

Dog Name _____



FOSTER APPLICATION

Please complete and return by e-mail to blackdogclub@outlook.com or mail to 1000 Freedom Road, Smithfield, NC 27577 or in person.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Cell: _____ Email: _____

Occupation / Employer: _____

Please provide three personal references (name and number):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Please describe your home. Is it an apartment? House? Fenced? Animal kept inside or outside?

Provide information about the animals you currently have. Which vet do you take them to and are they up to date on their vaccinations? (May we contact your vet for a reference? **(Yes No)**)

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Have you ever provided foster care for animals before? Tell us about it.

List any foster limitations, if any, that you would like for us to know about?

What kind of foster care are you interested in? (circle)

Bottle feeding

Young – but can eat on their own

Moms with their litter

Adolescents (4 months – 8 months)

Adults (8 months old and older)

Other: _____

How long are you looking to foster? (circle all that apply)

One Week

2-3 Weeks

4 Weeks or more

Do you have kids in the home? **Yes No** Ages: _____

If not, do you ever have kids visit your home? **Yes No**

If so, how often?

Tell us more about the animals currently in your home? Do they get along well with other cats or dogs?

Will you be able to house the foster animals separate from your own animals? **Yes No**

If so, where in your house?

Describe any medical conditions your resident animals have, such as treatments, special diet, medications, etc.

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The Black Dog Club Inc. uses positive reinforcements as our way of training (meaning; using treats). Are you familiar with this type of training and would you be willing to use this method? **YES NO**
Please explain:

Can you foster a dog that is not housebroken? **YES NO**

Have you housebroken a dog or puppy before? **YES NO**

Which size do you prefer to foster? (Circle all that apply) **Small Medium Large Any**

Do you have a crate? **YES NO**

Have you crate trained a dog before? **YES NO**

Do you have a fenced in yard? **YES NO** How high is your fence? _____ If you do not have a fence, how will you exercise the dog?

Which types of dogs have you had experience with in the past? (circle all that apply)

- **Shy dogs**
- **Very shy or non-reactive dogs (meaning "shut down")**
- **Fearful dogs (scared of specific people or things)**
- **Jumpy, mouthy, over stimulated dogs**
- **Dogs with handling issues (don't touch my feet)**
- **Resource guarding dogs (don't get near my food bowl- toys)**
- **Dog aggressive dogs**
- **Dogs with stranger issues**
- **Highly predatory dogs (cats and squirrels beware)**

If you answered yes to any of the above, please explain the type of training used in working with the dog and if it was successful:

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Out of all the different behaviors above, which would you feel comfortable with?



TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- I understand that the animal(s) will at all times remain the sole property of the Black Dog Club Inc.
- I agree to provide the animal(s) good loving care, including at a minimum: adequate feed, adequate water, adequate shelter that is properly cleaned, adequate space in the primary enclosure for the particular type of animal depending upon its age, size, species and weight, adequate exercise and follow SPCA regulations on transportation and veterinary care when needed to prevent suffering or disease transmission.
- I understand that medicines and other supplies provided by the Black Dog Club Inc. are for use with foster care animals only, and are not to be administered to animals that are not the property of the Black Dog Club Inc.
- I understand that all veterinary care must be authorized in advance by the Black Dog Club. I agree to personally incur the cost for any treatment that has not been so authorized.
- **I understand and acknowledge that I do not have any right or authority to keep, adopt, transfer, or place foster animals in other homes or with other individuals.**
- I agree that every animal I provide foster care for must be physically returned to the Black Dog Club Inc. by the date set forth below or at any time upon the request of the Black Dog Club Inc. I also agree to return the animal(s) immediately if I am no longer able to provide adequate care.
- I agree to provide the appropriate staff members at the Black Dog Club Inc. with the necessary information and materials at any time (such as fecal samples or temperature/weight measurements) to enhance the care that I am providing to the foster animal(s).
- I agree to hold the Black Dog Club Inc. harmless from any direct or consequential damages arising out of this foster care arrangement.
- I acknowledge that the Black Dog Club Inc. may terminate this or any other foster care arrangement at any time at its sole discretion.
- I certify that no person residing in the household where the animals will be fostered has ever been charged with or convicted of animal cruelty, neglect or abandonment.
- By signing this release, I understand this permission signifies that photographic or video recordings of me may be electronically displayed via the internet.

I certify that the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge. I also agree to follow all the rules, regulations and policies of the Black Dog Club Inc. No person residing in the household has ever been convicted of animal cruelty, neglect or abandonment.

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Signature: _____

Date: _____

Staff Signature: _____

Date: _____