



PENSACOLA DOG FANCIER'S ASSOCIATION, INC. (PDFA)
APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

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membership@pensacoladogs.com

Applicant: We are pleased to present you with this application for membership to our club. Since we would like to aid you in becoming a member, please call on any member for assistance. Please bring the completed application to a member meeting (2nd Wednesday of each month) Application will be reviewed by the board after submission. Dues are due at the end of the second (2nd) reading/meeting that you attend. Applicant must attend two (2) meetings within a three (3) month period.

Please print and use black or blue ink.

Type of Membership: (check one) Make checks payable to Pensacola Dog Fancier's Association (PDFA)

Individual (\$25.00) _____ Family _____ (\$35.00) Associate _____ (20.00) Juniors _____ (Free)

Membership Definition:

- *Individual: One adult, over 18 (Eligible to hold office, right to one vote. Volunteer to work at least one club event per year).
- *Family: Two adults living in the same household (Eligible to hold office, right to 2 votes. Volunteer to work at least one club event per year)
- *Associate: Have all rights and privileges, except the rights to vote or hold office. (Volunteer for events optional).
- *Juniors: Same as Associate but **MUST** be under the age of 18, with parent consent. (Volunteer for events optional).

Name (s): _____
 (List all members of the household that are applying for membership)

Primary Email: _____ Secondary Email: _____

Primary Phone: _____ Secondary Phone: _____

Would you like text reminders for meetings? No _____ Yes _____ Cell Number: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State & Zip Code: _____

Your Occupation: _____

Are you now or have you been in the past 5 years, a member of other dog clubs or judging?

(Please note club, year join, and any positions, offices, committees, Judging experience etc.)

List of all AKC Canine Partner Dogs you own: _____
 (List Breed Name if known, Call name and titles optional, use back of form if more space is needed)

List of purebred dogs you own: _____
 (List Breed Name, Call name and titles optional, use back of form if more space is needed)

How many purebred litters have you registered in the past 12 months? _____ Are you in good standing with the AKC? _____

Name of Kennel: _____

How many AKC Champions have you bred? _____ How many AKC Obedience Titles completed? _____ Agility? _____ Rally? _____

Check all that apply:

Dog Fancier {own dog(s) but do not breed}	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dog Fancier {own dog(s) but do not exhibit}	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breeder	<input type="checkbox"/>	Judge	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exhibitor (performance events)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Exhibitor (show conformation)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:			

How did you learn about PDFA? (Check all that apply)

Facebook		Website		Instagram		Member	Member Name	Other	
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Of the following list please check your interest(s)

AKC Shows		Matches		Obedience		Rally		Agility		Earthdog	
Barn Hunt		Trick Training		Sent Work		Conformation		Other			

Club Participation: (Each member **MUST** Choose one (1) or more positions you are willing to serve/volunteer in for the next calendar year, (Associate and Junior Members do not have to participate). For more information of activities/positions contact Membership Chair.

MEMBER SERVICES									
Membership		Seminars		Member training		Member awards		Meeting hospitality	

PUBLIC SERVICES									
Photographer		Public training		Training helper		Public Relations		Special events/Demos	

COMMUNICATIONS									
Newsletter		Website		Social Media		Advertisement		Other:	

Other									
Board position		Historian		Elections		Committee Position		Other:	

COMPETITIONS/SHOWS									
Rally Trials		Obedience Trials		Show/Assistant Chair		AKC Shows		IABCA Shows	
Awards		Ribbons		Fundraiser		Raffle		Trophy	
Judge		Ring Steward		Breed Education Booth		Any Open Position		Show Committee	
Other: (where can you help, any special skills)									

Release of Liability

I (we) agree to hold Pensacola Dog Fancier’s Association, Inc. (PDFA), its members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents, show secretary, and the owner or lessor of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the site, grounds, trial premises or grounds near any entrance there to in which any club function or activity is held, and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes.

