

# **Desert Irish Wolfhound Association Membership Application / Renewal**

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Name		Male/Female	Birth Date	Color
As a member of the Desert Irish Wolfhound Association (DIWA), I/we acknowledge that we are solely responsible for control of our dog(s) and responsible for any damages or injuries that may result from my dogs' actions. I hereby waive and release DIWA, its officers, and members, from any and all liability of any nature, for injury or damage, which my dog or I may suffer or inflict.				
Signed_			Date	

Please forward completed application form with membership dues to: (Check or Money Order, Please do not mail cash.)

> Desert Irish Wolfhound Association 19901 W. Encanto Blvd. Buckeye, AZ 85396

## **Interest Descriptions**

#### **Parades**

St. Patrick's Day Parade (Phoenix, Sedona, Tucson)

#### **Festivals**

DIWA participates in the Arizona Scottish Gathering and Highland Games and the Prescott Highland Games. More are being identified – contact us to learn more.

#### **Lure Coursing**

Provides an opportunity for all registered Irish Wolfhounds to test their speed against other wolfhounds and sighthound breeds – due to Arizona's heat, this is a seasonal activity.

## **Therapy**

The Gentle Giant is ideally suited to provide comfort to people from being around dogs. Dogs are being used as Therapy Dogs in a variety of settings, such as in hospitals, nursing homes, and in some child care situations

## **Host Meetings/Activities**

Small, informal get togethers with members of like interests to get to know one another.

### **Obedience**

AKC Obedience and rally trials are available throughout the year. A registered hound might participate in both Obedience and Conformation trials at various shows throughout Arizona.

#### Conformation

"Conformation" is the official name for "dog shows." While they may seem glamorous, the true purpose of conformation showing is to evaluate breeding stock. The dog's conformation – his overall appearance and structure – is an indication of the dog's ability to produce quality purebred puppies, and that is what is being judged in the ring.

#### Re-homina

Interested in adopting a rescued Irish Wolfhound

### Transport/Foster a Rescue Hound

Provide transportation to a Foster home or Adoption family. Provide care for incoming rescues until a new forever home can be identified.