

## The Kennel Club General Code of Ethics

All breeders who register their puppies, and new owners who register ownership of their dogs with the Kennel Club, accept the jurisdiction of the Kennel Club and undertake to abide by its general Code of Ethics.

### Breeders/Owners:

1. Will properly house, feed, water and exercise all dogs under their care and arrange for appropriate veterinary attention if and when required.
2. Will agree without reservation that any veterinary surgeon who performs an operation on any of their dogs which alters the natural conformation of the animal, or who carries out a caesarean section on a bitch, may report such operations to the Kennel Club.
3. Will agree that no healthy puppy will be culled. Puppies which may not conform to the Breed Standard should be placed in suitable homes.
4. Will abide by all aspects of the Animal Welfare Act.
5. Will not create demand for, nor supply, puppies that have been docked illegally.
6. Will agree not to breed from a dog or bitch which could be in any way harmful to the dog or to the breed.
7. Will not allow any of their dogs to roam at large or to cause a nuisance to neighbours or those carrying out official duties.
8. Will ensure that their dogs wear properly tagged collars and will be kept leashed or under effective control when away from home.
9. Will clean up after their dogs in public places or anywhere their dogs are being exhibited.
10. Will only sell dogs where there is a reasonable expectation of a happy and healthy life and will help with the re-homing of a dog if the initial circumstances change.
11. Will supply written details of all dietary requirements and give guidance concerning responsible ownership when placing dogs in a new home.
12. Will ensure that all relevant Kennel Club documents are provided to the new owner when selling or transferring a dog, and will agree, in writing, to forward any relevant documents at the earliest opportunity, if not immediately available.
13. Will not sell any dog to commercial dog wholesalers, retail pet dealers or directly or indirectly allow dogs to be given as a prize or donation in a competition of any kind. Will not sell by sale or auction Kennel Club registration certificates as stand alone items (not accompanying a dog).
14. Will not knowingly misrepresent the characteristics of the breed nor falsely advertise dogs nor mislead any person regarding the health or quality of a dog.

Breach of these provisions may result in expulsion from club membership, and/or disciplinary action by the Kennel Club and/or reporting to the relevant authorities for legal action, as appropriate.



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## Form 5

Application for the Registration  
of a Dog on the Activity Register



For dogs and their owners who enjoy taking part in  
Agility • Canicross • Flyball • Heelwork to Music  
Obedience • Rally • Working Trials



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We would like to thank you in advance for applying to register your dog on the Activity Register.

By registering with us, you and your dog will be able to compete in fun activities such as agility, canicross, flyball, heelwork to music, obedience, rally and working trials.

The Activity Register is open to all dogs, of which over half are crossbreeds and working sheepdogs, however there are lots of other breeds registered from Chihuahuas through to Great Danes!

If you would like to find out more about how you can get involved or where to find an upcoming event, visit:

[www.kennelclub.org.uk/activities](http://www.kennelclub.org.uk/activities)

or call us on 01296 318540 for more information.



Certificate with your dog's details

Once your dog is registered on the Activity Register you will receive an Activity Registration Certificate with all your dog's details printed on it.



You can also apply for a MyKC account, giving you access to all the health tools, dog-friendly businesses nearby and lots of great services and exclusive discounts. If you do not already have a MyKC account, apply now at [www.mykc.org.uk](http://www.mykc.org.uk).

Download an information guide on how to get involved in activities with your dog:  
[www.the Kennel Club.org.uk/informationguides](http://www.the Kennel Club.org.uk/informationguides)

## Online Services



**Breed Information Centre** provides up to date information about your chosen breed with all recommended health schemes, breed standards, breed clubs & rescues and Kennel Club Assured Breeders, visit: [www.breedinformationcentre.org.uk](http://www.breedinformationcentre.org.uk)

Dogs on the Activity Register can take part in a variety of canine sports and activities. To find out more about these activities and clubs in your area, or, if you would like to find a training club, go to the Kennel Club's 'Find a Dog Club' service at [www.findadogclub.org.uk](http://www.findadogclub.org.uk)



## Petlog

Petlog is the UK's largest database for microchipped pets.



Petlog is managed by the Kennel Club and has been in operation for over 20 years, securely holding over 10 million pet owner details. It is important that your dog is microchipped in order to comply with the latest legislation.

If your dog is recorded on Petlog, consider upgrading to Petlog Premium - the most effective way of keeping your contact details up to date throughout the lifetime of your pet.

To find out more please visit:

[www.petlogpremium.org.uk](http://www.petlogpremium.org.uk) or call +44 (0)1296 336579

## Affiliates

Become a Kennel Club affiliate today!

Becoming an affiliate can be a rewarding and productive way of contributing to the Kennel Club's overall aim to promote in every way the general improvement of dogs. You will also receive some great benefits.

