

Membership in the Scottish Terrier Club of Chicago

We are pleased that you are interested in membership in the Scottish Terrier Club of Chicago, Inc. Club membership is dedicated to the interests and welfare of this special breed. By attending club functions and becoming an active club member you will contribute to the encouragement and promotion of breeding quality Scottish Terriers. You will make a commitment: to protect and advance the interests of the breed; to provide information about the breed to the Scottish Terrier Fancier and to the general public; and to encourage sportsmanlike competition at dog shows.

Application Requirements:

- Completing the STCC Application
- Signing the STCC Code of Ethics and agreeing to abide by its Constitution and By-Laws
- Attending two (2) meetings
- Becoming sponsored by two (2) members in good standing that know you personally. (The sponsors may not be from the same household).
- Submitting a biography to the Club editor for inclusion in The Plaid Piper newsletter
- The applicant is expected to complete the requirements for membership within six (6) months from the date the application is submitted
- Once the requirements are met the application will be presented to the membership for acceptance into The Scottish Terrier Club of Chicago, Inc.
- Upon acceptance into the Club, provide a check for membership dues to the Club Secretary, made payable to STCC. Dues for STCC are \$35.00 per year for a single membership, or \$45.00 per year for a family membership. Annual dues are payable by July 1st each year.

Dues can also be paid via the PayPal link available at <u>STCChicago.org/how-to-join</u>. If paying through PayPal, the individual membership fee is \$36.35 per year, and the family membership fee is \$46.65 per year. The additional amount covers the cost PayPal charges for processing credit card payments.

Please join us for our next scheduled meeting.

You will be notified of the status of your application by the Club Secretary.

Please email your completed application, and/or any additional questions you may have, to <u>scottishterrierclubofchicago@gmail.com</u>.



STCC Application

We are pleased that you are interested in membership in the SCOTTISH TERRIER CLUB OF CHICAGO, INC.

- Please complete this application in its entirety, then scan and send to <u>scottishterrierclubofchicago@gmail.com</u>, or submit your application directly to the STCC Secretary at the next Club meeting.
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Applicant(s) Name(s):		
Email Address:		
Address:		
City, State, Zip Code		
Phone Number:	Home:	Cell:
Occupation:		
How did you learn of the ST	CC?	
Do you currently own any So	cottish Terriers?	
List all dog related clubs and	l organizations of which you are, or h	ave been, a member. Note any

offices held and/or committees that you served on.

Please indicate whether you have Participated (P) or would like to Try (T) these events:

Conformation	Obedience	Tracking
Agility	Breeding	Earthdog
Other (Specify)		

What talents or interests do you have that you would be willing to share on behalf of the club?

There are many ways that you could contribute to STCC. Below are some suggestions for you to consider and please indicate if you are interested in working on any of these committees:

- _____ Specialty (including luncheon, trophies, set up/clean up)
- _____ Communication (the STCC web site, Plaid Piper and social media)
- _____ Education (planning programs and events, or submitting articles, for example)
- _____ Hospitality (assisting with the specialty luncheon, meetings and events)
- _____ Membership (seeking out members, orienting new members to STCC)

Membership requirements:

• We ask that you attend two (2) meetings before your application is voted on. You need two (2) current STCC members to sponsor your application.

Sponsor 1 – Name	Signature	Date
Sponsor 2 – Name	Signature	Date
American Kennel Club and our website or from the mer disciplinary action as provid	nbership committee). Failure to abide	e of Ethics of the STCC (available on e by the agreements may result in of STCC. It is also understood, that if

Applicant(s) Signature(s):	Name	Name	Name	
	Date	Date		
Date application received: _ Dates of meetings attended:				
Date of notification:		Accepted:(Yes)(No)	



STCC Code of Ethics

The Scottish Terrier Club of Chicago, Inc. was formed and exists to encourage and promote the breeding quality of Scottish Terriers. It is committed to protect and advance the interests of the breed, to provide information about the breed to the Scottish Terrier Fancier and to the general public, and to encourage sportsmanlike competition at dog shows.

As a member of the Scottish Terrier Club of Chicago, Inc., I agree to:

- Be actively involved in the club
- Provide accurate information about the breed
- Be familiar with the American Kennel Club official standard
- Assist and support Scottish Terrier rescue
- Conduct myself in a manner which reflects credit upon myself and the Club

As a member of the Scottish Terrier Club of Chicago, Inc., I agree to:

- Provide proper housing, food and veterinary and other supportive care for my Scottish Terrier
- Exercise proper control and restraint over my Scottish Terrier at all times and not allow the dog to run at large

As a member of the Scottish Terrier Club of Chicago, Inc., who breeds one or more litters, I agree to:

- Comply with the AKC rules concerning record keeping, registration, identification, sale, and transfer of dogs
- Utilize current veterinary tests to screen for genetic/infectious diseases prior to breeding
- Breed only mature, healthy, quality Scottish Terriers to produce healthy puppies
- Provide appropriate care to puppies to promote physical and emotional development
- Provide written information to the new owner of the puppy, including instructions on care and feeding, medical records, and conditions of sale
- Sell companion animals with limited AKC registration or a spay/neuter agreement
- Not act as a broker for another breeder's puppies, sell to pet stores, sell any individual puppy or litter to a broker or commercial breeder
- Assume ongoing lifetime responsibility for the dogs produced (I will take back dogs that I have bred that are no longer wanted)

By signing this Code of Ethics, I acknowledge and agree with the purposes of the Scottish Terrier Club of Chicago, Inc., that I will do my best to promote the best interests of the Club and the breed, and that I will not engage in any practice that is unethical or prejudicial to the best interests of the Club or breed.

Signature(s):

Printed Name(s):

Date:
