

NORTH COAST GREYHOUND CONNECTION INC.
FOSTER CARE AGREEMENT

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____ Best Time to call: _____

AGGREEMENT (PLEASE INITIAL AFTER EACH PARAGRAPH):

_____ 1. In order to increase the chance of a greyhound being adopted, the greyhound needs to be seen at North Coast Greyhound Connection (hereinafter referred to as "NCGC") events. I/we agree to bring the greyhound to a minimum of one event per month so long as the event is within sixty (60) miles of the above address. I/we understand that if the greyhound needs to be shown at an event greater than sixty (60) miles from the above address a representative will make arrangements with me/us in advance to pick up and drop off the greyhound.

_____ 2. I/we agree to periodically provide the NCGC Foster Coordinator or other NCGC representative with updates on the foster greyhound's progress. I/we will immediately inform NCGC in the event of any problems (medical, behavioral, etc.) that occur.

_____ 3. To minimize the potential confusion of availability, **IF** I/we are interested in adopting the foster greyhound, I/we will notify NCGC within two (2) weeks of the date of the signing of this document.

_____ 4. I/we will not dispose of or destroy the greyhound for any reason.

_____ 5. I/we will not relinquish control of the greyhound to anyone else without prior approval from an officer of NCGC. If I need to go out of town for an extended period of time, I will follow the guidelines provided in the foster manual regarding "Vacationing & Out of Town"-Pg. 4.

_____ 6. I/we agree to feed the foster greyhound in a separate but supervised area to alleviate any potential food issues.

_____ 7. I/we agree to NOT allow the greyhound on furniture or "human" beds. I/we further agree to instruct my/our children to not allow the greyhound on furniture or "human" beds.

_____ 8. I/we will closely monitor the greyhound around small children and other pets at all times, including meet and greet events. I/we will report any behavioral issues (sleep aggression, growling, etc.) to the Foster Coordinator immediately.

_____ 9. I/we will keep the greyhound in a fenced area or leashed, and ensure all safety precautions (gates, doors, etc.) to keep the greyhound from getting loose.

_____ 10. I/we agree to use a muzzle on ALL greyhounds in my control whenever they are released outside as a group.

_____ 11. I/we agree to maintain responsible care of the foster greyhound which includes but is not limited to the following: daily feeding, house training, administer any medication (if prescribed by NCGC's vet), general manners, leash walking and all other items outlined in the NCGC foster manual.

- _____ 12. I/we understand that upon request, NCGC will provide food for the foster greyhound only. I/we understand that if food is provided by NCGC to me/us, the food is only to be given to the foster greyhound(s). If I/we decide to terminate this foster agreement, any remaining food will be given back to NCGC.
- _____ 13. I/we understand that if medical care is needed, I/we will notify the President of NCGC immediately. The President will provide instructions as to where to take the greyhound for medical care. I/we understand that it will not be my/our financial responsibility for any veterinary or other medical care while the greyhound is in my/our foster capacity.
- _____ 14. I/we agree to maintain a neutral position on greyhound racing whenever promoting the greyhound.
- _____ 15. I/we will promote greyhound adoption with a positive attitude and keep negative opinions of others in the adoption or racing industry to myself/ourselves. Negativity of any kind will not be tolerated by NCGC.
- _____ 16. The intention for fostering is to care and provide basic house manners for the greyhound until adopted. If anything occurs to prevent me/us from doing this, I/we will return the greyhound immediately to NCGC.
- _____ 17. I/we will hold NCGC harmless for injuries or damages sustained to the foster parents, our personal pets or anyone else caused by the foster greyhound.
- _____ 18. I/we will not lure course (as defined in the foster manual) the foster greyhound(s).
- _____ 19. I/we acknowledge that I/we have been given a copy of the NCGC Foster manual.

PLEASE, LET'S WORK TOGETHER FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE GREYOUNDS!

Foster Parent Signature

Date

Print name

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Date

Print name

NCGC Foster Coordinator Signature

Date

Thank you for your interest in becoming a NCGC foster family.

Any questions, please contact Diane Hartman, NCGC Foster Coordinator at:

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Email: sillydogs@thewavz.com

Also, you can reach the Greyhound Coordinator, Hiede Robinette, at:

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Mobile: (419) 463-8515

Email: hiederook@yahoo.com