

**2026 Doggy Dip Liability Waiver**

This is a release of liability. Do not sign if you do not understand or do not agree with its terms.

IMPORTANT: Every adult participant MUST complete a Release Agreement form. Please read this document carefully and sign below.

**Participants Please Note:**

- Each dog must have written proof of current Rabies vaccine from a licensed veterinarian. City license tag or rabies tag will not be accepted. Puppies that are too young for the rabies vaccine will not be permitted.
- Dogs must be well behaved, sociable dogs; no aggressive/ predatory behaviors toward humans or dogs.
- Dogs that are not neutered or spayed are permitted, but no dogs in heat.
- Dogs allowed with Fecal Staining on their hair coat.
- Dogs must be free from diarrhea in the past 10 days.
- Dogs must be wearing a flat collar (e.g. no metal collars).
- Dogs must be supervised by an adult (one dog per adult)\*\*.
- Dogs must be willing swimmers, with life jackets if needed.
- No humans allowed inside of the pool during the dog swim, exceptions are fecal removal or to assist their dog if they are struggling.
- All Fond du Lac School District Aquatic Center rules will be enforced.
- Walk dog directly before swim session, to encourage elimination prior to swim.
- BYOT–Bring Your Own Towel.
- Toys are allowed at the discretion of Doggie Dip Staff.
- Clean up after your dog, some bags will be available.
- Dogs must be on leashes when they are out of the water.
- Doggy Dip Staff reserve the right to dismiss any dog or human for rule infraction, unruly, or aggressive behavior.
- **HAVE FUN!**

**\*\*Adult Participant must sign the waiver, lead dog to pool, and remain poolside throughout their dog’s swim session.**

I understand that I am voluntarily participating in the 2026 Doggy Dip, held Saturday, March 14, 2026 at the Fond du Lac School District Aquatic Center and I expressly agree to assume sole responsibility for all risks of any accidents or personal injury, including death, illness, physical or mental harm, bodily injury, loss or property damage which I, the children on whose behalf I am signing this form, and/or my dog(s) may suffer as a result of my participation in the event.

I understand that the act of unleashing my dog and being physically present inside the pool area necessarily involves risks of injury to me, to other people, to my dog, and to other dogs. I understand these risks are entirely my responsibility. I expressly assume these risks. I am aware of the risks and hazards inherent upon entering the pool area and I choose to voluntarily enter the premises, knowing the conditions might become hazardous and/or dangerous for myself and/or dog and I voluntarily assume all such risks, loss, damages, or injury that may be sustained by entering the pool. I agree to indemnify and save harmless the Fond du Lac School District and their employees, elected and appointed officials, and agents from any and all liability from claims of bodily injury, property damage, or any other nature whatsoever arising out of the use of the Fond du Lac School District properties herein specified.

I grant the Fond du Lac School District Community Education and Recreation Department, their employees, and agents permission to use pictures or videos taken of me, my family, and/or my dog during the participation in this event. I understand these images may be used for promotional news, research, and/or educational purposes, including the internet. I understand that images posted on the Internet can be downloaded by any computer user. I waive my right to inspection or compensation, and I release, discharge, and hold harmless the above mentioned groups and individuals from any and all claims, demands, or cause of action that I may have of anything contained in the photographs or video.

I have carefully read this release of liability and understand and fully agree with its contents.

Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Canine Rabies expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_