LONDON BOROUGH OF SUTTON

BYELAWS RELATING TO DOGS PROHIBITED FROM THE GROUNDS, DOGS ON LEADS AND DOGS ON LEADS BY DIRECTION

Byelaws made by the Council of the London Borough of Sutton under section 164 of the Public Health Act 1875, section 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906, sections 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906, and Section 214 and Schedule 26 of the Local Government Act 1972, and all other powers them enabling with respect to pleasure grounds, public walks, cemeteries, open spaces, commons, and town/village greens.

EXTENT

1 (1) Byelaw 3 applies to the pleasure grounds, public walks, cemeteries, open spaces, commons, and village greens or parts thereof described in Schedule 1, hereafter referred to as 'the dog prohibited areas'.

(2) Byelaw 4 applies to the pleasure grounds, public walks, open spaces, commons, and village greens or parts thereof described in Schedule 2, hereafter referred to as the 'dogs on leads areas'.

(3) Byelaw 5 applies to the pleasure grounds, public walks, cemeteries, open spaces, commons, and village greens described in Schedule 3, hereafter referred to as 'the dogs on leads by direction areas'.

(4) Byelaws 4 and 5 do not apply to any roads within the dogs on leads areas for the time being designated under section 27 of the Road Traffic Act 1988.

(5) Byelaw 4 and 5 do not apply in respect of any dogs to which section 1 of the Dangerous Dogs Act 1991 applies.

(6) Notice of the effect of these byelaws shall be given by signs placed in conspicuous positions at the entrances to each of the dog prohibited areas, and at the entrances or on the approaches to each of the dogs on leads areas and the dogs on leads by direction areas.

INTERPRETATION

2 (1) In these byelaws, 'the Council' means the London Borough of Sutton.

(2) For the purpose of these byelaws the keeper of the dog shall be deemed in charge thereof, unless the dog had been placed in or taken into the charge of some other person at the time when an offence under these byelaws had been committed.

(3) In paragraph (2) above 'the keeper' shall include the owner of the dog or any person who habitually has it in his possession.
(4) In these byelaws, ‘the ground(s)’ means any of the pleasure grounds, public
walks, cemeteries, open spaces, commons, and village greens or parts
thereof described in Schedules 1, 2 and 3 to these byelaws.

**DOGS PROHIBITED FROM THE GROUNDS**

3 (1) No person in charge of a dog (other than a registered blind person in charge
of a guide dog) shall, without reasonable excuse, permit the dog to enter or
remain in any of the dog prohibited areas.

(2) An officer of the Council or any constable may require a person in charge of
a dog which has entered any of the dog prohibited areas to remove the dog
therefrom.

**DOGS ON LEADS**

4 No person in charge of a dog shall, without reasonable excuse, permit the
dog to enter or remain in any of the dogs on leads areas unless the dog is
held on a lead and is restrained from behaviour giving reasonable grounds
for annoyance.

**DOGS ON LEADS BY DIRECTION**

5 (1) Every person in charge of a dog (other than a registered blind person in
charge of a guide dog) shall, as far as reasonably practicable comply with a
direction given by any officer of the Council or constable to keep the dog on
a lead and restrained from behaviour likely to cause annoyance or
disturbance in each of the dogs on leads by direction areas.

(2) A direction under paragraph (1) above may only be given if such restraint is
reasonably necessary to prevent a nuisance or behaviour by the dog likely
to cause annoyance or disturbance to any person in any of the dogs on
leads by direction areas or the worrying or disturbance of any animal or bird.

**REMOVAL OF OFFENDERS**

6 Any person offending against any of these byelaws may be removed from
the ground(s) by any officer of the Council or any constable.

**PENALTY**

7 Any person offending against any of these byelaws shall be liable on
summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 2 on the standard scale.

