Commissioners approved a request to transform land that formerly featured rarely used tennis courts into a dog park. The Department of Recreation & Parks actively worked with dedicated volunteers to bring the project to fruition. BCDP is a "Members Only" facility. Member fees are used to maintain the grounds and amenities.

*What is a dog park?* Bennett Cerf Dog Park is a large fenced in area where dogs are permitted to be taken off-leash to exercise and socialize with other dogs in a safe environment. This is the only area in any County park where dogs are permitted off leash. Many backyards do not give dogs enough room to run. Veterinarians agree exercise and socialization contributes to a well adjusted dog. Dog parks provide excellent opportunities for dog owners to socialize as well.

**[www.BennettCerfDogPark.org](http://www.BennettCerfDogPark.org)**

## *What are the park amenities?*

- Approximately one acre fenced in off-leash dog area
- Adjacent walking trail, base ball field, play equipment & picnic pavilions in park
- Ample shade & parking
- Benches and bowls are provided but be sure to bring your own water
- Kiosk with Dog Park news and announcements


## *What are the membership details?*


Annual membership to BCDP is \$30. Proof of rabies vaccination and local dog license are required. Applications can be found on the BCDP website.


*How is the park funded?* Construction and maintenance of the park is dependent solely on contributions and paid memberships from dog lovers like you. Donations from community members raised over \$15,000 for ground preparation, fencing, signage, and other start-up costs. Donations will be used for park maintenance and other site improvements.


*How can I help?* We need the help of the community to continue to make this dream grow--it starts with you!

**Please consider:**

 Sign up for membership! Log onto [www.BennettCerfDogPark.org](http://www.BennettCerfDogPark.org). Print/complete the membership application. Mail it in with your check for \$30 dollars. (On-line registration will be available in the future.)

 Give of your time and talents: New committee members are always welcome. (Contact Recreation & Parks at 410-386-2103 for meeting times/location.)

 "Buy-A-Brick": Bricks will be used for a patio surrounding the park's sign board. Log onto [www.BennettCerfDogPark.org](http://www.BennettCerfDogPark.org) to print/complete the form and mail in your check.

 Make a monetary tax deductible donation to the Carroll County Recreation & Parks (check memo: Bennett Cerf Dog Park). All donors will be publicly recognized and mailed a receipt.