

KENNEL CLUB REGULATIONS FOR ASSOCIATESHIP

As at 1st July 2005

1. Any person who, in the opinion of the General Committee of the Kennel Club, advised by its appropriate Sub-Committee, has established a responsible reputation in connection with dogs, dog shows or trials, who has acted in accordance with the objects of the Club and in accordance with its Rules and Regulations and who has not behaved in any manner which would make connection with the Kennel Club undesirable may make application for Associateship of the Kennel Club. Successful applicants for Associateship will be expected to have contributed in a significant way, to at least one of the disciplines within the canine world. As a guideline, this may be by way of sustained and continuous active participation either as a successful breeder or owner of dogs obtaining recognition in the Stud Book, or as a member or committee member of a society registered with the Kennel Club, or as a Y.K.C. Senior Member, or as a successful exhibitor, competitor or judge at shows, trials, or competitions, or in any other way which demonstrates their suitability to be associated with the Kennel Club.

2. The names of all applicants shall be published in the Kennel Gazette in order that members of the Club may consider their suitability. Subsequently after final approval by the General Committee on the advice of its respective Sub-Committees, the applicant may enjoy the privileges of an Associate of the Kennel Club upon the annual payment of a fee. For those resident in the United Kingdom the annual payment shall be £90.00 discounted to £85.00 if paid by Variable Direct Debit. For those resident overseas the annual payment shall be £125.00, discounted to £115.00 if paid by Variable Direct Debit. For those applying as Y.K.C. Senior Members on reaching the age of 21, the annual fee for the first full calendar year following such application will be waived by the Kennel Club and each of the three subsequent years' annual fees will be discounted by 50% on the following conditions:

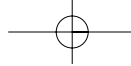
- i) The application is accompanied by an agreement to renew Associateship by Variable Direct Debit, and
- ii) Payments continue to be made by Variable Direct Debit.
(All fees are inclusive of VAT.)

3. Applicants who wish to take part in elections to Kennel Club Sub-Committees either as a candidate for election or to vote in such elections will be required, on application, to state into which category of discipline they wish to belong as follows:

- a. Shows.
- b. Working Trials
- c. Obedience
- d. Agility.
- e. Field Trials.

Only those Associates who have made such a declaration will be eligible either to vote or take part in Sub-Committee elections.

4. Subscriptions are payable on application and again on 1st January in each year. No Associate shall be entitled to any of the privileges until his subscription for the current year has been paid. Any Associate who has not paid his subscription within 3 months of the due date may be struck from the List of Associates.



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5. An Associate shall be entitled to a copy of the Kennel Club Year Book annually and either the Kennel Club Stud Book annually, or a relevant part of the Breed Record Supplement quarterly; monthly issues of the KENNEL GAZETTE, and a Season Ticket, not transferable, admitting him to Crufts Show, and, in the case of those making the appropriate declaration under paragraph 3 above, to take part in such Sub-Committee elections as shall, from time to time be permitted under the Rules and Regulations of the Kennel Club.

6. No Associate may use his connection with the Kennel Club for advertising or publicity purposes.

7. Any Associate who, in the opinion of the General Committee has infringed these Regulations, shall cease to be an Associate.

8. All Delegates and Representatives elected to attend Kennel Club Liaison Council meetings who are not members or Associates of the Kennel Club automatically become Council Associates and will remain so during their tenure of office on the Council.

9. No subscriptions will be required from Council Associates and each will receive the publications to which ordinary Associates are entitled together with the Council Associate's card and a Season Ticket, not transferable, admitting him to Crufts and will be eligible to vote in such Sub-Committee elections as shall from time to time be permitted under the Rules and Regulations of the Kennel Club.