**REVOCATION**

8 Byelaw 12 made by The London borough of Sutton on 11 August 1971 and
confirmed by the Secretary of State on 1 July 1972 in respect of the
ground(s) is hereby revoked.
SCHEDULE 1

The dog prohibited areas referred to in byelaw 1(1) are:

Part 1

Under section 164 of the Public Health Act 1875:

Beddington Park (playground area), Church Road, Beddington
Belmont Garden of Remembrance, Queens Road, Belmont
Benhill Recreation Ground (playground area), Benhill Road, Sutton
Carshalton Park (playground area), Ruskin Road, Carshalton
Cheam Memorial Gardens, Malden Road, Cheam
Cheam Recreation Ground (playground area), Tudor Close, Cheam
Collingwood Recreation Ground (playground area), Collingwood Road, Sutton
Corrigan Avenue Recreation Ground (playground area), Corrigan Avenue, Clockhouse
Cuddington Recreation Ground (playground area), St Clair Drive, Nonsuch
Dale Park (playground area), Dale Park Avenue, The Wrythe
Dorchester Road Playing Field (playground area), Dorchester Road, Worcester Park
Fairlands Park (playground area), London Road, North Cheam
Hamilton Avenue Recreation Ground (playground area), Lime Avenue, Stonecot
Limes Avenue Recreation Ground (playground area), Lime Avenue, The Wrythe
Longfellow Road Playground, Longfellow Road, Worcester Park
Manor Park (playground area), Throwley Way, Sutton
Mellows Park (playground area), Stafford Road, Beddington South
Quarry Park, Quarry Rise, Sutton West
Reigate Avenue Recreation Ground (fenced area), Reigate Avenue, Stonecot
Rosehill Park West (fenced areas), High Street, Rosehill
Roundshaw Park (playground area), Foresters Drive, Beddington South
Roundshaw Park (fenced sporting area), Foresters Drive, Beddington South
Royston Park (playground area), Royston Avenue, The Wrythe
Seear’s Park (playground area), St Dunstan’s Hill, Sutton West
St Helier Open Space (playground area), Wrythe Lane, St Helier
St Mary’s Field (playground area), Bute Road, Wallington North
The Green/Sutton, Large and small (playground area), Bushy Road, Sutton North
Warren Park (playground area), Kings Lane, Sutton
Wrythe Recreation Ground (playground area), Wrythe Lane, Carshalton

Part 2

Under sections 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906:

Belmont Park (playground area), Brighton Road, Belmont
Belmont War Memorial, Queens Road, Belmont
Orchard Avenue Recreation Ground (playground area), Orchard Avenue, Wandle Valley
Overton Park, Overton Road, Belmont
Poulter Park (playground area), Bishopsford Road, Wandle Valley
Rushy Meadow Park (fenced area), Fellows Road, The Wrythe
Stanley Park (playground and fenced areas), Woodfield Avenue, Carshalton South & Clockhouse
Sutton Common Recreation Ground (playground area), Sutton Common Road, Stonecot
The Grove (playground area), High Street Carshalton
Thomas Wall Park (other than fenced dog area), Green Lane, Rosehill

Part 3

Under Section 214 and Schedule 26 of the Local Government Act 1972:

Sutton Cemetery, Alcorn Close, Stonecot

SCHEDULE 2

The dogs on leads areas referred to in byelaw 1(2) are:

Part 1

Under section 164 of the Public Health Act 1875:

Carshalton War Memorial, Honeywood Walk, Carshalton
Manor Park (top field), Throwley Way, Sutton
Stanley Square, Carshalton South & Clockhouse
The Grange, London Road, Wallington
Wallington Green War Memorial, Acra Lane, Wallington North

Part 2

Under sections 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906:

Courtney Crescent, Courtney Crescent, Carshalton South and Clockhouse
The Grove (Sports field), High Street, Carshalton

Part 3

Under Section 214 and Schedule 26 of the Local Government Act 1972:
St Philips Churchyard, St Philips Avenue, Worcester Park

SCHEDULE 3

The dogs on leads by direction areas referred to in byelaw 1(3) are:

Part 1

Under section 164 of the Public Health Act 1875:

