



PET FRIENDLY GALVESTON

An insider's guide to the most paw-some spots on Galveston Island, TX.



BRING YOUR WHOLE FAMILY

Everyone deserves a beach vacation! Don't leave your BFF (best furry friend) at home - choose from 50+ pet friendly beach houses for your next island getaway!



GET AWAY & PLAY

Don't be part of the 39% of people who have skipped vacations to stay home with their dog! (source: Rover.com)

Sand `N Sea is only one of the many Island businesses that love welcoming four-legged visitors; and we've got the inside scoop on the best places to bring Fido, how to beach like a pro with your pup, and what your canine companion shouldn't miss on your beach vacation!



BEST BEACH TIPS

Your furry friend needs plenty of fresh water, a shady spot to relax, and sun screen on those delicate noses & thinly-furred areas!

Be sure to avoid zinc oxide-based sunscreens (zinc is harmful if ingested) and look for ones for human babies or sensitive skin. Better yet - ask your vet if they carry any in their office!

[Click here to see more tips on our blog!](#)

LOCAL LEASH LAWS

Keep yourself and your VIP (very important pet) out of the dog house and on the right side of the law!

City ordinances require dogs to be leashed at all times. This also lets you (attempt) to keep them out of the surf, and prevents them from bothering nesting shore birds or knocking over sandcastles during their beach stroll!



DOLPHINS & DOGGOS

Nothing makes us happier than watching a good case of the zoomies - on land or at sea!

Baywatch Dolphin Tours welcomes pups & their people on 45 minute guided tours on their covered jet drive boats (no propellers = happy sea life) that depart from Pier 21. Pups ride free!

galvestonbaywatch.com





FOOTLOOSE & FREE

Lindale Park at Fourth Street & Marine Drive has a great dog park that offers a chance for your pup to mingle and run to their heart's content!

This off-leash park boasts a fenced green area with benches, water stations, and a small dog section.

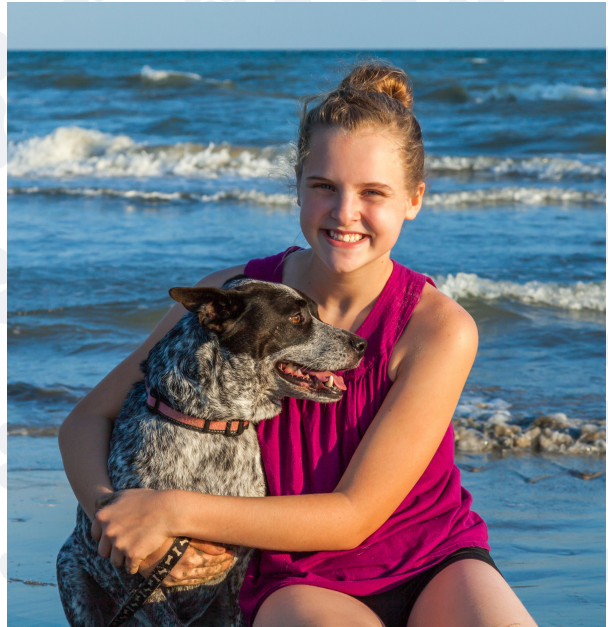
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DOGGY DINING

There's a whole pack of local restaurants happy to feed you & your pup while you're out & about! Our favorites include:

- Farley Girls Cafe (Postoffice St.)
- Little Daddy's Gumbo Bar (Postoffice St.)
- MOD Coffeehouse (Postoffice St.)
- Shrimp N Stuff (Avenue O or 23rd Street)
- Sunflower Bakery & Cafe (14th St.)
- West End Restaurant & Sand Bar

Enjoy dining al fresco on their patios & have a delicious meal with your whole family!



TASTY TREATS

It's only fair that your pup gets to partake in some great local cuisine too!

Pattycakes Bakery offers delicious baked goods - including dog treats! Stop by early for the best selection at this local favorite.

Want a cool treat? Check out Hey Mikey's Ice Cream or Frio's Ice Pops.

pattycakesgalveston.com
heymikeysicecream.com
friospops.com/location/galveston/





LOCAL VETS

You never know what will happen with your favorite canine! Just in case:

Campeche Cove Animal Hospital - 10015 Stewart Road; 409.740.0808

Galveston Veterinary Clinic - 2108 61st Street; 409.744.5355

VCA Animal Emergency Hospital (nights & weekends) - 1108 Gulf Freeway South, League City, TX; 281.332.1678

RELAX AND ENJOY TIME AWAY WITH YOUR PUP!

Staying at a beach house lets your pup's nose get a full workout from the safety & serenity of the deck or fenced yard...and island sunbeams are the perfect place for a quick snooze before getting up and doing it all over again!



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