



# The Portuguese Water Dog Club of America, Inc.

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## ASSOCIATE to VOTING MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Applicant(s) must complete a 2-year Associate Membership in good standing to apply.

NOTE: The PWDCA respects your privacy. This information will not be shared or sold to other organizations or businesses.

Please print or type, use extra paper if necessary. This form cannot be accepted if altered by the applicant

<p><i>FOR CLUB USE ONLY:</i>  Date Received: _____  Date Approved: _____</p>
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Member Name	Mobile Phone	Email	
Occupation	Office	Fax	
Mailing Address	Home Phone		
City	State	Zip Code	Date of Application
Kennel Name	AKC Registered	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Complete if applying with 2<sup>nd</sup> household member

2 <sup>nd</sup> Household Member Name	Mobile Phone	Email
Occupation	Office	Fax

**How long have you been involved with Portuguese Water Dogs? \_\_\_\_\_ Number of PWDs currently owned or co-owned: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Number of other breeds: \_\_\_\_\_ Name the other breeds you currently own: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Have you ever applied for Voting Membership in the PWDCA before and been denied?**

Member  Yes  No If yes, why were you denied? \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Household Member  Yes  No If yes, why were you denied? \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you ever applied for Voting Membership in the PWDCA under a different name?**

Member  Yes  No If yes, what name? \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Household Member  Yes  No If yes, what name? \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you ever been suspended by the AKC or any other breed club/organization?**

Member  Yes  No If yes, please explain? \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Household Member  Yes  No If yes, please explain? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please indicate your reasons for requesting Voting Membership in the Portuguese Water Dog Club of America:**

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**What do you expect Voting Membership in the Portuguese Water Dog Club of America to offer you above and beyond Associate Membership?**

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As a Voting Member of the PWDCA, Inc., I would be interested in volunteering in the following areas:

Member \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Household Member \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently a member of a Regional PWD club? If yes, please list any offices held, committee participation, volunteer support, or any other activities that you participated in. If no, explain why not:

Member  Yes  No If yes, please explain? \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Household Member  Yes  No If yes, please explain? \_\_\_\_\_

If there is no regional PWD club in your area, please list your activities, offices held, participation or volunteer work associated with your local dog clubs (performance, conformation, humane society, 4-H, etc.):

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**ACTIVITY RECORD**

Do you exhibit in any of the following?

Breed?  Yes  No Water Trials?  Yes  No Agility?  Yes  No Obedience?  Yes  No Other? \_\_\_\_\_

Please list titles earned by your dogs: \_\_\_\_\_/Conformation \_\_\_\_\_/Obedience/Rally \_\_\_\_\_/Agility \_\_\_\_\_/Water \_\_\_\_\_/Other (If more than one title is earned in any given category, just list "multiple".)

**PORTUGUESE WATER DOG(S) OWNED/CO-OWNED**

If possible, please attach a copy of the Pedigree and/or AKC Registration Certificate for each Portuguese Water Dog you own.

Registered Name (If more than 4 use back of form)	Registration#	Call Name	Sex (M/F)	Date of Birth (M/D/Y)	Breeder(s) Names

**BREEDING RECORD**

Do you breed Portuguese Water Dogs?  Yes  No If "yes", please attach a record of all Portuguese Water Dog litters, showing date, sire, dam, and AKC litter number.

If you have not yet bred a litter, do you have any interest in breeding?  Yes  No If Yes, why?

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\_\_\_\_\_

**PWD HEALTH & LITTER DATABASE ("HLD")**

Health information on all of the dogs I own/co-own  has  has not been submitted to the PWD HLD. "If not" please provide reason:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Litter information on all litters I have bred/co-bred  has  has not been submitted to the PWD HLD. "If not" please provide reason:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## SPONSORS

Two PWDCA Voting Members in good standing (not Associate Members) must endorse all applicants. The sponsors must not be in the same household nor a relative of the applicant. At least one of whom has not had a business relationship with the applicant including but not limited to owning, co-owning, buying, selling, or services thereof, of either a bitch, stud, or dog. Please obtain the sponsors signatures and comments prior to sending in your application.

Sponsors: Be certain to verify applicant's involvement in regional club and/or dog-related activities, events, and sources provided.

### SPONSOR #1 COMMENTS

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Sponsor Signature	Print Name	
Email	Phone	Years you have known applicant?

### SPONSOR #2 COMMENTS

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Sponsor Signature	Print Name	
Email	Phone	Years you have known applicant?

**The undersigned hereby applies for Voting Membership in the Portuguese Water Dog Club of America, Inc. and agree to abide by the ByLaws and Certificate of Incorporation, as well as AKC rules and regulations. The purpose of the PWDCA, Inc. is to preserve the purebred Portuguese Water Dog, thereby fulfilling the needs for which it was bred.**

**I understand that Voting Membership is not automatic and is subject to approval by the PWDCA, Inc. Board of Directors.**

Signature of Applicant(s):	Date:
	Date:

### Mail completed applications with signatures and attachments to:

Judy Murray  
PWDCA Recording Secretary  
90 South Pennell Road  
Media, PA 19063-5732

Phone: 610-565-0724  
[recsecretary@pwdca.org](mailto:recsecretary@pwdca.org)