



# Phoenix Field & Obedience Club Membership Application

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Zip (9-digit please) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Breed(s) of dog(s) you own \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby apply for membership in Phoenix Field & Obedience Club and agree to abide by the Club's objectives and rules of the American Kennel Club.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### **New applicants must be sponsored by 2 current club members.**

Please talk with them about the activities listed below. We are looking for active members who are interested in advancing the objectives of the club. Personal involvement and participation in activities is the most rewarding aspect of membership in PFOC.

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Club member signature

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### **Membership dues must be submitted with the application:**

Single membership (\$15)

Family membership (\$20)

Please mail completed application and check payable to PFOC to the membership chairman:  
Clemence Newcomb, 1714 N. Whittier Dr., Phoenix, AZ 85006-1932

### **I would like to volunteer time in the following areas (see page 2):**

Obedience/Rally Instructor \_\_\_\_\_ Training Apprentice \_\_\_\_\_ Training Helper \_\_\_\_\_

Ring Setup \_\_\_\_\_ Ring Procedure \_\_\_\_\_ Training Line \_\_\_\_\_ Picnic \_\_\_\_\_ Hospitality \_\_\_\_\_

Seminar \_\_\_\_\_ Awards \_\_\_\_\_ Stewarding \_\_\_\_\_ Newsletter \_\_\_\_\_ CGC Testing \_\_\_\_\_

**Obedience/Rally Trial:** Set up & tear down rings \_\_\_\_\_ Hospitality \_\_\_\_\_ Steward \_\_\_\_\_

**Match:** Set up & tear down rings \_\_\_\_\_ Hospitality \_\_\_\_\_ Judge \_\_\_\_\_ Steward \_\_\_\_\_

Date accepted: Board meeting \_\_\_\_\_ General meeting \_\_\_\_\_

# Description of PFOC Volunteer Positions

**Club Picnic:** The picnic is an annual fun event scheduled in March or April. A chairman is needed oversee the organization of the picnic. Volunteers are needed to help with planning games, selecting prizes, judging the various categories & organizing the potluck food & drinks.

**Seminar:** PFOC actively promotes educational seminars on various dog training topics. The seminar chairman would work with the Board in the selection of a speaker. The chairman would be in charge of making all arrangements for the speaker, selecting a site, arranging publicity & hospitality for the seminar.

**CGC:** PFOC sponsors AKC Canine Good Citizen (CGC) tests. People interested in organizing & administering the test are needed.

**Training Line:** Pick up messages 1 week per month from PFOC's training phone line. Mail training class packets and advise callers on specific dog problems.

**Meeting Programs:** Arrange for a speaker or a presentation at our 5 general meetings.

**Stewarding:** Assist the judge in the obedience or rally ring & perform any tasks the judge requests. A knowledge of ring procedure & rules governing judging is necessary.

**Obedience/Rally Instructor:** Teach PFOC training classes. First time instructors apprentice under an experienced instructor before becoming an instructor.

**Training Apprentice:** Assist an instructor in teaching classes in preparation for becoming an instructor.

**Training Helper:** Assist an instructor in teaching classes.

**Ring Setup:** Unload & load the trailer at PFOC classes and set up practice rings.

**Newsletter:** Help with the monthly club newsletter as editor, reporter or photographer.

**Matches:** This is a half-day fun match run by PFOC members. Help is needed to unload & load the equipment trailer and set up & tear down equipment. We also need help with hospitality, obedience or rally judging and stewarding duties. This is an opportunity to learn about ring procedure and stewarding from experienced exhibitors.

**Obedience Trial:** Help is needed to set up and tear down for PFOC's January obedience trials. You can also volunteer to help with hospitality or trophies. If you have training as a steward, you can volunteer for a stewarding assignment.