

The American Whippet Club

The American Whippet Club is the national breed club for Whippets within the American Kennel Club. The AWC promotes the showing, responsible breeding, obedience training and competition, lure coursing, and versatility of the Whippet breed.

www.americanwhippetclub.net



Membership Application

General Information

The American Whippet Club requires that every applicant be a Whippet owner for two years before a membership application is submitted.

As stated in the Constitution and By-Laws of the American Whippet Club, applicants must be:

- At least 18 years of age (except for Junior Members—see below);
- In good standing with the American Kennel Club, and
- In agreement to subscribe to the objectives of the American Whippet Club. Before an applicant can be approved for American Whippet Club membership, their name, address and endorsers' names must be published in The Whippet News, the AWC's monthly newsletter. The applicant's credentials then must be reviewed by the Board of Directors of the American Whippet Club, and the applicant must receive a favorable three-fourths vote of the Directors to be approved for membership.

Junior Membership applicants must be younger than 18 years of age at the time of application. This is a non-voting, non-office holding form of membership that may convert to a regular membership upon the Junior Member attaining 18 years of age.

Instructions to Applicants

One applicant per application. Complete items on pages 2-3, (type or print), sign and forward to your endorsers. Both of your endorsers must be members in good standing of the American Whippet Club for at least two years, and are not of the same family or household as you.

Do not send a check for membership dues until the Board of Directors has acted on your application.

Instructions to Endorsers

Complete pages 4 and 5 (type or print) using additional pages if needed.

Submission Information

Mail completed application directly to:

MEMBERSHIP CHAIR

Kathy Rasmussen

11714 Harmony Ln.

Olathe KS 66062

913-681-8929, harmonywhippets@aol.com

Applicant Information

General Info

Name of Applicant _____

Address _____

Phone number(s): _____

E-mail address: _____

Are you over 18 years of age? _____

NAME AND ADDRESS OF TWO AMERICAN WHIPPET CLUB MEMBER ENDORSERS:

Endorser #1 Name: _____

Address: _____

Endorser #2 Name: _____

Address: _____

Background Info

Why do you wish to become a member of the American Whippet Club?

How long have you owned Whippets? _____

When did you begin your involvement with purebred dogs? _____

What facet(s) of Whippet activities interest you the most (i.e. showing, obedience, racing, coursing, agility)?

Briefly describe your involvement with Whippet activities (i.e. showing, obedience, racing, coursing, agility, rescue, etc.):

List names and AKC numbers of Whippets owned:

Have you bred and offered Whippet puppies for sale? _____

How many litters have you registered with The American Kennel Club? _____

Whippets: _____ Other Breeds: _____

List any other breeds that you have owned and/or bred: _____

Do you have active memberships in other dog clubs? If yes, please list the name of the Clubs and Offices held:

Have you ever been suspended from The American Kennel Club? _____

If yes, please state the date(s) and circumstances: _____

Signature

I hereby submit this application to the Board of Directors of The American Whippet Club for their consideration. I certify that the information given in this application is true and complete. If accepted to membership, I agree to abide by the American Whippet Club's Constitution and By-laws and its Code of Ethics as well as the Rules and Regulations of The American Kennel Club.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Applicant's Printed Name _____