As a Kennel Club affiliate you will receive:

- A monthly subscription to the Kennel Gazette
- The Kennel Club Year Book
- Printed copies of the Kennel Club Annual and Dog Health Reports
- A loyalty card - receive exclusive discounts on Kennel Club merchandise, publications and tickets for Crufts and Discover Dogs

As an affiliate, you are invited to enjoy a guided and informative tour of the Clarges Street offices in London, followed by afternoon tea.

If you would like to become a Kennel Club affiliate please visit:

[www.the Kennel Club.org.uk/kcaffiliates](http://www.the Kennel Club.org.uk/kcaffiliates)

## Kennel Club Pet Insurance

Affordable lifetime cover for your dog

Our pet insurance offers affordable, lifetime cover for vets bills with a unique choice of pick and mix benefits so you only pay for what you want and, unlike some other policies provides essential cover for active crossbreed and pedigree dogs.



- Affordable lifetime cover for active, working pedigree and crossbreed dogs
- On-going cover for on-going accidents and illnesses
- Up to £2 million third party liability cover
- Flexible, interest-free monthly payments
- Fast, simple claims settlement with direct to vet payment option



## THE KENNEL CLUB PET INSURANCE

### Optional benefits

- Cover for death, loss and straying
- Overseas travel cover, and more besides

### Special offers for you

- Special introductory discounts on new policies
- Savings when you insure more than one dog

Call FREE 03330 30 50 30 or visit [www.kcinsurance.co.uk](http://www.kcinsurance.co.uk) to find out more!

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## A guide to help you complete the Registration of a Dog on the Activity Register

The owner who wishes to register a dog on the Activity Register should complete this form and send to the Kennel Club.  
To complete your application online go to: [www.thekennelclub.org.uk/forms/](http://www.thekennelclub.org.uk/forms/)

### 1 The owner(s) name and address

The owner is the person in whose name the dog is to be registered under on the Activity Register. The declaration must be signed by all the parties in the case of joint ownership.

### 2 Dogs details

Guidelines for Naming Dogs (please read carefully)

- A name must consist of more than one word but not exceed 24 letters (including Kennel Name)
- A name which conflicts with an approved current Kennel Name granted to another person will not be accepted
- A registered name cannot be repeated on the Activity Register
- The surname of the breeder/current owner is not acceptable
- A word cannot be repeated when applying to register more than one dog
- If a Kennel Name is to be used, the Kennel Name must appear as the first word in the name if named by the breeder. If you are not the breeder of the dog, or the breeder of both the parents, the Kennel Name must appear as the last word of the name
- Numbers in figures and initials are not acceptable. Abbreviations may be disallowed
- Canine terms are not permissible e.g. 'dog', 'bitch', 'kennel', 'champion', 'Crufts' and specific names of breeds

The Kennel Club reserves the right to refuse any name, which it considers inappropriate or offensive. The Kennel Club retains the right to request a fresh name for any dog after the registration has been accepted, in the event of a complaint being lodged with the Kennel Club which is upheld.

#### The breed of the dog

The name of the breed should be included in this section. If the dog is not purebred, please enter crossbreed. A dog will only be registered as its breed name if it is recognised by the Kennel Club or by a club, which we hold a reciprocal agreement. The Kennel Club will not accept breeds, which are registered under the Dangerous Dogs Act (1991) or the Wild Animal Act (1976).

#### Endorsements

The registered owner of a dog may, whilst the dog is still in their physical ownership, apply to have the following endorsement placed on the dog:

#### R Progency Not Eligible for Registration

Applicants wishing to endorse any dog should make themselves aware of the complete regulation contained in the Kennel Club Year Book, including the need to obtain written and signed confirmation that the prospective new owner is aware of the endorsement.

Details can also be found in the Endorsement Information Guide available from [www.thekennelclub.org.uk/doginformation](http://www.thekennelclub.org.uk/doginformation)

#### Sire details

If the sire is registered with the Kennel Club or any other recognised body, please include the sire's registered name and registration number. If the sire is not registered, please include the sire's pet name if known.

#### Dam details

If the dam is registered with the Kennel Club or any other recognised body, please include the dam's registered name and registration number. If the dam is not registered, please include the dam's pet name if known.

### 3 Type of Activity to be registered under

The types of activities that a dog can participate in if registered on the Activity Register are: Agility, canicross, flyball, heelwork to music, obedience, rally and working trials.

More than one activity can be registered per dog.

### 4 The breeder(s) name and address

In cases where the parentage of the dog to be registered is known, the breeder(s) (the person who bred the dog/bitch) must sign the form. Alternatively the application should be accompanied by a **photocopy** of a signed pedigree from the breeder. Please note: If the breeder's signature or pedigree is not supplied, the parentage will be entered as unknown.

In the case of joint ownership, all parties must sign.

### 5 Fee

The Activity Register Application fee is £15.00.

### 6 How to pay

Once you have completed this form, please send it together with the appropriate fee and, if relevant, any photocopies to the address at the bottom of the page.

