

Please Read this Introduction Prior to Completing the Application

The Legend Acres Charities specializes in rescuing the stray, injured, abused and/or neglected animals of Stewart County. All our pets are fully vetted (all shots, rabies shot, heartworm negative and altered), socialized and trained to various degrees.

Our goal is to find a great match between the adopter and the animal. These animals deserve to be placed in secure, lifelong "forever" homes.

Please make sure that you have put enough thought into adopting a dog prior to adopting. Adoption of an animal is a long-term financial & emotional commitment; and should be a commitment throughout the life of the animal, which can be up to 18 years or more.

We hope you understand that the following thorough application is necessary to make sure our animals go to safe, responsible, loving and lifelong homes.

Every question on the application MUST be completed.

Sometimes we receive several applications for the same dog. We reserve the right to choose the adopter that is the best match for the dog's breed and personality; and who can provide the type of home environment best for that particular animal.

Submitting this application does not guarantee that you'll qualify or be able to adopt an animal at this time.

DO YOU RENT?

If yes, **STOP!**

You must be able to provide us with your Landlord's name & phone number. We must contact your Landlord to verify that you are allowed pets prior to the adoption.

Landlord's Name:

Phone Number:

ARE YOU 21 OR OLDER?

If no, **STOP!**

You must be 21 or older to adopt a pet from Legend Acres Charities.

~~ ADOPTING FROM A SHELTER OR A RESCUE SAVES A LIFE - THANK YOU!! ~~

PERSONAL INFO-----

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial):

Address:

City, State and Zip Code:

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email (required):

Place of Employment:

If applicable, Spouse's Place of Employment:

Why do you want a dog?

What personality traits are you looking for in a dog?

Is there a specific dog you are interested in? If yes, give name and description:

HOUSEHOLD INFO-----

Are you: Single / Married / Divorced / Living with Roommate/s

Number of other adults and their ages who are living in your household:

Do you have children? If yes, what are their names and ages?

Does everyone in your household know you plan to adopt a dog? YES / NO If no, please explain:

Pets' LIVING ARRANGEMENTS-----

Describe your residence (house, apartment, condo, mobile home):

Do you have a fenced yard? How large is the fenced area? How high is the fence?

If you don't have a fenced yard, what are your plans for the pets's exercise and toilet duties?

If you don't have a fenced yard, would you allow the pet to run off-leash?

If you don't have a fenced yard, how do you plan to confine the pet to your yard?

How much time will the pet spend alone each day?

How do you plan to keep your pet from being bored when no one is home?

Where will the pet sleep at night?

If you travel, how will you care for your pet?

What is the maximum amount of time you're willing to give the pet to adjust to you, your family and his new environment?

Would you be willing to allow us to visit you & your new pet after adoption? YES / NO If no, please explain:

For what reasons would you consider giving up or getting rid of a pet?

Some of our dogs are not housetrained. Some are, but need a little time to adjust to a new home. Are you able/willing to handle potty training issues?

Do you plan to move within the next year?

If you are active duty military, what are your plans for the dog during long deployments?

OTHER PET INFO-----

Is this your first pet?

Do you currently have other pets?

If yes, list type of pet(s) and their breed, sex and age:

Are your animals spayed or neutered?

Are they on heartworm prevention?

Other than currently owned pet/s listed above, please list any other pet/s you have owned in the past 5 years. Include name, breed, time owned, where pet was kept, if it was spayed/neutered, and what happened to the pet/s.

Have you ever relinquished one of your dogs off at a shelter or pound? If so, why?

Have you ever adopted from a shelter or rescue before?

REFERENCES-----

Who is your veterinarian?

Veterinarian's Address:

Veterinarian's Phone:

May we check your vet records? YES / NO

If no, explain why:

Please list a reference who is not related to you or live with you.

Give name, phone number, city, state and email address:

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