

LaPerm Society of America Membership/Renewal Application

I apply for membership/renewal in the LaPerm Society of America

_____ Associate Member (receive quarterly newsletters & other literature-non voting)

E-mail version \$5.00; or via snail mail \$10.00 USA, \$13.00 Canada and \$15.00 overseas

_____ Voting Member (receive quarterly newsletters & other literature, vote on club business, and listing in directory. Directory is printed in the newsletter once yearly and distributed to general public.)

E-mail version \$15 for individual or \$25 for couple (2 votes if both members meet eligibility requirements.); or via snail mail \$25.00/ind., \$35.00/couple (2 votes if both members meet eligibility req.); \$28.00 ind./\$38.00 couple in Canada, and \$30.00 ind./\$40.00 couple overseas.

** Please add \$15 to your membership fee if you wish to be listed on the LPSA website.*

BY SIGNING BELOW, I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE A REGISTERED CFA CATTERY NAME, THAT I HAVE EITHER REGISTERED AT LEAST ONE LITTER OF KITTENS WITHIN THE PAST 2 YEARS WITH CFA, OR I HAVE SHOWN AT LEAST ONE LaPERM IN A CAT SHOW, OR AM A CFA BREED COUNCIL MEMBER. I WILL DOCUMENT THESE ACTIVITIES IF REQUESTED. I ALSO AGREE TO FOLLOW THE LaPERM SOCIETY OF AMERICA GUIDELINES BELOW. (Not required for associate members.)

ETHICAL GUIDELINES:

1. I will provide my cats with clean living conditions, adequate diet, adequate space, proper health care, adequate attention, and in all ways treat them humanely at all times according to the CFA Cattery of Excellence guidelines.
2. I will never place a cat or kitten with a client if I suspect that these conditions will not be met.
3. I will never give or sell kittens to pet shops or distributors for same.
4. I will always give my clients an honest appraisal of any cat or kitten, including its quality, potential as a show cat or breeder, and eligibility for registration. I will make every effort to see that my clients get what they pay for.
5. I will always provide my clients with a written contract (agreement) specifying the conditions of all sales, stud service, boarding, and all other transactions.
6. I will always provide a written pedigree and registration application(s) in a timely manner to all clients.
7. I will always make every effort to assure that the cat/kitten purchased from me is delivered in a healthy condition, free of infectious disease(s) and parasites.
8. I will always act in the best interests of the LaPerm breed and in a way that will reflect favorably on my fellow LaPerm breeders and promote the breed within CFA. If any disagreements or misunderstandings regarding my conduct should arise; I will make every effort to see that they are resolved to the satisfaction of all parties. If I cannot resolve such complaints myself, I will submit them to the LaPerm Society of America Ethics Committee for arbitration.
9. I ALSO AGREE THAT I WILL PROVIDE WRITTEN REPORTS TO THE CLUB SECRETARY OF ALL SHOWS ATTENDED (UNTIL SUCH TIME WE BECOME A FULLY RECOGNIZED BREED WITH CFA) AND LITTERS PRODUCED ALONG WITH NAMES OF SIRE AND DAM AND ALL KITTENS. I WILL ALSO PROVIDE ANY INFORMATION AS TO BIRTH DEFECTS INCLUDING THAT OF STILL BORN KITTENS, OR THOSE LOST AT LATER TIMES AND THE CAUSES OF SUCH LOSSES.
10. As a voting member of LPSA I agree to register and show cats in order to help promote the breed to Championship status and understand that I may lose my voting privileges if I don't adhere to this requirement.

Signature _____ Sponsor (required) _____ Date _____

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail address: _____

Telephone: _____

Hobbies: _____

Why do you want to join the club: _____

What skills or special interests do you have? LPSA will occasionally call upon members in the following areas for special projects or committee work. Please check all that apply.

____ membership/recruitment ____ feline medicine ____ genetics ____ small business law

____ finance/fundraising ____ writing/reporting ____ printing/publishing ____ web design

____ ethics/complaint mediation ____ art/photography ____ own IBM compatible computer

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: LaPerm Society of America or LPSA

Mail your application and check to:

Sandy Brew

Treasurer

LaPerm Society of America

4403 Old Buckingham Rd

Powhatan, VA 23139

E-Mail: bubbasmom65@hotmail.com

Please send names of potential additional members to:

Erika Fetz

Secretary

LaPerm Society of America

16 Kays Place

Peralta, NM 87042

E-mail address: tiloc1@netzero.com