



**Grand Traverse Kennel Club
P.O. Box 4042
Traverse City, MI 49685**

Application for Junior Membership

Junior Membership is open to all young people from eight to eighteen years of age. An applicant must agree to abide by the GTKC Junior Membership Criteria as well as the GTKC Constitution & By-laws and the rules of the American Kennel Club (AKC).

Each prospective member must fill out the Application for Junior Membership and obtain the signatures of an assigned sponsor, who will be a Club member, and at least one of the applicant's parents. The completed form is to be given to the Junior Leader at the next meeting. The Junior Leader determines whether the application is accepted.

The objectives of the Club Junior Activity are to promote responsible dog ownership and participate in and enjoy dog activities while showing respect for ourselves, others, and our dogs.

Junior members are expected to work at Club functions and attend the Junior Activity meetings and events. Parents are welcome to attend the GTKC and Junior Activity meetings and events.

A junior membership requires a one-time dues payment of \$5.00. When a membership is accepted, the new member will receive a name tag and membership card.

Name of Applicant: _____

Street address: _____

City/State/Zip _____

Telephone number: _____

Emergency number: _____

Birth Date: _____

Assigned Sponsor/Sponsor's Telephone No.: _____
This line to be filled in by the Junior Leader

Date membership accepted: _____
This line to be filled in by the Junior Leader

Why would you like to join the Grand Traverse Kennel Club? _____

How could you contribute to the club as a Junior Member? _____

Breed of dog owned, if any: _____

Are all of your dog's shots up to date? _____

Is your dog licensed in accordance with your local community's requirements? _____

Have you participated in obedience, agility, dog shows, or any other activities with a dog?

Would you be interested in various dog-training classes if offered? _____

I have answered all of the above questions to the best of my knowledge and abilities. I have also had the GTKC Code of Ethics, Constitution & By Laws, and Junior Membership Criteria explained to me by my sponsoring club member or Junior Leader. I agree to abide by the rules in these documents and understand that my membership can be terminated at any time by a vote of the Kennel Club members if I do not abide by the rules.

Signature of Junior Member _____

Signature of a Parent _____

Signature of the Assigned Sponsor _____