Application for Membership in the Poodle Club of the Lehigh Valley, Inc.



Initiation Fee: \$ 20.00 (non refundable, must

accompany application)

Annual Dues: \$ 20.00 per member per year

I/we hereby make application for membership in the Poodle Club of the Lehigh Valley, Inc., and will:

- 1. do all in my power to further the advancement of pure-bred poodles.
- 2. abide by the Rules of the American Kennel Club and by the By-Laws and Code of Ethics of the Poodle Club of the Lehigh Valley, Inc.

| Applicant Signature: | | | Date: |
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| Dues Enclosed: Yes; No: Amount Enclosed: | | | |
| Applicant Information: (| Please Print) | | |
| NAME (Mr./Ms./Mrs.): | | | |
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| City: | State: | _Zip: | _ |
| Phone: | ; Cell: | ; E-Mail: | |
| | ed: Dogs:; Bitches: oy:; Miniature: | | er dogs owned: |
| | ; Showing:; Obediend ce:; Pet Owner: | ce:; Grooming: | Selling Puppies:; |
| Presently, I am a member | in the following dog club(s), a | and have held the followi | ng position(s): |
| Club: | | ; Position: | |
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| I/we intend to participat | e in the following Poodle Club | o of the Lehigh Valley act | ivities. |
| | edience Show: Ring setup | | |
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| First meeting attended: (o | date) | | |
| Membership Application | read at General Meeting on: (| (date) | |
| Board Approval of New M | 1ember: <u>(date)</u> | | |
| Membership Approval of | New Member on (date) | | |
| Entered on Membership | List Announced in Flyer (date) | | |

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Code of Ethics Poodle Club of the Lehigh Valley, Inc.

I will become familiar with, and will abide by, the rules of the American Kennel Club and the AKC breed standards. I will strive in my breeding program to improve the breed to conform more closely to the standards.

I will not engage in the wholesaling of litters or the selling of my stock to such places as pet dealers, catalogue houses, or other commercial sources of distribution

I will not engage in over-breeding of my own bitches for the purpose of profit, with no regard for quality.

I will clearly state to the buyer of a puppy or adult dog whether the sale is of a "Showable" or "Pet "or other type. I agree to use sales contracts or written agreements to cover any sales or purchase involving a dog.

All puppies and adult dogs will be sold in a clean and healthy condition and shall be old enough to make the necessary adjustments to a new home safely. No adult or puppy shall be sold without adequate protection against disease.

I will refuse stud service to any bitch I consider in poor health, or unsound temperament, or of having hereditary disqualifying faults. Also, I will refuse service to a bitch where I have reason to believe the owner is unethical, and will not properly care for the bitch and her puppies, or will be unethical in selling.

As stud owner, I will provide stud a certificate stating stud used, date bred, date due to whelp, along with a pedigree of the stud.

I will allow one repeat stud service where a bitch has failed to conceive after being bred to one of my studs, or if he fails to produce only one saleable puppy.

I shall not use the Poodle Club for personal gain or profit.

In the event of a complaint lodged against me with the PCLV, I agree to extend my cooperation in the resolution of such complaint.

I herewith pledge to further the betterment of pure-bred poodles and to maintain these minimum practices.

| Applicant Signature: | Date: |
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| Co-applicant Signature: | Date: |
| Accepted by PCLV by: | Date: |

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