Beddington Park, Church Road, Beddington
Belmont Park, Brighton Road, Belmont
Benhill Recreation Ground, Benhill Road, Sutton
Buckhurst Avenue Footpath (Parks), Buckhurst Avenue, Wandle Park
Buckland Way Recreation Ground, Buckland Way, Worcester Park
Carshalton Place (Parks), Carshalton Place, Carshalton
Chaucer Gardens (Parks), Chaucer Gardens, Sutton
Cheam Park, Tudor Close, Cheam
Cheam Recreation Ground (other than playground area), Tudor Close, Cheam
Collingwood Recreation Ground (other than playground area), Collingwood Road, West Sutton
Corrigan Avenue Recreation Ground (other than playground area), Corrigan Avenue, Carshalton South & Clockhouse
Cuddington Recreation Ground (other than playground area), St Clair Drive, Nonsuch
Dale Park (other than playground area), Dale Park Avenue, The Wrythe
Dorchester Road Playing Field (other than playground area), Dorchester Road, Worcester Park
Elm Grove, London Road, Wallington
Fairlands Park (other than playground area), London Road, North Cheam
Festival Walk, Honeywood Walk, Carshalton
Green Lane (Worcester Park), Green Lane, Worcester Park
Hackbridge Green, Hackbridge Road, Wandle Valley
Hamilton Avenue Recreation Ground (other than playground area), Hamilton Avenue, Stonecot
Jubilee Gardens, Stanley Park Road, Wallington South
Lakeside, London Road, Wallington
Longlands Avenue, Longlands Avenue, Clockhouse
Love Lane Bird Sanctuary, Quarry Park Road, Sutton West
Malden Green, Central Road, Worcester Park
Manor Gardens, London Road, Wallington
Manor Park (other than playground area and top field), Throwley Way, Sutton
Margarets Pool, Pound Street, Carshalton
Mellows Park (other than playground area), Stafford Road, Beddington South
Middleton Road Open Space, Middleton Road, St Helier
Oaks Park, Croydon Lane, Carshalton South & Clockhouse
Orchard Avenue Recreation Ground (other than playground area), Orchard Avenue, Wandle Valley
Perretts Field, Alberta Avenue, Sutton West
Queen Elizabeth Walk, Queen Elizabeth Walk, Beddington North
Queen Mary’s Park, Fountain Drive, Carshalton South & Clockhouse
Reigate Avenue Recreation Ground (Forest Road) (other than fenced area), Reigate Avenue, Stonecot
Revesby Wood, Revesby Road, Wandle Valley
Richmond Green (Parks area), Richmond Road, Beddington North
River Gardens, River Gardens, The Wrythe
Rosehill Park East, Rosehill Park West, Rosehill
Rosehill Park West (other than playground area), High Street, Rosehill
Roundshaw Down, Foresters Drive, Beddington South
Roundshaw Down Nature Reserve, Foresters Drive, Beddington South
Roundshaw Park (other than playground area), Foresters Drive, Beddington South
Roundshaw Playing Field, Hannibal Way, Beddington South
Royston Park (other than playground area), Royston Avenue, The Wrythe
Rushy Meadow Park (other than fenced area), Fellows Road, The Wrythe
Seear’s Park (other than playground area), St. Dunstan’s Hill, Sutton West
Seear’s Park Nursery, St. Dunstan’s Hill, Sutton West
St Helier Open Space (other than playground area), Wrythe Lane, St Helier
St Mary’s Field (other than playground area), Bute Road, Wallington North
Sutton Town Square, High Street, Sutton
The Green/ Sutton, Large & Small (other than playground area), Bushy Road, Sutton North
Wallington Green, Acra Lane, Wallington North
Warren Park (other than playground area), Kings Lane, Sutton Central
Watercress Park, Spencer Road, Wandle Valley
Woodcote Green, Woodcote Road, Wallington South
Wrythe Green, Wrythe Lane, The Wrythe
Wrythe Recreation Ground (other than playground area), Wrythe Lane, Carshalton

Part 2

Under sections 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906:

Back Green (Worscester Park), Green Lane, Worcester Park
Bowmans Meadow, London Road, Wallington
Carshalton Park, Ruskin Road, Carshalton
Great Woodcote Park, Beddington South
Limes Avenue Recreation Ground (other than playground area), Limes Avenue, The Wrythe
Mallison Green, Mallison Road, Beddington North
Mill Green Ecology Area, Goat Road, Wandle Valley
Poulter Park (other than playground area), Bishopsford Road, Wandle Valley
River Wandle Walkway, River Wandle
Riverside Walk (Guy Road Recreation Ground), Beddington Lane, Beddington North
Spring Close Lane, St. Dunstan’s Hill, Sutton West
Stanley Park (other than playground area), Woodfield Avenue, Carshalton South & Clockhouse
Sutton Common Recreation Ground (other than playground area), Sutton Common Road, Stonecot
The Grove (other than sports field), High Street, Carshalton
Thomas Wall Park (other than playground area), Green Lane, Rosehill
Yardley Recreation Ground, Wordsworth Drive, Nonsuch

Part 3

Under Section 214 and Schedule 26 of the Local Government Act 1972:

Bandon Hill Cemetery, Plough Lane, Beddington North
Cuddington Cemetery, Lindsay Road, Worcester Park