

Irish Wolfhound Rescue of the Mid South Adoption Application

<http://www.iwams.org/rescue>

Please complete all and include additional pages if necessary. Mail to:
IWAMS Rescue Coordinator, 4220 Millpoint Dr, Wake Forest NC 27587
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This application is the first part of a two-step process to qualify potential adoption homes. Please fill it out as completely as possible, and add any other information to share regarding your household. When your application is received, you will be notified and your application reviewed. We will contact you with any concerns*/**, and if resolved, your home will be included in our available adoption homes. If your home is a good match for an Irish Wolfhound (IW) that becomes available, we will interview you further on the phone based on your application and a premise check will need to be completed. IWs are placed with best match for their background and needs.

*Please note our rescue policy prohibits placement of an Irish Wolfhound (IW) in a home without a securely fenced exercise area of an appropriate size for a giant breed and sighthound. This does not include strands of electric fence, invisible fence, 3'-3.5' picket fencing, regular split rail fence without a lining of livestock wire fencing, or an enclosed area that counts on a natural barrier such as a stream, river, lakefront, canal, seawall, bushes, etc.

**Homes that don't provide annual health checkups and Veterinary care for their pets cannot be considered.

*** Adoptive hounds are not intended for breeding purposes. Hounds are not to be sterilized until they are at least 2 years old.

**** Adoptive families are to join IWAMS as an Associate if not already a member and complete three training classes within one year of completing adoption contract.

Personal Information

Names(s): _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Occupation (1): _____ Employer: _____

Phone: _____

Occupation (2): _____ Employer: _____

Phone (optional): _____

Residence: ___ House ___ Apartment ___ Mobile home ___ Condo ___ Other: _____

Do you own?: ___ Yes ___ No Do you rent?: ___ Yes ___ No Other: _____

Landlord's Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Landlord's Address: _____

How long have you lived at this address? ____ Month(s) ____ Year(s)

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Age(s) of children that the hound will have contact with: _____

What are the municipal limits for the number of dogs a homeowner may own in your area?: _____

Have you ever had to return a dog to a shelter, breeder or rescue?: Yes No Other: _____

Describe the circumstances: _____

Has anyone in your household been convicted of animal cruelty, or animal ordinance violations?: Yes No

Who in your family wants a wolfhound?: _____

Who will have primary responsibility and care for it?: _____

Are there members of your family who have allergies?: Yes No

Will you agree to join IWAMS?: Yes No

Do you provide annual veterinary care and checkups for your pets? Yes No

Have you adopted a dog(s) within the last 6 months?: Yes No

Do you plan to adopt or foster another dog(s) within the next 6 months?: Yes No

References

Personal References - please list name, address, phone number(s) and email address (if available):

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Primary Veterinarian – please list name, address and phone number: _____

Other references: _____

General

Have you had an Irish Wolfhound (IW) before? Yes No

List the breeds of dogs you have owned in the past: _____

If you no longer have them, please explain what happened to them: _____

Do you have cats?: Yes No Do you have poultry or livestock?: Yes No

List all current pets you have, age, sex and if spayed or neutered: _____

Where would you keep an IW when you are home?: _____

Where would you keep an IW when you are at work or away?: _____

Where would the IW sleep at night?: _____

Maximum hours the IW would be left alone in a 24 hour period?: _____

Describe your yard - is it fenced?: Yes No 3' Fence 4' Fence 5' Fence

Other fencing: _____

What type of fencing? Chain link Wooden Vinyl Split Rail Livestock Wire

Other: _____

How, how often, and where will your IW be exercised?: _____

Have you ever completed a dog obedience class or otherwise trained dogs?: Yes No

Do you agree to return the IW to IW Rescue if you are unable to keep it?: Yes No

May a member of Rescue visit your home and check the references you provided?: Yes No

Preferences

Describe what are you looking for in an IW?: _____

Would you consider a: Male Female Puppy Over 5 years Mix[#]

Signature: _____ Date: _____

IWAMS Signature: _____ Date: _____

Kathy Boyd / IWAMS Rescue Coordinator

[#]IWRMS does not manage adoptions of wolfhound mixes. IWRMS will notify interested potential adopters if IWRMS is made aware of a wolfhound mix.