



# KALAMAZOO DOG TRAINING CLUB

*"We train you to train your dog."*

Kalamazoo County Expo & Fairground, Room A  
2900 Lake Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49048

The Kalamazoo Dog Training Club is dedicated to training and exhibiting dogs and to educating the public in responsible dog ownership.

## Kalamazoo Dog Training Club Membership Application

NAME		ADDRESS	
CITY, STATE, ZIP		E-MAIL	
PHONE: HOME	WORK	CELL	
BREED(S) OF DOG(S) OWNED BY APPLICANT. INCLUDE CALL NAME OF EACH DOG.			

Note: Before a new application for membership in the Kalamazoo Dog Training Club (KDTC) can be reviewed by the Board of Directors, applicant must attend two (2) general meetings of the Club and be sponsored by two (2) current members of the Club, both in good standing. The agreed upon dues, set annually by the KDTC Board, must also be attached to the application. Reduced class fees are not offered to new members until one year after their membership acceptance.

**Membership Classifications:** Please select one of the general categories of Single or Family membership *OR* the Associate category of membership listed below.

### General Membership

- Single - Dues \$20.00
- Family - Dues \$30.00

### Benefits:

- Eligible to be elected to Office
- Entitled to vote
- Eligible for Inter-Club awards
- Receive *Canine Chronicle* newsletter
- Reduced class fees (half price)
- Priority class sign-up
- Reduced/free seminar fees
- Priority seminar sign-up
- May transfer to Associate Membership

### Obligations:

- Mandatory work/committee assignments
- Must meet minimum annual attendance requirements
- Must support KDTC functions (i.e., trials, demonstrations)
- Maintain good public relations
- Display good sportsmanship

### Associate Membership

- Associate - Dues \$30.00

### Benefits:

- Receive *Canine Chronicle* newsletter
- Priority class sign-up
- Priority on seminar sign-up
- Meeting attendance optional
- Work/Committee assignments optional
- May transfer to General Membership

### Obligations:

- Must support KDTC functions
- Maintain good public relations
- Display good sportsmanship

### Restrictions:

- Cannot vote or hold office
- Cannot receive inter-Club awards
- No reduced fees for classes or seminars

APPLICANT SIGNATURE	DATE	SPONSOR #1 SIGNATURE	DATE
KDTC PRESIDENT SIGNATURE	DATE	SPONSOR #2 SIGNATURE	DATE

### Summary (For KDTC Use Only)

DATE APPROVED	FEE	DATE PAID
MEMBERSHIP CLASS	MEETINGS ATTENDED	APPLICANT NOTIFIED OF ACCEPTANCE/REJECTION ON:

## Preferred Committee/Work Assignments

All general members will receive at least one assignment. Therefore, general/family member applicants are encouraged to indicate 1st, 2nd and 3rd choices from the possibilities listed below.

### Trials

- Secretary
- Publicity
- Head Steward
- Ring/Table Steward
- Hospitality
- Publicity
- Awards/Prizes
- Set-Up (Rings/Equipment)

### Matches

- Coordinator/Secretary
- Publicity/Advertising
- Registration
- Set-Up (Rings/Equipment)

### Classes

- Instructor
- Assistant
- Registration
- Orientation
- Class Demonstrations
- Class Vouchers

### Annual Activities

- Picnic (Summer)
- Holiday Party (December)
- Awards Banquet (April)

### Standing Committees & Other Club Assignments

- Program
- Nominating
- Library
- Club Attire
- Awards
- Publications
- Sunshine Committee
- Photographer
- Club Equipment
- Building/Site Acquisition
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly describe your past experience with dogs (i.e., pet owner; breeder; obedience, agility, conformation competition; breeds you've owned; canine honors/awards, etc.)

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Have you ever been or are you currently an active member of another dog club? If so, please list other dog club affiliations (Kalamazoo Kennel Club, 3rd Leg Club, Trial & Error Club, etc.)

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Please list any special skills, experience or education (other than "dog-related activities") that you might bring to KDTC.

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All of the above information will be useful to KDTC, upon your acceptance as a member, in introducing you to all other current members and to enabling us to best assign you to one or more committees, based on your interests, experience and listed skills.