



GAITWAY PEMBROKE WELSH CORGI CLUB OF GREATER ST. LOUIS  
**Membership Application**

CHECK OFF TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP:

- \_\_\_\_ \$10 - ASSOCIATE - does not include voting rights  
\_\_\_\_ \$15 - SINGLE membership - 1 vote per household  
\_\_\_\_ \$20 - HOUSEHOLD membership - 2 votes per household

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

WORK PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR #1 \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR #2 \_\_\_\_\_

I AM ACTIVE IN: \_\_\_\_ BREEDING \_\_\_\_ CONFORMATION \_\_\_\_ PERFORMANCE \_\_\_\_ PET OWNER

IN ADDITION TO PEMBROKES, I OWN THE FOLLOWING BREEDS: \_\_\_\_\_

KENNEL NAME (IF APPLICABLE): \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby *make application for or renewal of* membership in **the GAITWAY PEMBROKE WELSH CORGI CLUB OF GREATER ST. LOUIS** and hereby pledge myself to accept and abide by the Code of Ethics enclosed with this application. I hereby certify my interest in PEMBROKE WELSH CORGIS and wish to show my love and respect for the breed by becoming associated with others of the fancy. I pledge my support to this Club and agree to abide by its Constitution and Bylaws.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Make Payment to: GPWCC

Dues \_\_\_\_\_

Send to: Joe Collman  
4466 West Pine Blvd., #8C  
St. Louis, MO 63108

Rescue  
Donation \_\_\_\_\_

Trophy  
Donation \_\_\_\_\_

**Total  
Enclosed** \_\_\_\_\_



## Gaitway Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club of Greater St. Louis

### CODE OF ETHICS

(adapted from the Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club of America)

1. All Gaitway Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club of Greater St. Louis (GPWCC-GSL) members shall be dedicated to the preservation and welfare of the Pembroke Welsh Corgi breed.
2. All GPWCC-GSL members and affiliate clubs must ensure their actions are in the best interest of the breed, this club, and its members.
3. The prime objective for breeding the Pembroke Welsh Corgi is to produce animals of exceptional quality.
  - A. Only dogs and bitches of sound temperament and structure, good health, and characteristic type as described in the American Kennel Club's (AKC) approved *Official Standard of the Pembroke Welsh Corgi* should be used for breeding.
  - B. Dogs and bitches should not be used for further breeding if they have, in two litters, produced offspring with the same serious genetic defect such as: blindness, deafness, lameness, or impairment of vital functions which prevent these offspring from living a normal, healthy life without major surgical or significant medical intervention.
  - C. Bitches to be bred must be in robust health. Eyes and hips should be checked and found to be within normal limits. A bitch is not to be bred prior to 1 year of age or older than 8 years, nor should she produce more than 6 litters in her lifetime. A bitch should not be bred more than 2 out of 3 consecutive heat seasons.
  - D. Stud service should be offered only to bitches whose owners adhere to the above guidelines.
  - E. A male should not be used at stud unless his hips and eyes are checked and found to be within normal limits.
  - F. Members should not consider breeding a litter unless they are prepared to keep the resultant puppies for as long as it takes to suitably place each puppy. Members offering stud service should request the above assurance from the owners of the bitches.
  - G. Members should take lifetime responsibility to ensure the Pembrokes of their breeding are cared for in a safe and healthy environment.
  - H. The breeder of a rescued Pembroke, who is a member of GPWCC-GSL shall, upon notification, provide for the Corgi's care.
4. The selling of puppies and adult Pembrokes must be accomplished in a manner that reflects the GPWCC-GSL member's care, concern, and integrity.
  - A. All puppies and adults shall be maintained and/or sold in a clean and healthy condition.
  - B. Puppies are to be a minimum of 8 weeks old, have received the appropriate vaccination and worming, and should be examined by a veterinarian prior to the sale.
  - C. A spay/neuter contract shall be used in the sale of a puppy or adult showing a very serious fault as described in the Standard or other faults such as monorchidism or cryptorchidism. Members are encouraged to use the limited registration option offered by the American Kennel Club.
  - D. Written agreements are recommended to specify details of the sale including health guarantees and the breeder's lifetime responsibility. The purchaser shall be provided with accurate valid documentation of the Pembroke's AKC registration and pedigree.
  - E. There must be no wholesaling of litters or selling of breeding stock to pet dealers, commercial retailers or distributors, or to any party for the purpose of resale. No member should be associated with an auction, lottery, or raffle involving dogs as the prize.
5. Good Sportsmanship is essential for all GPWCC-GSL members.
  - A. All Members shall conduct themselves in a manner that reflects credit on the Pembroke Welsh Corgi breed and the GPWCCGSL
  - B. Members should not engage in false or misleading advertising or other misrepresentations of their Pembroke(s).
  - C. Members should not make false or misleading statements regarding their competitor's person, Pembroke, or breeding practices.
  - D. Members shall be accountable for the actions of an employed handler as they pertain to the GPWCC-GSL code of ethics.