



## AMERICAN WATER SPANIEL CLUB, INC.

### New Member Application

The American Water Spaniel Club, Inc. ("AWSC") is the American Kennel Club ("AKC") Parent Club for the American Water Spaniel ("AWS"). **The AWSC is also the only club recognized by the AKC as an AWS Specialty Club.**

#### Membership Benefits include:

- Bi-annual publication of the AWS Review
- E-letters with club updates and information
- Access to the Members Only section of the AWSC website
- Special Awards including Register of Merit, Vaughn Brockman Award, Pfeifer Award and Conformation
- Yearly National Specialty and Hunt Test
- Information on AKC updates
- Current listings of AWS passing health clearances
- Fellowship with other AWS owners
- Training days
- AWSC Hunt Tests and titles
- Educational seminars
- AKC Spaniel Hunt Tests
- Voting privileges for Individual & Household Memberships

### Applicant Information (Please Type or Print Clearly)

_____		_____	
Name		Name	
_____		_____	
Email Address		Email Address	
_____		_____	_____
Address	City	State	Zip Code
_____		_____	_____
Home Telephone	Cell Phone	Cell Phone	

Please answer the following questions

Have you ever bought a dog for resale or sold a dog for resale? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Have you ever been disciplined, fined or had your privileges suspended by the AKC? [ ] Yes [ ] No  
If you answer yes to either of the above, please attach an explanation.

Do you belong to any other kennel club, breed club, or dog-related club or organization? [ ] Yes [ ] No

If yes, please attach a sheet listing the club or organization as well as any service positions you currently hold or have held.

### American Water Spaniel Information (Please Use Additional Sheets as Necessary)

Do you currently own an American Water Spaniel? [ ] Yes [ ] No If yes, please provide the following:

_____		_____	
AKC Reg. Name		AKC Reg. No. (if none, AKC Litter Reg. No.)	
Age: _____	Sex: _____	Spay/Neutered? [ ] Yes [ ] No	
_____		_____	
AKC Reg. Name		AKC Reg. No. (if none, AKC Litter Reg. No.)	
Age: _____	Sex: _____	Spay/Neutered? [ ] Yes [ ] No	
Have you bred any AWS in the last 3 years? [ ] Yes [ ] No If yes, please provide for each litter the following:			
_____		_____	
AKC Litter Reg. No.		Date Whelped	

Your Kennel Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

## Types of Memberships

**Individual Membership.** An individual is eligible for membership if the individual: (1) is eighteen (18) years of age or older; (2) is a citizen or legal resident of the United States; (3) is in good standing with the AKC; (4) subscribes to the purposes of the AWSC; and (5) has the written endorsement of two (2) members in good standing of the AWSC.

**Household Membership.** A household shall be eligible for membership if the household contains two individuals that meet the eligibility requirements for an Individual Member set forth above.

**Associate (Individual or Household) Membership.** An individual or household is eligible for membership if the individual or household meets the eligibility requirements set forth for an Individual Membership or Household Membership above, as applicable. An Associate Membership does not require the applicant(s) to be citizens or residents of the United States or the written endorsement of two members of the AWSC. An associate membership does not have voting rights.

**Junior or Local Specialty Club Memberships.** Please contact the Secretary of the AWSC.

<u>Membership Type</u>	<u>Dues</u>
[ ] Individual Membership	\$40.00
[ ] Household Membership	\$50.00
[ ] Individual Associate Membership	\$32.00
[ ] Household Associate Membership	\$40.00

**Please check a Membership Type above and include a check for dues payable to "AWSC".** Incomplete applications will be returned. Mail the check and your completed application to:

**Linda Hattrem**

7375 Bayport Avenue, Sparta, WI 54656

Your application for membership must be approved by the Board of Directors of the AWSC. This could take one to two months.

So that you can become an active member of the American Water Spaniel Club::

Please indicate your areas of Interest.

- Agility competition
- Breeding
- Hunting
- Hunt tests
- Pet
- Rally
- Showing in Conformation
- Showing in Obedience
- Therapy Dogs
- Tracking competition
- Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be interested in helping with any of the following club activities?

- Club Periodical
- Hunt Tests/Training Days
- Health & Genetics
- Library
- Pet Fairs / Game Fairs
- Publicity/Promotion
- Fundraising
- Show (National Specialty)
- Web Page/Social Media
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Written Endorsements (not required for associate memberships):** By signing below, I am indicating that I have sufficient knowledge of the applicant(s) to believe that the applicant(s) meets the eligibility requirements for the membership type chosen and will be an active member(s) of the AWSC.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Applicant Signature(s):** By signing below, I/We are hereby applying for the membership type indicated in the application and certify that the information contained herein is true and correct. I/We also certify that we meet the eligibility requirements for the membership type chosen and have read and will abide by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the AWSC and the rules and regulations of the AKC.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

The AWSC occasionally uses electronic mail to communicate with members and keep members informed about current developments in a timely manner. The use of electronic communications also reduces the expenses to the AWSC and helps keep dues low. Please check here if you do not wish to receive electronic communications from the AWSC. [ ]

Occasionally, the AWSC makes its mailing address list available to select groups or companies that are dog related. Please check here if you do not want your name released. [ ]

Annual dues run from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31. Check here if you would like your membership to begin on the next Jan. 1. (Otherwise, your membership will begin immediately upon approval by the Board of Directors) [ ]

**Please complete the entire application so that there is no delay in processing. Thank you.**

**Official Use Only**

Date Rec'd: \_\_\_\_\_, Ret Date: \_\_\_\_\_, Date Compl: \_\_\_\_\_, BOD: \_\_\_\_\_, Appr'd: \_\_\_\_\_