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Chance

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Cookie

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Dori

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Fancy

**Fb**  
Fenway (big)

**Fl**  
Fenway (little)

**Fi**  
Finn

**Fr**  
Freia

**H**  
Hurley

**Ma**  
Maui

**Mi**  
Minnie

**Mo**  
Moby

**N**  
Naina

**Pa**  
Paris

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Pascha

**Pj**  
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**Pu**  
Pukka

**Ri**  
Riley

**Ro**  
Robin

**WsDp**

Whisman Station Dogpark

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Every night, sometime between 5 and 7pm, the dog owners of Whisman Station stage an impromptu dog park. The primary purpose is to exercise their dogs, secondary to that is socializing, finding out the gossip of the neighborhood, celebrating birthdays and anniversaries (both human and canine) and generally unwinding from the day.

This is a catalog of the Whisman Station Dog Park (WSDP). Over the years we have become minor experts on canine sociology and psychology, noticing the unique personalities and relationships of each dog. Here they are, in all their glory.



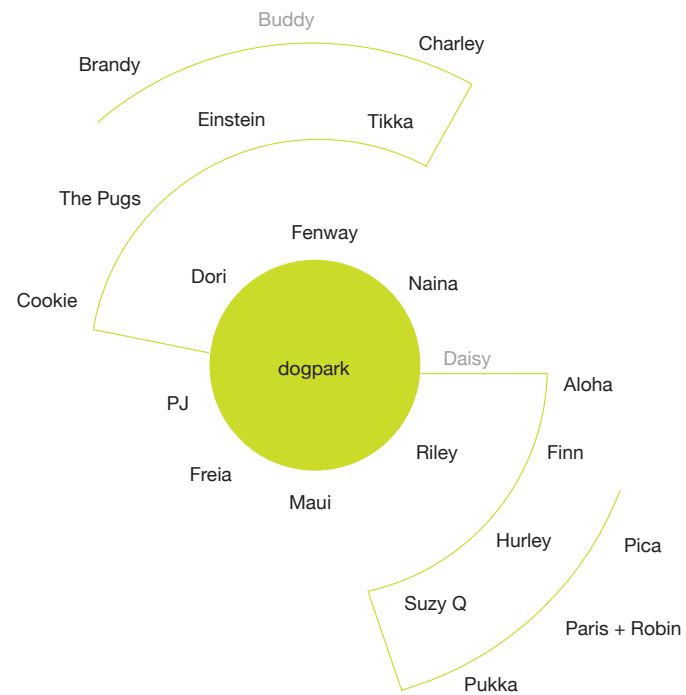
RILEY

NEW DOG

FREIA

FINN

DORY



^ Fig. 1

Fig. 1  
 Dogpark Schematic  
 WSDP consists of 7 core subjects, moving outwards are dogs that are less frequent visitors. Those on the top half have been around for longer, the bottom half are newer dogs who are either being integrated into the group, or who make occasional appearances.  
 The process of becoming fully integrated into the WSDP group can be a long and complex affair. Not only does the pack need to approve of the new dog, but the people equally scrutinize new owners. If a new dog shows any sign of excessive aggression towards the pack, they will have an extraordinarily difficult time establishing themselves as a member of the group.



Fig. 2  
The fetch demonstrated by Riley.



Fig. 3

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**RILEY**

**BREED:** Chocolate Labrador Retriever    **AGE:** 2.5 yo    **FREQUENCY:** Regular    **FAVORITES:** PJ, Fd, Fr, N, D, Cp

**HABITS:** Social butterfly, likes running, chasing, playing fetch; easily moves between playmates; top priority is food

**QUIRKS:** Dislikes some SWDs, wary of new dogs and strange men

Ri



Fig. 4

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Pj

**BREED:** Smooth Coat Border Collie  
**AGE:** 4 yo  
**FREQUENCY:** Regular  
**FAVORITES:** Ri, N, Fr, female dogs  
**HABITS:** Loves to be chased, chasing squirrels or cats, will take other dogs for walks; Alpha male  
**QUIRKS:** Hates male "intact" dogs; the policeman of the dogs







Fig. 5

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**FENWAY (big)**

**BREED:** Golden Retriever      **AGE:** 2.5 yo      **FREQUENCY:** Regular      **FAVORITES:** All dogs  
**HABITS:** Obsessed with balls; prefers balls to treats or playing with other dogs  
**QUIRKS:** Drops fetched balls into mud or water, proceeds to "dig" them out





N

Fig.6  
**NAINA**

**BREED:** Golden Retriever/Chow      **AGE:** 5.5 yo      **FREQUENCY:** Regular      **FAVORITES:** D, A, Ri, PJ

**HABITS:** Upon arrival at dogpark, must visit Riley's front door first; Alpha female

**QUIRKS:** Attacks vacuum cleaner even when unplugged; dislikes tall men, puppies, rain, and contrails

Fig. 6



Fig. 7  
Naina demonstrates the popular back-scratching technique of grass rolling.

