

Field Spaniel Society of Canada

Membership Application Form



Directions:

1. Please fill out completely. Type or print clearly.
2. If you do not own a Field Spaniel, list information on any other dogs owned.
3. Obtain 2 required-signed endorsements from FSSC members who know you or provide a detailed resume of themselves and their involvement with dogs, past and present.
4. Enclose your correct dues payment (see below) _____
5. Juniors only: please include your date of birth below.
6. E-mail completed application with dues payment to:

Canadians Only - e-transfer: FSSC.Membership@gmail.com

OR mail cheque to:

C/O Rebecca Menard
Field Spaniel Society of Canada
109 Pioneer Rd
Russell, Ontario K4R 0C9

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Routed to Board _____

Approved _____

International members please use Paypal or cheque
FSSC.Membership@gmail.com

__ Single Membership \$25 __ Family Membership \$40 __ Foreign Membership \$25 __ Junior Membership \$0

__ Additional Donation to the general fund - Donation Amount:

Last Name: _____ **First Name** _____ **Home Phone:** _____

Last Name: _____ **First Name** _____ **Work Phone:** _____

Mailing Address _____ **City** _____ **Province/State** _____ **Postal/Zip Code** _____

Preferred e-mail Address _____

Field Spaniels Owned/Breeding Activity (please list registered name and CKC/AKC number if available):

Why do you wish to join this club? (Attach a separate sheet if necessary.)

Your dog-related activities during the past 2 years - i.e. CKC, AKC exhibiting, titles completed other activities.

What Field Spaniel related activities would you like this club to offer for your participation & support?

In what areas would you assist/support this club?

Attend matches _____ **Photography** _____ **Newsletter** _____ **Communications** _____ **Record keeping** _____ **Rescue work**
Fund raising _____ **Breed education** _____ **Other:** _____

Other dog club memberships: _____

Occupation of each applicant: _____

Endorsements of two (2) current FSSC members, each of whom reside in two (2) different households:

Printed Name _____ **Signature*** _____ **Date** _____

Printed Name _____ **Signature*** _____ **Date** _____

*No application will be processed without these signatures

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Field Spaniel Society of Canada Code of Ethics

As per the Constitution & By-Laws

8.1 The Field Spaniel Society of Canada recognizes that its responsibility is to preserve and protect the breed.

8.2 Violation of the Code of Ethics shall be reported to the Secretary under section 1.4.2.

8.3 The Club membership has approved a Code of Ethics to be abided by, by all members. It further recognizes that membership in the FSSC automatically obligates individuals to follow the Code of Ethics.

8.3.1. No member will knowingly sell any puppy to any pet shop, catalogue houses, dealers or, in any way knowingly aid or abet the sale of any Field Spaniel through a pet shop or catalogue house.

8.3.2. A member-breeder will be familiar with the Code of practice for C.K.C member breeders and rules governing record keeping, registration and sale and transfer of dogs, and will abide by those rules. Any warranties or other agreements pertaining to the sale of a Field Spaniel will be put in writing with a copy provided to the buyer, seller and to The Canadian Kennel Club, if required by the C.K.C.

8.3.3. A member selling a dog or puppy which he knows to have a physical condition or a serious deviation from the standard which indicates that the breeding of the animal would be detrimental to the welfare of the breed will make the sale subject to a Canadian Kennel Club non-breeding agreement, signed by both buyer and seller, that the dog is not to breed. Additional agreements pertaining to spaying, neutering and/or non-breeding of the animal are encouraged.

8.3.4. All breeding will be planned and aimed at improvement of the breed, The member-breeder will be familiar with the breed Standard and will do everything in his/her power to discourage breeding from clearly inferior specimens of the breed, or to any such specimen with his stud. No dog exhibiting a serious hereditary defect, unsound temperament or poor health will be bred.

8.3.5. If a dog or bitch produces off-spring with the same serious defect detrimental to the animals well-being, such as blindness, deafness, lameness or impairment of the vital functions, from litters of different mating partners, the member owning that bitch or dog will refrain from further use of the animal for breeding excepting test breeding when absolutely necessary.

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8.3.6. No member will breed a bitch unless he/she has the time and facilities to provide proper care and attention to the physical and emotional development of puppies, No bitches should knowingly be bred before eighteen (18) months of age.

8.3.7 Advertising by members will be as factual as possible. Misleading exaggerations or unfounded implications of superiority will not be used.

8.3.8. Members will refrain from knowingly making unfair or untrue statements about the dogs or practices of others,

8.3.9. The purchaser of a puppy sold by a member shall be informed that the puppy is guaranteed to be free from disabling or congenital defects, Should a defect develop and it is confirmed by two (2) veterinarians that it is a congenital or inherited problem, the vendor guarantees to refund the purchase price and reclaim the puppy or replace it with another puppy.

8.3.10. As hereditary and transmissible conditions are discovered in the breed, members are encouraged to have all stock tested for same whenever possible.

8.3.11. No member of the FSSC shall provide stud services to unregistered bitches.

AGREEMENT

I agree to abide by the Constitution, Bylaws and Code of Ethics of the Field Spaniel Society of Canada, by the rules and regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club, and to support club activities. I certify that I am currently in good standing with the Canadian Kennel Club. I have read and agree to the Code of Ethics on this form as endorsed by the Field Spaniel Society of Canada.

Signature of Applicant

Date

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