



Application for Membership

Name of Applicant _____ Date _____
Please Print

Co-Applicant _____
Please Print

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Telephone _____
Home Work or Cell

Occupation _____ Occupation _____

Do You own a Scottish Terrier? Yes _____ No _____

Have your AKC privileges ever been suspended or Revoked? Yes _____ No _____

Are you willing to work at a Club function? Yes _____ No _____

In Scottish Terriers, are you an: Owner _____ Breeder _____ Exhibitor _____

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Co-Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Sponsoring Member(1) _____ Date _____
Signature

Sponsoring Member(2) _____ Date _____
Signature

Active Membership is \$10.00 per individual or Family Membership \$15.00

Submit application to the Corresponding Secretary with check made payable to the HASTC.
Monies will be refunded if application is rejected.

Susan Jacobsen 7088 Irish Ave. Cottage Grovel, MN 55016

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DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

Date Application Received _____
Code of Ethics Signed _____
Amount of check received _____
Club meeting or Club function _____

1st reading _____
Approved _____
Acknowledgement Sent _____



CODE OF ETHICS

- 1. I will consider the welfare of my dogs and that of the Breed above personal gain or profit.**
- 2. I will maintain the best possible standards of sanitation, health and general care for my dogs.**
- 3. I will comply with all American Kennel Club rules and regulations where they pertain.**
- 4. I will attempt to always exhibit good sportsmanship and conduct myself in a manner representative of the principles upon which this club is founded. I will not speak unjustly of others in the Breed, nor of their dogs, nor their kennel.**
- 5. I will pledge to educate the public on the standard of the Scottish Terrier, and will help the novice whenever and wherever I can with grooming, training, breeding, and general care.**
- 6. As a member, I will attempt to breed for improvement of the breed as exemplified by the AKC standard of the Breed.**
- 7. I will refuse stud service to any bitch that is unregistered or any bitch I consider in poor health, of unsound temperament. Or of having serious hereditary faults. Nor shall I use a dog at stud that I consider to have these failings.**
- 8. In cases where a dog's or puppy's health or conformation are known to be such as to indicate that breeding of the animal would be detrimental to the welfare of the Breed, I will withhold papers or retain breeder's rights, or sell only under the condition that the dog be spayed or neutered, by mutual agreement in writing.**
- 9. I will fairly represent to the purchasers any stock offered for sale, and will not use misleading or untruthful statements in selling or advertising.**
- 10. I will urge all buyers to have a puppy or adult dog sold by me examined by a licensed veterinarian within 48 hours of receipt. Said examination to be paid for by the purchaser or as previously agreed. A period of 48 hours is granted**

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to return any animal so sold for reasons of health, or in the case of the purchaser no having been able to see the animal prior to shipping, for any valid reason upon visual examination.

- 11. The use or sales contracts are recommended to cover any guarantees and agreements relative to the sale, with signed copies to each party involved.**
- 12. I will not sell or donate dogs or puppies to commercial dog wholesalers or retailers, charity auctions, or unethical breeders, nor will I sell to buyers where I have reason to believe that the puppy or dog will not be properly cared for. Further, I will not sell to anyone in litter lots for resale.**
- 13. Any person or persons in violation of the above is subject to suspension or expulsion of membership by the Board of Directors of the Heart of America Scottish Terrier Club.**

PLEASE CUT AND RETURN WITH APPLICATION

By signing this Code of Ethics, I acknowledge that I understand and agree with the purposes of the HEART OF AMERICA SCOTTISH TERRIER CLUB, that I will do my best to promote the best interest of the club and the breed and that I will no engage in any practice which is unethical or prejudicial to the best interest of the club.

APPLICANT _____

DATE _____

CO-APPLICANT _____

DATE _____



The following is taken from the Constitution and By-Laws of the Heart of America Scottish Terrier Club:

Article II, Section 3

Election to Membership:

- (a) Each applicant for membership shall apply on a form approved by the Board of Directors and which shall provide that the applicant agrees to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws, the Code of Ethics, and the rules of the Heart of America Scottish Terrier Club. The application shall state the name, address, phone number, and occupation of the applicant(s) and state the type of membership and date of the application; it shall carry the endorsement of two voting members in good standing who are not related to the applicant(s). The applicant(s) must attend at least (1) club meeting or club function before the applicant can be voted on. Accompanying the application, the prospective member(s) shall submit dues and initiation fee when applicable for the current year; these will be deposited upon receipt.*
- (b) All applications are to be filed with the Corresponding Secretary and each application is to be read at the first meeting of the club following its receipt (no quorum is necessary for first reading). The Club's General Membership either accepts or rejects the application at the next club meeting where a quorum is present. The application will be read and voted upon by secret written ballot. Affirmative votes of $\frac{3}{4}$ of the members present voting at that meeting shall be required to elect the applicant.*
- (c) Applicant for membership who has been rejected by the Club may not reapply for (1) year after such rejection, and any reapplication will follow the same procedure as new applicants.*
- (d) Initiation fees and membership dues submitted with the application shall be refunded to any rejected applicant.*