



Monett Veterinary Hospital Expands Doggy Daycare Service for Weekday Canine Socialization

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Monett Veterinary Hospital, an AAHA-accredited, full-service small animal hospital in Monett, Missouri, is highlighting the expansion of its doggy daycare service designed to provide dogs with supervised activity and regular socialization throughout the workweek. The service operates Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., excluding major holidays.

The Monett Veterinary Hospital Doggy Daycare gives participating dogs access to an indoor play area as well as large outdoor play yards. Throughout the day, daycare dogs interact with other daycare and boarding guests under the supervision of trained staff members. The program is intended for pet owners who want consistent daytime care for their dogs or who need occasional coverage during busy schedules.

While the service is not a formal training class, it offers structured socialization and physical activity in a monitored environment. Staff members oversee interactions between dogs to help maintain a safe setting for animals of varying temperaments and energy levels.

To take part in daycare, dogs must be current on core vaccinations, including DHLPP, Rabies, and Bordetella, and must have a current fecal floatation test. The fecal floatation test screens for intestinal parasites that can spread between pets in group settings. Any of these requirements can be completed on-site at the time of a pet's daycare appointment if needed, allowing owners to address vaccination or testing gaps without scheduling a separate visit.

"Daycare gives dogs a productive outlet during the day and helps them build comfort around other animals and people," said Erin Carnes, a representative of Monett Veterinary Hospital. "The vaccination and parasite screening requirements exist to protect every animal in the group, and having those services available on-site makes participation straightforward for owners."

The daycare service is part of the broader range of care offered at the facility, which also includes boarding for both dogs and cats, grooming, preventive care, and surgical services. Because the daycare operates within a veterinary hospital, medical staff are present during operating hours.

"Owners often tell us their dogs are calmer and more settled at home after a day of supervised play," Carnes said. "For working households or anyone who wants their dog to stay active and socialized, the daytime structure can make a meaningful difference."

Monett Veterinary Hospital notes that the fecal floatation requirement reflects standard precautions for group pet environments, where intestinal parasites can pass among animals in close contact. Combining these health standards with trained supervision is intended to reduce risk while dogs share indoor and outdoor spaces.

Monett Veterinary Hospital is a full-service, AAHA-accredited small animal hospital located in Monett, Missouri. Founded in 1953 by Dr. C.J. McCormick, the hospital has served southwestern Missouri for more than five decades, growing from a single-veterinarian practice into a comprehensive animal care facility. The hospital received the AAHA Commitment to Excellence Award in 2007 and is a Veterinary Economics Architectural Award Excellence winner. Its services include routine and major surgery, orthopedic surgery, laser and radiowave surgery, radiology, internal medicine, an in-house laboratory, pharmacy, preventive care, therapeutic diets, grooming, boarding, and doggy daycare.

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