



Tri-State Keeshond Rescue & Railroad Application to Adopt a Keeshond

What dog are you interested in adopting? _____

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

E-mail address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Work Hours: _____ Employer: _____

Attend School _____

Other: _____

Housing:

Own ___ Rent ___

Is it a Apt. ___ Condo ___ House ___

Please use as much space as needed for all fill-in answers.

Who will be responsible for:

Feeding _____

Exercise _____

Vet Care _____

Training _____

Pets I (we) have owned:

DOGS

Breed _____ Name _____ Sex _____ Altered _____

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What happened to your last dog?

Are all dogs are current on shots?

Are all dogs on heartworm preventative and/or checked annually?

CATS

Breed _____ Name _____ Sex _____ Altered _____

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Breed _____ Name _____ Sex _____ Altered _____

Are all cats current on all required shots and annual checkups?

Other pets I (we) have owned: (Please specify)

Veterinarian used in the past five years:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

We will ask this vet for a reference.

Please answer all the questions below. There are no "right" or "wrong" answers, and there are no "trick" questions.

I want to adopt a rescue Keeshond because:

Why do you want a Keeshond? _____

Who will have ownership of this dog and what is the relationship to the applicant? _____

Who lives in your household? Please provide names and ages of all occupants, including pets.

Will the dog be kept primarily indoors or outdoors?

How will the dog receive exercise?

When you are away (vacations, business travel, etc.) what will happen to your dog?

Travel with you on trips? Yes No

Kennel? Yes No

Dog sitter? Yes No

Other: _____

**In what dog activities will the dog participate?
(Examples: obedience, agility etc.)**

My Keeshond will be alone (with no humans):

_____ hours a day _____ days of the week

Estimate the yearly expenses for a dog (food, vet visits, city license)

If you move in the future, what will happen to your pets?

Are you willing to take a dog for regular (yearly) veterinarian visits and keep current on appropriate vaccinations?

Do you know to care for a dog's coat and trim its nails?

Are you aware that a Keeshond has a heavy coat, sheds seasonally, is relatively active for its size, may bark to protect "his territory" and may dig holes?

Do any household members have allergies?

If yes, indicate to what _____

My Keeshond will not be permitted in certain parts of the house?

My Keeshond will be allowed on furniture?

Are you familiar with the use of crates?

Are you willing to use a crate, if necessary?

Are you interested in doing obedience work with your Keeshond?

We require a home check by a current Keeshond Rescue member before all placements. **Please initial here:** _____ to show that you have read this requirement and agree to allow a home check and reasonable follow-up visits.

Provide three personal references that can attest to your interest, interaction, and feelings about animals in general and dogs in particular:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____
Phone: _____ Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

I UNDERSTAND THERE IS A NONREFUNDABLE MONETARY DONATION REQUIRED AT TIME OF ADOPTION:

(write in Yes or No and initial) _____

I understand and agree that if I am, at any time in the future, unable to care for my adopted dog, that dog is to be returned to the person or persons from whom it was obtained. In the event that that is impossible, the dog **MUST** be returned to Keeshond Rescue. The dog may not be abandoned, given or sold to anyone else, or turned over to any shelter, pound, humane society or similar organization. **Please initial to indicate your acknowledgement and agreement with this clause.** _____

By signing below, I certify the information provided by me is true to the best of my knowledge and I recognize that any misrepresentation of that information will result in my losing the privilege of adopting a rescue Keeshond. I understand that Keeshond Rescue has the right to deny my request to adopt a Keeshond, and I authorize checking of all information provided in this application.

Signature: _____ Date: _____