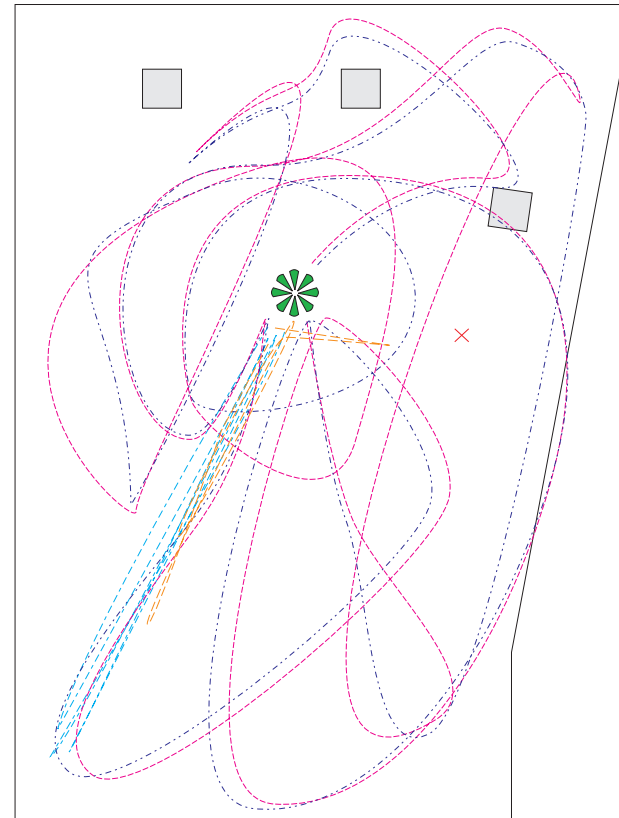
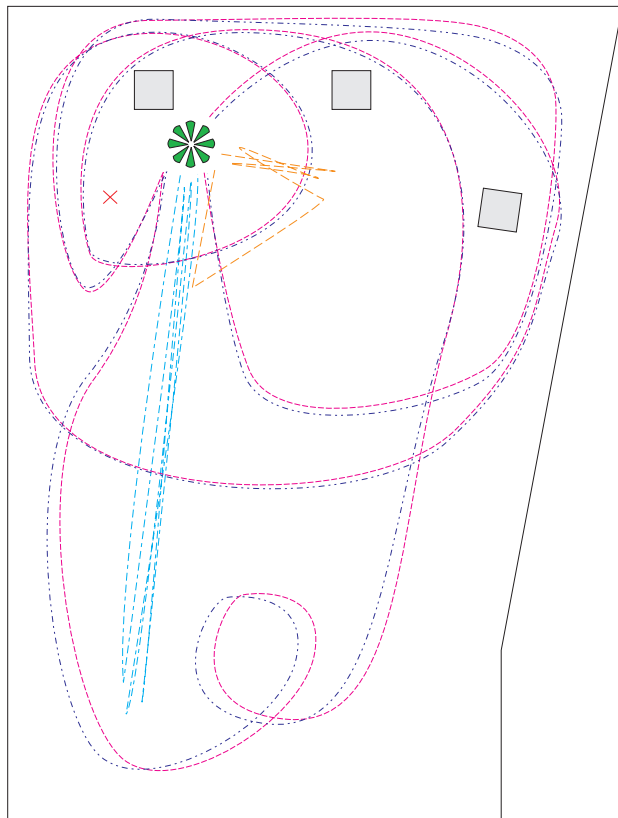


Fig. 8a-b

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**DORI**

**BREED:** Lab/Schnauzer  
**AGE:** 5.5 yo  
**FREQUENCY:** Regular  
**FAVORITES:** D, A, RI, PJ  
**HABITS:** Loves pats, cuddling, always on leash; Alpha female  
**QUIRKS:** Hates UPS trucks and will bark at them incessantly. Does not mind FedEx. Also dislikes motorcycles; can be annoyed by small dogs or dogs that challenge her











-  PEOPLE
-  FENWAY
-  RILEY
-  PJ
-  MAUI
-  DORY

Fig. 9, 10  
 Maps detailing the paths of  
 each dog during a typical  
 evening at WSDP