#### NOTES:

- The Kennel Club reserves the right to reject any application to register a Kennel Name or transfer any dog or to change or cancel or suspend any registration and may cancel or suspend any registration or transfer or grant of a Kennel Name already made. The acceptance of a registration is not a guarantee of its accuracy.
- When submitted, this form remains the property of the Kennel Club.
- If your dog is already registered on the Kennel Club Breed Register, it is not necessary to also apply for registration on the Activity Register, as your dog is automatically eligible to compete in all activities.
- If both parents of your dog are on the Breed Register you should apply to have your dog added to the Breed Register. For further information please contact 01296 318540.
- After registering on the Activity Register, this dog will be accepted for agility, canicross, flyball, heelwork to music, obedience, rally and working trials. It does not qualify for entry on the Kennel Club Breed Register or to compete in field trials, Gundog working tests, bloodhound trials and Breed Shows (except Companion Shows).
- After registering on the Activity Register, its progeny may not be registered on the Breed Register.
- The data and health screening results connected to your dog will be published and used for registration and publication in relevant Kennel Club documentation as well as included in the Health Test Results Finder and Mate Select calculations. The data may also be used for research (statistical purposes) and shared with trusted and reputable partners for the sole purpose of undertaking research to improve dog health and welfare.
- The full Kennel Club Rules and Regulations are contained in the Kennel Club Year Book.
- Check breed-specific information on any breeding restrictions at [www.breedinformationcentre.org.uk](http://www.breedinformationcentre.org.uk)
- To view details on the Kennel Club Privacy Policy please visit [www.thekennelclub.org.uk](http://www.thekennelclub.org.uk)

## Check List

- Have you completed all sections required?
- Have you checked all parties have signed the declaration?
- Have you selected the activity your dog should be registered under?  
(More than one activity can be registered per dog).

## Contact us



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Please refer to notes overleaf when completing the application.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

## 1 OWNER(S) NAME & ADDRESS

**Privacy:** Your privacy is very important and we retain your data in accordance with our Privacy Notice which can be found on the Kennel Club website [www.thekennelclub.org.uk](http://www.thekennelclub.org.uk)

MR/MRS/MISS/MS FIRST NAME SURNAME

ADDRESS

POST CODE MOBILE NO.

EMAIL

**DECLARATION TO BE SIGNED BY OWNER(S)** I/we the owner(s) of the dog certify the particulars are true to the best of my/our knowledge and belief and agree to the following statements as listed below: I/we are bound by and submit to the Kennel Club Rules & Regulations and General Code of Ethics in their present form or as they may be amended from time to time in relation to all canine matters with which the Kennel Club is concerned.

I/we confirm that the dog has not been registered previously with the Kennel Club or any recognised body.

I/we confirm and agree that any Veterinary Surgeon performing a caesarean section and/or an operation on any of my/our dogs in such a way that the operation alters the natural conformation of the dog or any part thereof may submit a report to the Kennel Club.

In the case of joint ownership, all parties must sign

OWNER(S) SIGNATURE(S) **X**

DATE

## 2 DOG DETAILS

DOGS NAME (first choice)

In the event that both choices of name are not acceptable, the Kennel Club will select a name unless you initial this box

DOGS NAME (second choice)

BREED

DATE OF BIRTH SEX  D  B COLOUR

ENDORSEMENT R (see section 2)

MICROCHIP No. (Please enter or affix barcode sticker)

SIRE DETAILS NAME OF SIRE

REGISTRATION NUMBER (if applicable)

DAM DETAILS NAME OF DAM

REGISTRATION NUMBER (if applicable)

## 3 TYPE OF ACTIVITY TO BE REGISTERED UNDER (Tick more than one box if appropriate, see note 3)

AGILITY  CANICROSS  FLYBALL  HEELWORK TO MUSIC  OBEDIENCE  RALLY

WORKING TRIALS  COMPANION  OTHER  (please state)

## 4 BREEDER(S) NAME & ADDRESS

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MR/MRS/MISS/MS FIRST NAME SURNAME

ADDRESS

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**DECLARATION TO BE SIGNED BY BREEDER(S)** I/we the breeder(s) of the above dog certify that the particulars are true to the best of my/our knowledge and belief and that the above dog has not been registered previously with the Kennel Club or any recognised body.

In the case of joint ownership, all parties must sign.

BREEDER(S) SIGNATURE(S) **X**

DATE

We aim to deliver within 28 days, however, please note that failure to fully complete the application form, include any copies of relevant documentation and/or include the correct payment will result in delaying the registration process and the application form may have to be sent back to you.

FEES OFFICE

## 5 FEE

£ 15.00  Activity Register application fee

## 5 HOW TO PAY

**A. By Debit or Credit Card.** Please charge my  Visa  MasterCard  Delta

Card Number Expiry Date of Card Issue Number Card security

/     (if printed on card)    The last 3 numbers on reverse of the card

If you require a VAT invoice please tick here.

SIGNATURE **X**

DATE

**B. By Cheque.** I enclose a cheque made payable to 'The Kennel Club Limited'