

Dog Adoption Application



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This questionnaire is designed to help The Rescue Inn (TRI) match your family and lifestyle with a compatible dog. **Completion of this form does not guarantee adoption of one of our dogs.** TRI adopts dogs out based on best fit.

You must meet the following criteria to be eligible to adopt one of our loving dogs:

- Be 18 years of age or older.
- Have identification showing your current address.
- If you rent, be able to provide a written letter of consent from your landlord that you are allowed to adopt a dog (letter must specifically state weight and breed of dog).
- Be able and willing to spend the time and money necessary to provide training, medical treatment and proper care for your dog.

Name _____	Date _____
Address _____	
City: _____	State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____	
Email: _____	
Name of dog you are interested in adopting: _____	
Please describe in detail the dog you are looking for:	

11. Do all members of your household agree about adding a new dog to the family? yes no
12. How many adults are in your family? ____ How many children? ____
Please list children's ages: _____
13. Does anyone in your household have allergies to dogs? yes no
14. How long would this dog be left alone each day? _____
15. Do you live in a: house apartment condo mobile home
 other
16. Do you rent or own? _____
a) If renting, please list landlords name and phone number:
Name _____ Phone # _____
17. Do you have a completely fenced in yard? yes no
a) What type of fence? _____
b) Height? _____
c) Is there a gate? yes no
d) If you have no fence, how will you handle bathroom breaks?

18. Are there times when the dog will be tied up? yes no
a) If yes, how long and where? _____
19. Will this be an inside or outside dog? _____
20. Do you have a pool? yes no
a) If yes, is there a fence around it? yes no
21. Are you willing to take the time to housetrain your dog? yes no
22. Will you keep your dog up to date on vaccinations? yes no
23. Who is your current veterinarian? _____
24. Will you be able to exercise your dog on a regular basis? yes no
a) By what method? _____
25. Who will take care of your dog when you are out of town?

26. If you must move, will you take your dog with you? yes no
 it depends

27. What traits are you looking for in a dog? (check all that apply)

	High energy		Active / playful		Calm / gentle
	Not much exercise		Lots of exercise		Friendly / affectionate
	Outgoing / confident		Protective		Loner / independent
	Reserved / quiet		Doesn't bark much		Pleaser
	Dog friendly		Cat friendly		Low shedding

I certify that all information on this application is true. I also agree to below:

I hereby fully and forever waive, release, hold harmless, indemnify and defend, The Rescue Inn, Inc., (hereby known as TRI) and their respective employees, volunteers, agents, officers, board members, trustees, successors and assigns, together with their insurance carriers from and against any and all actions, claims, demands, causes of actions, lawsuits, expenses or damages of every nature whatsoever, which I may have now or in the future against TRI, for any and all personal injuries, property damage, injuries to other pets and other damages, known and unknown, arising out of or attributable to my participation or attendance at an TRI event or activity or my viewing, handling or otherwise having contact with any animals, including without limitation, dogs of TRI or otherwise, whether on my own premises or some other location.

I understand that as a result of my involvement in viewing, handling or otherwise having contact with dogs of TRI or other animals, I may be exposed to certain risks, including but not limited to bites, scratches, infections or other injuries related to the viewing, handling, contacting and proximity to animals. By my signature below, I voluntarily agree to assume and/or incur all risks of loss, impairment, damage or injury of whatever kind, including death, that may be sustained or suffered in connection with my involvement with TRI whether or not due to, in whole or in part, the acts, omissions, negligence or other fault of TRI.

I am aware that the behavior of animals, especially shelter and rescue animals, may be unpredictable. I am aware that, although TRI makes every effort to ensure the safety of persons coming into contact with our animals, TRI cannot guarantee my safety in viewing, handling or otherwise having contact with TRI animals or other animals. In addition, TRI cannot guarantee the safety of my other pets in the presence of TRI animals or other animals.

I, the undersigned, have read this waiver and release and understand all of its terms, and I execute it voluntarily and with full knowledge of its significance.

Signature

Date