Fig. 11

Fig.11  
**FREIA**

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**BREED:** Boxer  
**AGE:** 3 YO  
**FREQUENCY:** Often  
**FAVORITES:** Ri, PJ, T  
**HABITS:** Very protective of Elizabeth, likes to box, chase; beginning to challenge for Alpha female status  
**QUIRKS:** Strongly dislikes most SWDs, doesn't like Elizabeth to pay attention to other dogs





Friends right? We know better. What looks like a lovely portrait is really Naina fiercely guarding the ball from Fenway, who is in turn obsessed with getting it back from her. With Naina being the alpha female, Fenway won't actually try to steal it away, he'll just lurk behind her until she is distracted or loses interest. How long will he wait? However long it takes.







Fig. 12



Fig. 13

Fig.12  
**ROBIN**

**BREED:** American Eskimo Mix  
**AGE:** n/a  
**FREQUENCY:** Occasional  
**FAVORITES:** Pa

**HABITS:** Obsessive compulsive towards balls, squeaky toys  
**QUIRKS:** Overly fixated on ball

Ro

Fig.13  
**PARIS**

**BREED:** American Eskimo  
**AGE:** n/a  
**FREQUENCY:** Occasional  
**FAVORITES:** PJ, Ro

**HABITS:** Bounces off people trying to pet her  
**QUIRKS:** Has escape tendencies

Pa

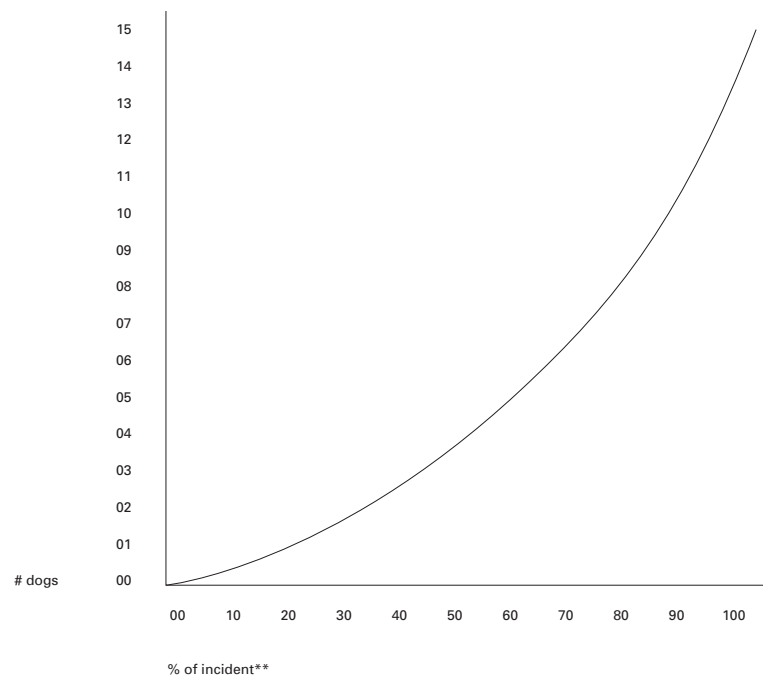


Fig. 14  
 Graph showing the probability of incident occurring relative to the number of dogs present at WSDP.  
 \*\*Incident is defined as a dog fight, dogs scaring people, dogs running away, dogs chasing cats, or getting into other undefined types of trouble



Fig. 15

**CHANCE**

**BREED:**  
Whippet mix

**HABITS:** Loves to run fast

**QUIRKS:** Very shy

**AGE:**  
2 yo

**FREQUENCY:**  
Occasional

**FAVORITES:**  
Fa

Ch

Fig. 15

Fig.16

## FANCY

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**BREED:**  
Basset Hound

**AGE:**  
5 YO

**FREQUENCY:**  
Occasional

**FAVORITES:**  
Ch

**HABITS:** Slow to start, but can run fast once momentum picks up

**QUIRKS:** Once momentum is up, has tendency to keep running away

Fa



Fig.17

**HURLEY**

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**BREED:**  
Yorkie

**AGE:**  
9 mo

**FREQUENCY:**  
Often

**FAVORITES:**  
Ma, Fb, D, B

**HABITS:** Favorite food is grass and dirt; will play with anything that moves; doesn't stop moving

**QUIRKS:** Small in stature, but big in personality; tough-guy





Fig. 18  
While Freia and Riley appear to be fighting, they are actually engaging in a friendly game of boxing. This type of activity is how the Boxer got its name.



