

OHIO VALLEY PEMBROKE WELSH CORGI CLUB RESCUE COMMITTEE

Please complete the following information to assist the Ohio Valley Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club Rescue Committee in attempting to select a suitable Pembroke for you and your family to adopt. This information will be helpful in determining that a proposed adoption is in the best interests of the Pembroke and you and your family. In answering these questions feel free to use the backs of pages or to attach additional pages.

Your Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Street address, City, St. & Zip -  
\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell/Work# \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation(s) a. \_\_\_\_\_ b. \_\_\_\_\_

Own your home or rent \_\_\_\_\_ If renting, landlord contact is \_\_\_\_\_

Describe ideal Pembroke's approximate age \_\_\_\_\_

Activity level (examples couch potato, quiet, playful, energetic, outgoing) \_\_\_\_\_  
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Would a Pembroke mix be acceptable? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Have you owned a dog before? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_. If yes please describe each dog that you have had in about the last 20 years and how long you owned it. If you do not still own the dog, please tell what happened to each.  
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Do you have a vet? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_. If yes please provide name, city, state and phone number  
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Typical yearly veterinary expenses for a dog are about \$250. Is this affordable? \_\_\_\_\_

Even if the Pembroke had been previously housebroken, you should expect that it would not be housebroken, at first, in a new home. This may be temporary or it may require retraining. Would you be willing to housebreak a Pembroke? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be willing to train a Pembroke, including obedience classes? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a fenced-in yard? \_\_\_\_\_. If no, will you walk it on leash? \_\_\_\_\_ Allow it to exercise under close supervision? \_\_\_\_\_ Put up a fence/pen or use a tie-out, or what? \_\_\_\_\_

Dogs may become destructive when left alone, but there are ways to train them not to chew or mess in the house when left alone. Are you willing to take the time and effort to train? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you try using a pen or crate or some other means of solving any such problems? \_\_\_\_\_

What are other ways to train "house manners" \_\_\_\_\_

Pembrokes shed **heavily** about 2 times per year: combing, grooming, etc. is required. OK? \_\_\_\_

Describe your living arrangements. Where the Pem would be living?

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A club representative may visit your home before you adopt a Pembroke and during or after the adoption process. Is this acceptable to you? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe all of the persons that live at this home. If any children are in your home please list their ages and interests, too. Let us know the same info if they often visit and tell us how often that is.

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Have all of these persons agreed to the adoption of a Pembroke? \_\_\_\_\_

Who will be primarily responsible for caring for the Pembroke? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to educate your children in the humane care of animals? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you sure no one in your household is allergic to dogs? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe all of the pets that currently live at this home. Type? Age? Sex? Neutered?

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Are these pets generally friendly toward dogs? \_\_\_\_\_

The Pembroke may not initially get along with other pets you may own now or in the future. If there is trouble are you prepared to find ways to solve it? \_\_\_\_\_

Our rescue agreement will require you to take responsibility for the Pembroke for its entire life. In the event that is not possible or you can no longer care for it you must agree to return it to the Committee. Is this acceptable?

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Do you understand that there are no guarantees as to the condition, health, temperament, behavior or personality of the Pembroke? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you understand that the Committee or Club makes no representations as to the condition, health, behavior or personality of the Pembroke? \_\_\_\_\_

It is very important that no one adopt a Pembroke on an impulse. Have you given this adoption adequate thought? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you considered the possible problems attendant to adopting a Pembroke? What do you think they will be in your situation? \_\_\_\_\_

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We welcome and appreciate your interest in providing a good home for a Pembroke. Please understand that your completion of this application does not guarantee that a suitable Pembroke will be found for you. Please also understand that applicants are not placed on a waiting list in the order of the date of application. Instead, in each case of selecting a home for a Pembroke all applications will be considered equally. We do this to attempt to select the most suitable home for that Pembroke in light of its health, personality, behavior and other factors. We attempt to select the most suitable Pembroke for the home in light of the answers you have given above.

In the event that a Pembroke were to be considered for adoption by you, there will be written agreements between you and the Committee/Club. In the written agreement, among other things, you would make certain agreements regarding your care of Pembroke. You would agree that the Pembroke would be returned to the Committee/Club if you do not abide by the agreements or if you could no longer take care of the Pembroke.

Please understand that, while the Committee/Club will have had the Pembroke examined by a veterinarian, the Committee/Club cannot make any guarantees regarding the health or physical condition of the Pembroke. Understand too that all expenses after the adoption (including medical expenses) relating to the Pembroke would be your responsibility.

The Pembroke will be spayed or neutered before you would adopt it. There will also be a \$250 donation (or higher amount if you wish) from you to the Club/Committee to defray expenses relating to rescue efforts prior to your adoption.

Ohio Valley Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club Rescue Committee would appreciate it, after you complete this application for Adoption and while awaiting a Pembroke, if you notify the chairman if you get another dog. Also let us know if you decide that you no longer wish to adopt a Pembroke.

You may keep up with club activities & events by going to our website [www.ohiovalleycorgi.org](http://www.ohiovalleycorgi.org).

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