

CHUCKANUT DOG TRAINING ASSOCIATION, INC.

PROCEDURES FOR APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP



Thanks for your interested in joining the Chuckanut Dog Training Association. Please complete the following.

1. Obtain an Application for Membership Form. You may get this from the web site at:
 - a. http://www.chuckanutdogtraining.org/about_us.htm,
 - b. through the Membership Chair at P.O. Box 29118, Bellingham, WA, 98228, or
 - c. at a General meeting of the club to be held at 1041 E. Hemmi Rd., Everson, WA on the first Wednesday of the month (except June, July & August). There are no formal meetings in those months.
2. Attend a meeting - Board, General meeting or Committee meeting.
3. Take a CDTA class or help out at one of our special events, or attend a second meeting.
4. Complete the application form, including a statement on the back about your interest in CDTA, a brief biography of yourself, other animal organizations you are involved in and the two or more club activities (meetings, events, classes) in which you have participated.
5. Find 2 Sponsors and have them sign your form before handing it in. One sponsor must write a brief statement about why they think you would be a good addition to the club. Please be persistent in this!!! E-mail statements to the Membership Chair will be acceptable.
6. Write a check in the amount of the membership (Individual, \$25, Junior, \$20 or Family \$40) to CDTA and attach it to your membership application (Please no staples).
7. Mail the application to the Membership Chair at CDTA, P.O. Box 29118, Bellingham, WA 98228 , give it to an instructor, or bring it to a meeting.

Then what?

Once your membership application has been received, your information will be published in the next Newsletter. The newsletter comes out about a week before the next meeting. At that meeting there will be a vote by the membership on your application. Two-thirds of the people at the meeting must vote for you.

Welcome to the CDTA!!!

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP



Mail to **CDTA Membership, P.O. Box 29118, Bellingham, WA 98228**,
 or bring to our next meeting.
 I hereby apply for membership in the Chuckanut Dog Training Association Inc.

Name _____

Address _____

E-Mail _____ Phone _____

Please complete the following where applicable to you. This information is requested by the American Kennel Club Inc. (please check):

- Breeder:** Anyone who has bred and registered a litter in the past three years.
- Exhibitor:** Anyone who has exhibited at an AKC licensed show within the past two years.
- Tracking Exhibitor:** Anyone who has exhibited at an AKC licensed tracking trial within the past two years.
- Dog Owner:** Anyone who owns one or more AKC registered dogs or who owns unregistered or mixed-breed dogs but who is not a breeder, exhibitor or tracking exhibitor.

Please complete for each dog you currently own. Attach extra sheet if necessary.

Breed of Dog _____ AKC Regis.or ILP # _____

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AKC Obedience, Agility, and Tracking titles you have attained. Indicate number in Space.

CD ____ CDX ____ UD ____ OTCH ____ TD ____ TDX ____ VST ____ Agility Titles _____

The Chuckanut Dog Training Association recognizes that the purpose of dog training and trials is to demonstrate the usefulness of the dog as a companion of man. The basic objectives include producing dogs that have been trained and conditioned always to behave in the home, public places and in the presence of other dogs. It is essential the dog demonstrate willingness and enjoyment of its work. The purpose of the Chuckanut Dog Training Association is to , promote dog training and obedience by active participation of its members in the community held matches, trials, demonstrations, workshops, classes and meetings.

I certify that I will abide by the by-laws, rules and decisions of the Chuckanut Dog Training Association and the American Kennel Club Inc. I agree to hold harmless CDTA members, officers, and/or board members from any loss, injury, errors or omissions. I will do all in my power to protect and advance the interests of dog training through positive methods. I have met the event/activity/meeting requirements to join.

Signed _____ Date _____

Sponsor (1) _____ Sponsor (2) _____

(someone in CDTA who knows you)

******Include on backside a brief biography including other animal organizations you belong to and why you want to join CDTA, what 2 CDTA events/activities you have been involved with, including one club meeting of any type, and a note from your sponsors.**

Make checks payable to: *The Chuckanut Dog Training Association* or *CDTA* and check below which category of membership you choose.

- Individual – annual dues are \$25
- Junior (age to 16) – annual dues are \$20.
- Family – annual dues are \$40

In which committee(s) or activities would you be interested? (Please check):

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| _____ Agility | _____ Herding | _____ Obedience |
| _____ Awards | _____ Legal/ByLaws | _____ Programs |
| _____ Audit/Budget | _____ Library | _____ Rally Obedience |
| _____ Community Service | _____ Membership | _____ Refreshments |
| _____ Demonstrations | _____ Matches/Trials | _____ Tracking |
| _____ Equipment | _____ Newsletter | _____ Training Sessions |