Most dogs have a distinct play style. Freia likes to box and chase. PJ loves to be chased. Fenway, Maui and Robin are all obsessed with balls and toys. Riley, on the other hand, is a master of adaptation. Always on the lookout for some fun, she'll easily bounce from one play group to another. While her favorite is chasing PJ, she always has her eye on Fenway's game of fetch. She'll play outfield, waiting for the perfect opportunity to steal a ball away.



Fig. 19

Fig. 19  
**ALOHA**

**BREED:** Border Collie/Labrador mix      **AGE:** 6 YO      **FREQUENCY:** Occasional      **FAVORITES:** Fb, D

**HABITS:** Loves being off leash at Lake Tahoe; going for jogs; often confused with Naina

**QUIRKS:** Always glued to Liz's side; strangely barks at and chases dogs he likes; barks at running dogs





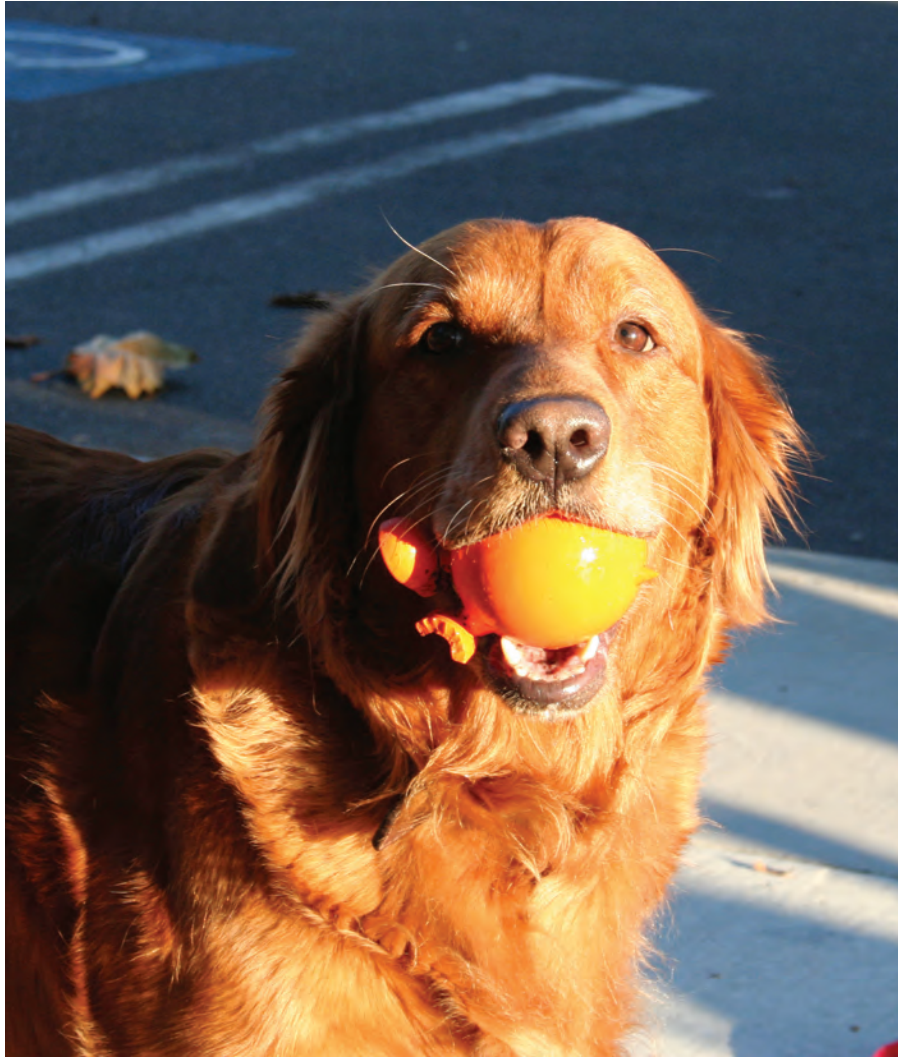


Fig. 20

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**MINNIE**

**BREED:** Golden Retriever  
**AGE:** 5 YO  
**FREQUENCY:** Occasional  
**FAVORITES:** Fb, N, D  
**HABITS:** Likes to take Big Fenway's balls away from him  
**QUIRKS:** unknown





Fig. 20

Fig. 21  
**FENWAY (little)**

**BREED:** Jack Russel Terrier      **AGE:** 3 YO      **FREQUENCY:** Rarely      **FAVORITES:** none  
**HABITS:** Pushes volleyball around the park as if playing soccer; jumps very high  
**QUIRKS:** Does not play with any dogs; as the only intact male of the group, is not liked by many

