

Terms and conditions

Payment Details

Payment is upfront via our online payment service.

Booking the Paddock, Pricing & Cancellations

No refunds or exchanges given. Bookings are non-transferable to other people.

Jim Hall reserves the right to alter the pricing structure for use of the field without notice.

When making your booking you must give true details of the number of dogs, people and vehicle to be used for the booking. Any changes to these details before the booking takes place must be notified.

Your booking time includes the time required for you to secure your dog/dogs and return them to your vehicle. Customers must ensure that they leave the parking area no later than the end time of their booking. For this reason we recommend you allow good time to exit the field safely. This means that other customers are not kept waiting and avoids the chance of a crossover.

All prices include VAT. VAT no. 307948477. If any VAT receipt is required, please email jrhallservices@hotmail.co.uk.

Operating Hours

For safety and planning reasons the field will be open at specific times during the summer and winter seasons. Strictly no access to the paddock is allowed outside of these opening times.

Please see opening times on our Facebook / booking page.

Numbers of Cars, Persons and Dogs

Use of the paddock is subject to a maximum of 1 vehicle being present in the designated car park for the duration of your booking. As the booking client by agreeing to these terms and conditions you also agree that any other persons you bring with you are informed and abide by these terms and conditions.

Dangerous Dogs

Any dog listed under the Dangerous Dogs Act 1991 or the Control of Dogs (Scotland) Act 2010 or the Dangerous Dogs (Northern Ireland) Order 1991 will require your own public liability insurance as our insurance will not cover this animal. Please call 07752 021715 if you would like to begin to make arrangements for a Dangerous Dog to enter the paddock.

Entering & Exiting the Paddock

The parking area is not fully fenced or secure, therefore dogs must be kept on a lead at all times whilst in the parking area / initial boundary. Once having gained access to the gated field and closed the gate behind you and checked the field is secure you may release your dog/dogs

Before you release your dog, please check that the perimeter is secure. The paddock will be inspected regularly, but there is still a chance that a rogue badger or something similar could of been digging in between inspections. You are responsible for checking it is safe and suitable for your dogs to be off lead.

Should you enter the field late within the time of your booking this will not alter the end time of your booking. You should ensure that you leave the site on time so as not to cause any delay to others waiting to commence their booking. If you arrive earlier than your appointed time, or in the event of a crossover your dog must remain in your vehicle until the last customer has left. Dogs must not be able to come into contact in the carpark.

On leaving the paddock you must ensure all dogs are on a lead before opening the gate to the car park.

Jim Hall accepts no liability for any damages or losses sustained whilst customers are in the car park or exit/entry via Boggy Lane.

DO NOT PARK ON BOGGY LANE – access only, other land owners use the lane too.

Withdrawal of Paddock Use

Jim Hall reserves the right to withdraw permission to use the paddock at his discretion, for example on the basis of weather conditions, or where individuals have not complied with the conditions of use. Subject to the reason for the withdrawal of the facility, any advanced payment may be refunded. Jim Hall shall be under no liability for any other expenses incurred or loss sustained by the client as result of the use of the facility being withdrawn at his sole discretion.

Code of Ethics

Owners must ensure that all dogs using the field are up to date with their dog/dogs respective flea, worming, and tick control.

If your dog/dogs or any dog/dogs they live with are showing any signs of ill health (coughing, diarrhoea, vomiting, general illness, lethargy etc) you will cancel any pending booking. This is to preserve the health of all dogs visiting the site as some may have weakened immune systems.

All dogs must wear their collars with an up to date tag and be micro chipped.

Harsh handling of any dog/dogs either verbal or physical is not allowed.

All dog/dogs must be on a lead when not in the secure paddock area.

Maintenance & Health & Safety

The paddock may get wet and muddy at times so customers must ensure adequate and suitable footwear for the ground condition is worn at all times.

Jim Hall reserves the right to operate cctv on site.

There is a dog waste bin on site. The customer must pick up any faeces from their dog/dogs and place it in this bin. Anyone found to disregard this condition may have their permission to use the paddock withdrawn permanently.

There are no toilets on site.

You will need to provide your own water and bowl as there is no mains water on site.

The paddock is a countryside-based facility and as such although maintained by Jim Hall there may be branches and stones, uneven ground, mud and leaves in the field.

You must not litter the field and you are responsible for disposing of your litter taking it with you off site.

Owners must discourage their dog/dogs from digging and any holes dug by your dog/dogs must be reinstated prior to leaving the field.

You must remove all of your personal items on leaving the field as this could cause a choking hazard to other dogs, especially broken toys.

At no time should any dog/dogs be tethered to any structures on site, e.g. posts, gates or fencing. You or your dog/dogs must not climb on gates, fencing or posts.

Dogs shall never be left unattended whilst using the paddock. You should accompany your dog/dogs to ensure that you are aware of what they are doing, that they are safe and are complying with these terms and conditions.

Any Children under the care and/or control of a customer must be supervised at all times.

The paddock and fencing will be inspected regularly to ensure it is healthy and secure but please notify us if you have any concerns.

Use of any low level agility style equipment at your own risk. You must only allow your dogs to participate in activities appropriate for their breed, age and size.

In accordance with the law regarding 'Responsible Dog Ownership' you are entirely responsible for yours and your dog/dogs safety whilst on the site. The law states that you should be in control of your dog/dogs at all times.

Jim Hall / staff will be allowed access at any time onto the land to carry out inspections / maintenance.

Jim Hall reserves the right to refuse permission to or evict any persons from the premises.

Marketing & Publication

Jim Hall reserves the right to use any material including texts and images provided by you to us (in any format) or via our Facebook page for the purposes of marketing and promotion.

Personal Responsibilities

Jim Hall is not responsible and will not accept any liability for any loss, damage, injury or death howsoever and by whomsoever caused excepting that caused by the negligence or wilful misconduct of Jim Hall or his employees, whether to property, dogs, or person(s) sustained whilst at the site.

Declarations

I agree to abide by these rules, terms and conditions, and accept that the use of these facilities is at my own risk and mine and my dogs behaviour and actions are my sole responsibility and no claim can be made against Jim Hall.

I accept that Jim Hall will not be liable for any liability, losses, claims, actions, damages, costs, expenses or other liability incurred by the customer through hiring the use of the dog paddock.

Declaration

I agree to be bound by the above conditions of use of the dog paddock by booking a session I agree I have read and understood these terms and conditions.