



Pincher Creek SPCA Dog/Puppy Application for Adoption

Dog/Puppy's name you are interested in \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING VERY CAREFULLY

1. Multiple applications for the same dog/puppy are not processed as first come first take home. Applications are processed and approved on the best fit for the animals. We have an obligation to the animals, not the person adopting. Sometimes what a person may seem as a fit may not be what is in the best interest of the animal. Does it mean you can not adopt an animal, NO it means we just haven't found the right one for your home yet. We want both animal and family to be the best fit and have success.
2. If this application is not filled out completely it will be denied.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address: (NOT PO BOX) \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to receive email updates from the SPCA or be informed of any events coming up?

Please circle YES or NO

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you Own or Rent your home? \_\_\_\_\_

Landlords Phone Number if you rent \_\_\_\_\_

Copy of Lease available? \_\_\_\_\_

Please answer the following completely

1. Which humans will live in the home with the dog/puppy? (please list ages)

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2. Which animals do you currently have in the home? (Please provide as much detail as possible, Breed, Age, Spayed/Neutered, Vaccines up to date?)

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3. Who is your regular veterinarian clinic? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Are you okay if we confirm the vaccine status of your animals with your vet? \_\_\_\_\_

5. On average what do you or expect to pay monthly for your dog/puppy. (not including vet bills) \_\_\_\_\_

6. On average what do you expect to pay on vet bills in a year for your dog or puppy? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you experienced in dog training, if so which method?

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8. If you are struggling with training your new dog/puppy will you seek help from a trainer? \_\_\_\_\_

9. Will you give the puppy/dog a good chance to adjust living in your home? (It can take months for a dog/puppy to get settled into your home) \_\_\_\_\_

10. On average how much time will you have in a day to spend with your new dog/puppy? \_\_\_\_\_
11. When you are at work or gone for part of the day where will you dog/puppy be? \_\_\_\_\_
12. What are some things you plan to do with your new puppy/dog (activities) \_\_\_\_\_
13. New dogs and puppies in new homes can and will have accidents when you first bring them home. Will you be patient and train the dog/puppy to utilize outside for bathroom and realize it can take months and months for some dogs? \_\_\_\_\_
14. If something was to happen to you where you are required to go away for an emergency, or a long term stay elsewhere and/or your circumstances changed and you could not bring/keep the dog/puppy who will look after them/keep them? Please provide name, relationship, and phone number \_\_\_\_\_.
15. Owning a dog is a long-term commitment, some dogs can live till they are 19 years old, are you willing to make this commitment? \_\_\_\_\_
16. If you go on holidays who will look after your animal? \_\_\_\_\_
17. Do you have a fenced yard? \_\_\_\_\_. If you do not then how do you plan to keep the dog/puppy when it goes outside?  
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18. If at anytime you are NOT able to keep the animal and your back up person is not as well, we ask that you either surrender the animal back to the Pincher Creek SPCA or if you have found a suitable home for the animal that you, please let us know of the new home. Do you agree?  
Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide two reference that are NOT FAMILY MEMBERS

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

References checked \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Staff Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Denied \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for denial \_\_\_\_\_