



STANDING RULES

(effective 11/16/2019)

- One** The general meeting shall be held at least four (4) times yearly, place and time to be determined by the general membership.
- Two** Board of Directors shall meet at the discretion of the Board; however, there shall be at least four (4) meetings per year.
- Three** Dues shall be \$20.00 per year for Regular membership, \$35.00 per year for Family Membership, and Junior membership is gratis. There will be a \$5.00 one-time initiation fee for all new memberships.
- Four** A yearly audit of the Treasurer's books shall be done. The Treasurer may not audit the books. The audit will be done during the month of January. It will be presented at the January Board meeting and the first general meeting thereafter.
- Five** The Club shall have a publication, which shall be called Dot to Dot. It is to be mailed or emailed to editors of Dalmatian columns in magazines and editors of all reciprocating Club publications. This publication will be sent free to all members and honorary members. It shall be mailed first class.
- Six** Committees shall be formed in the following areas:
Wellness; Awards; Education; Trophy; Annual Dinner; Program; Membership; Hospitality; Public Relations; Budget and Specialty.
These committees will be comprised of one or more members and shall be formed at the time of need. The FIRST formation of each committee will be responsible for writing procedures for such committee, to be approved by the Board of Directors. One member may be eligible to serve on more than one committee simultaneously.
- Seven** The volunteers for match chairperson and assistant chairperson will serve for one year with the assistant chairperson taking over as chairperson for the ensuing match.
The chairperson shall create a procedure file. It will include procedures for all aspects of the match.
The match committee, under the direction of the match chairperson shall make a selection of judges for matches. Anyone wishing to submit a name to be considered should do so through the Match Chairperson.
- Eight** All correspondence shall be written on Club stationary. The Secretary shall keep the stationary and hand out as needed. All correspondence shall be written with a club logo. The Secretary shall have access to the Logo for this purpose. Anyone who writes correspondence on behalf of the club shall use the club logo.
- Nine** No stationary with personal Kennel identification shall be used for correspondence regarding Club matters.
- Ten** All Board members must attend ½ the scheduled meetings. If a member misses three (3) consecutive meetings, that member shall be asked to step down.
- Eleven** DCSDC shall support the following Clubs provided they solicit for donations:
DCA, DCSC, Dalmatian Club of Greater Phoenix and DCNC.
- Twelve** The position of Historian shall include, but not be limited to: recording all Club activities; educational events; meetings; fun events; matches; licensed shows; fundraisers; media events. Upkeep of a scrapbook of Club functions shall be created.
- Thirteen** "Use of the membership list is to be confined to official Dalmatian Club of San Diego County business only. No other use of information contained herein is authorized." The preceding statement is to be printed on the membership list. If a company requests the membership list, a letter will be sent stating that we do not give out our membership list, but that the membership will be notified of the request, so that an individual member may contact said company, if they so desire.
- Fourteen** The following will be imprinted on all club brochures, cards, etc.: "Neither DCSDC nor it's Board of Directors are to hold liable or responsible in any way for members' advertisements, breeding practices or breeding/selling contract."
- Fifteen** Selection of judges for point shows shall be handled in the following manner. Names will be solicited from the membership through the newsletter and the general meetings and given to any Board member. These names will be compiled with names also provided from members of the Board. The Board will select an order in which potential judges will be contacted, based on cost and availability.
- Sixteen** The Show Chairperson for the DCSDC Specialty Show will be ineligible to handle any dog at the Specialty. (7/02)
- Seventeen** Challenge trophies are offered for permanent possession when won three times by the same owner, not necessarily with the same dog. They are offered through the Dalmatian Club of San Diego County, Inc. at its Specialty shows only. All challenge trophies will remain in the possession of the Dalmatian Club of San Diego County, until retired. Any member wishing to offer a challenge trophy must submit that request to the Board of Directors for approval. The above Board must approve all trophy offerings. Following is a list of all challenge trophies offered by the club:
Winner Dog. The STARCOACHDALS CHALLENGE TROPHY: Wilton Armetale Round Tray offered by Nancy Dandrea. Starcoach Dalmatians.