



Range Pet Lodge



*Providing Flexible Doggie Day Care &
Quality Boarding with Mason
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Background

The Range Pet Lodge in Carmel, IN strives to provide pets with a loving home environment while visiting for overnight boarding or doggie day care. A variety of activities are offered to keep dogs active and comfortable, including a 3,800 square-foot indoor play area as well as a 10,000-square-foot outdoor play space with 12 exercise areas.

Challenge

In order to create the vision for the Range Pet Lodge, a restaurant had to be renovated. The existing space was converted by Hal Bond and Capital Construction then purchased by Veterinary Centers of America. The team worked with Mason Company to offer a range of accommodations to help pets feel safe and sleep soundly while reducing the chance of disease spreading and ensuring ease of cleaning.

Solution

The Range Pet Lodge partnered with Mason Company to provide solutions for a variety of boarding as well as doggie day care. With a total of 132 kennels, there is room for approximately 165 dogs for boarding, including the option for multiple dogs in a family to share suites. Customers can choose the housing solution that best fits their four-legged family members.

The Range Pet Lodge selected Mason Company’s Sani-Kennels with tempered glass gates and configured them in a variety of sizes and side panels. With the exclusive patented Silvis Seal cross contamination barrier, the Sani-Kennels reduce the change of a sick dog spreading disease from one kennel to another. The fully customizable system is configured in both 4’ x 5’ and 4’ x 6’ with brown wood grain side panels as well as larger 4’ x 8’ kennels with cream side panels. An additional 30 3’ x 5’ kennels were also added about a year and a half after the facility opened to provide more boarding options for customers with smaller dogs.

Additionally, the Range utilizes concrete walls with Mason Company’s tempered glass gates to provide more boarding. Dimension available with this configuration include 4’ x 6’, 6’ x 6’, 6’ x 7’, and 6’ x 9’.

The Range Pet Lodge also provides doggie daycare services daily from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. The large room has capacity for approximately 55 dogs. Durable Dog Daycare Room Dividers from Mason Company enable the dogs to be separated based on their energy level so that higher energy dogs can play together without interacting with calmer or older dogs. A gate in the divider system enables staff to easily move from one side to the other. The system also has the flexibility to be folded away, turning the space into one big room to create a multi-purpose space used at night for larger training classes. The system’s stall fronts and gates create separate entrances for large and small dogs, enabling staff to provide dogs with time to acclimate before they enter the daycare play area.



Results

All of the housing solutions from Mason Company are working great for the Range Pet Lodge. The facility opened before the holiday rush in December 2014 followed by the daycare in March 2015. In 2016 when the 3’ x 5’ kennels were added, the Range Pet Lodge selected Mason Company’s trusted partner, Kennel Installations, to provide professional installation from factory-trained technicians.

“Mason Company has consistently been a great partner and the installation crew with Kennel Installations was awesome and worked around the best time for the facility and dogs,” said Amanda Wolfla, assistant manager at the Range Pet Lodge.

All of the kennels are set up to feel like a home away from home for the dogs.

“The boarding presents so well,” said Wolfla. “The kennels are like a suite and the dogs are very comfortable. The glass doors are not a traditional look and provide transparency, allowing people to see the dogs and the dogs can also see out while in the kennels.”

The kennels are versatile as well. Some have doors that can be raised or lowered to enable dogs in the same family to share expanded space or be separated at feeding times as necessary.

“Mason Company’s solutions are very easy to keep clean, as there are no spaces for debris to collect and everything is sealed. People feel comfortable leaving their dogs in a clean environment with no standing urine,” said Wolfla. “Even when we are boarding 150 dogs our facility smells clean and doesn’t even smell like dogs.”

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