

**New Member Application**  
**Sioux Empire Kennel Club**  
**Member American Kennel Club**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Second Name if applying for Household membership: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation (Name 1): \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation (Name 2): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone home Name 1: \_\_\_\_\_ work Name 1: \_\_\_\_\_ cell Name 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone home Name 2: \_\_\_\_\_ work Name 2: \_\_\_\_\_ cell Name 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Name 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Name 2: \_\_\_\_\_

List the dogs you currently own. If more room is needed, please attach an additional sheet or use reverse side.

Name	Breed	Birth date/Age
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

List titles, if any, your dog(s) hold. If more room is needed, please attach an additional sheet or use reverse side.

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

What are your areas of interest for your dog(s)? Check all that apply.

Agility: \_\_\_ Family Dog: \_\_\_ Conformation: \_\_\_ Obedience/Rally: \_\_\_ Scent Work: \_\_\_ Therapy: \_\_\_

Tracking: \_\_\_ Training: \_\_\_ Hunting/Hunt Tests and Trials: \_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe other dog activities in which you are or have been involved.

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

What is your previous dog club experience?

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

Why are you interested in joining this club?

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

Have you taken training classes with SEKC or elsewhere? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Please list classes and facility.

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

Do you breed dogs? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Name of kennel: \_\_\_\_\_  
Average number of litters per year: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever bred a non-registered litter? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, please explain:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been fined or suspended by the AKC or charged with violation of animal cruelty or neglect laws?  
Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, please explain and describe.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I agree to abide by the Constitution and Bylaws of the Sioux Empire Kennel Club and I understand the duties and responsibilities of being a member. The Constitution and By Laws are available on our website (<https://siouxempirekennelclub.org/>) or from the membership chair.

Applicant Signature Name 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature Name 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

In order to sponsor a new member, sponsors must have been a member for 12 months and be an "Active" member.

Please submit this application with a check made payable to: SEKC; ATTN: Secretary; PO Box 719, Sioux Falls 57101.

Annual dues are \$50.00 for a household; \$30.00 for regular, \$20.00 for Juniors. (Dues received between August 1 and October 31 are one-half (1/2) of the annual dues. After November 1, full price dues will be applied to the following year.)

The annual building code fee is \$30 and due with membership renewals each year and will be sent to members pending Active status verification. However, if a new member achieves Active status during the calendar year they are voted into membership, they can request the door code for that calendar year from the Membership Committee.

Active members are required to volunteer at one club event or attend two general membership meetings.

Household Membership is defined as two adult members residing in the same household.

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In order to leave a crate set up in the SEKC Clubhouse, Active members must pay the annual Crate Fee. Crate Fee payments will be tracked and updated annually. (Non-Active members do not qualify.) A colored tag will be issued for each fee paid. The tags will be coded by name and year.

Each individual member can pay for and have one (1) crate at the Clubhouse at \$30 per year. Household members will be allowed two (2) crates per household at \$45 per year.

For people applying for membership the full fee must be paid on applications submitted January 1 through July 31 (\$30/\$45). Crate Fees received between August 1 and October 31 are one-half (1/2) of the annual applicable fee (\$15/\$22.50). After November 1, the full price will be applied to the following year (\$30/\$45).

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Dues received on Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Check Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Eligibility Requirements Verified on Date: \_\_\_\_\_

First Reading Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (Applicant must be present.)

Second Reading and Approved for Membership on Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (Applicant must be present.)