I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation at any club function or activity, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by or may be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

As a fancier of Purebred dogs, I/we wish to apply for membership to this club. I/we the undersigned do agree to abide by the constitution & Bylaws of the Pensacola Dog Fanciers’ Association, Inc., the PDFA Code of Ethics and the rules of the American Kennel Club.

Signature of Applicant(s): _____ Date: _____

Sponsor:	Date:	Sponsor:	Date:
(PDFA Member in good standing)		(PDFA Member in good standing)	

PDFA member in good standing signature (Sponsor) can be acquired at meeting.

Attached page: PDF Code of Ethics. Please read and sign.
(A copy will be provided to the applicant)

CODE OF ETHICS
JUNE 1992

1. This code of ethics shall establish a standard of conduct to be followed by all members of The Pensacola Dog Fancier’s Association, Inc., in the normal course of breeding, selling, exhibiting, and judging dogs.
2. No member shall knowingly sell puppies or breeding stock to pet dealers, catalog houses, pet brokers, or other commercial sources; nor shall dogs be given as prizes in contests or exploited to the detriment of dogs; nor shall any member violate interstate commerce laws in the shipping of animals.
3. Any dog sold with breeding papers shall be without defect to the degree that these defects shall interfere with its normal function as a suitable pet or companion.
4. All dogs shall be sold in good condition, free from communicable disease, with health guaranteed for a reasonable length of time.
5. All dogs offered at stud shall be in good health and free from communicable disease. Dogs known to be sterile or cryptorchids shall not be offered at stud. Bitches to be bred shall also be in good health and free from communicable disease. Stud owner shall inform customer of any disqualifying defects.
6. Bitches presented for stud service shall be bred to selected stud only. Owner of bitch is to be consulted before any other stud is used.
7. Only an actual witnessed tie or artificial insemination in accordance with AKC rules shall be considered a breeding unless otherwise mutually agreed to by both parties.
8. All financial arrangements shall be made in advance of sales or service and agreed to in writing by both parties.
9. All advertising shall be honest and not in any way misrepresentative or fraudulent. Variety of breed shall be so designated in all advertising.
10. Whether at home, traveling, at shows or motels, all members shall conduct themselves at all times in such manner as to reflect credit on the dog show event and dogs in particular.
11. No member shall knowingly breed dogs for dog fighting or condone dog fighting in any form; nor train dogs to be vicious or attack dogs; nor mistreat or be cruel to any dog or animal.
12. No member shall knowingly sell dogs or place dogs with medical labs, drug companies or any other facility for the purpose of testing in any form; nor breed dogs for the purpose of sale to or placement with medical labs, drug companies or any other facility for purpose of testing in any form.
13. No member shall knowingly alter any dog in any manner other than approved cropping in accordance with breed standards; nor falsify records pertaining to dog breeding, registration, show entries, health or any other record on the history of any dog.
14. Members shall breed pure bred dogs with the intent to improve the breed; furthermore, members shall to the best of their ability take reasonably good care and provide proper food and shelter for all dogs in their custody.
15. Members shall keep complete records in accordance with AKC rules and which is pertinent to the history of any dog or litter; furthermore, members shall abide by all state, federal, and local laws regarding and pertaining to dogs.
16. Members shall take reasonable care in placing puppies or unwanted dogs in good homes with instructions to the new owner(s) of the dog or puppy’s needs and owner responsibilities; furthermore, members shall honestly inform potential new owners of the dog or puppy’s quality, pet or show, to best of their knowledge and/or ability.
17. Members shall provide reasonable and good veterinarian care and attention to all dogs as may be required to maintain their dog’s health to the best of the member’s ability.
18. All potential members shall be shown a copy of this code of ethics when applying for membership in the Pensacola Dog Fancier’s Association, Inc., and by the act of signing the application, shall signify their acceptance of this code in its entirety. Any member violating this code either in content or intent shall be answerable to the Pensacola Dog Fancier’s Association, Inc. Board.

SIGNED _____ Date: _____