

**LAS VEGAS BULLDOG CLUB
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Application Type: () New () Renewal
() Single - \$20 () Couple - \$30 () Associate - \$10

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

ABOUT YOU

Bulldog(s) Name: _____

Bulldog Interests – Please check all that apply: Pet Owner: () Breeding: ()

Exhibiting: () Obedience: () Therapy Work: () Rescue: () Other: _____

Included with your membership is an email subscription to our website news.

***Each **new** application must be endorsed by two Las Vegas Bulldog Club Members.

Sponsor Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

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MEMBERSHIP RESPONSIBILITY

We have many activities throughout the year, from community event booths to our yearly specialty show. All members are expected to assist and give of some of their time to help the club. This is what makes our club successful!

Please go to the Bulldog Club of America's website at www.thebca.org and review the Code of Ethics. By signing this application you agree to abide by the BCA Code of Ethics, the rules of the American Kennel Club, and the LVBC's constitution & By-Laws. I, (WE) agree to the above.

Member Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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If this is a new application, once your application is received, it will be read at two meetings and as prospective members you must be in attendance. After two readings, your membership will be voted on by the general Membership. If you live outside a 100-mile radius of Las Vegas, you will be accepted as an Associate Member. Mail your application with a check made out to LVBC to:

LVBC Secretary: Elaine Feinstein 10304 Canyon Valley Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89145

New Application: Rc'd _____ 1st reading _____ 2nd reading _____ Voted _____

Renewal: Rc'd _____ **Dues:** Amount Paid _____ cash/check _____

***Enclosed is a donation to assist with the medical needs of our local BCARN, Inc.-Las Vegas Rescue Bulldogs:**

\$_____ THANK YOU!!!



CODE OF ETHICS OF THE

BULLDOG CLUB OF AMERICA

PREAMBLE

This Code of Ethics is established to set a standard of acceptable behavior for Bulldog Club of America members. The code is designed to protect the integrity of the Club and to protect and enhance our Breed.

The objectives of the club as stated by the founders are:

- To maintain a standard of excellence for the guidance of breeders, owners and judges.
- To improve the Breed through encouragement of effort directed toward the approach to, or attainment of the degree of excellence set forth in the Standard of the Bulldog Breed.
- To stimulate interest in competitive public showing of the Bulldog.
- To further the interest of the Breed.
- To work for the general good of breeders, owners and exhibitors of Bulldogs.

It is in this spirit that the Bulldog Club of America expects adherence to the code of ethics.

CODE OF ETHICS

- Members of the BCA have an obligation to protect the welfare and the best interests of their breed by conducting themselves in a manner designed to reflect credit to themselves, their breed and the BCA.
- Members who exhibit are expected to observe the highest standards of sportsmanship; conduct themselves in such a manner as to reflect positively on the sport of showing dogs; and exhibit goodwill at all shows and obedience trials.
- Members who contemplate breeding a litter, or who allow the use of their stud dog for the same purpose shall direct their efforts toward producing dogs of quality, of even temperament, vigorous and free of health problems. They shall be familiar with the bulldog breed and its BCA/AKC approved standard and breed only those specimens which conform to it.
- Members shall not engage in false or misleading advertising or misrepresentation of their breed, nor shall they malign their competition by making false or misleading statements regarding their competitors dogs, breeding practice or person.

Blatant disregard for the standards set out in this code shall be considered unacceptable behavior and not supported by the Bulldog Club of America.