

South Louisiana Vizsla Club

adoption application form

This detailed list is intended for the use to determine if both you and the vizsla breed are compatible with each other. We want to make certain we are placing a dog in a home that, hopefully, will remain there through out its entire life. We feel there is no point in placing a dog just for us to get rid of it and then have it come back to us. We believe you must be committed to provide a lot of attention to the dog as well as being involved, if not in organized activities, physical activities such as walking or letting the dog run in a field or secure area. We appreciate your interest in our rescue program and for filling out our questionnaire. This information will remain confidential.

Name:

Address:

Phone Day: Evening:

E-mail Address

Occupation(s) What are your typical work hours?

Inside home?

Outside home?

Adopter(s) Age(s)

Are you: (Circle one) Single Married Have a roommate?

Explain:

Children? Names

Ages

Are you planning to adopt this Vizsla for yourself? (circle one) Yes No

Will it live at your primary residence?

Have you ever owned a Vizsla before? Circle one) Yes No

If yes, when?

If yes, what happened to the dog?

Have you owned a dog or cat before? (circle one) No Yes

If yes, what happened to the dog or cat?

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If yes, what breed?

Where did you obtain the pet(s)?

Do you have any other pets at this time? (circle one) Yes No

If yes - Are they spayed or neutered? (circle one) Yes No

If you have dogs are they?

Dominant toward other dogs (circle one) Yes No

Dominant toward people: explain -

Submissive toward other dogs: Explain:

Submissive toward people: Explain:

If yes, describe the pet(s):

How long have you had your pets?

Have any of your dogs ever bitten anyone? Explain.

Do you?:

Own a home

Rent house

Rent apartment

Have a fenced yard

Have an unfenced pool

Have a pool with a fence around it

Have a dog run

What is the condition of the fence?

How high is it?

Can children or strangers open the gate?

How big is the yard?

What improvements are you willing to make to the fences, yards, and pools to make a vizsla safe in your yard?

Please describe type and how soon.

If you rent, does your agreement allow a dog?

Have you checked the yard for?

Dangerous articles

Poisonous plants

Other Hazards

Do you have plans to significantly change your lifestyle in the near future by?

Getting married

Having a child

Moving

Getting a divorce

Traveling extensively

Having children leave for college

Does anyone in your household have allergies to pets? (circle one) Yes No

If yes, describe.

What do you see as the pros and cons of owning a vizsla?

Pros

Cons

What made you decide to want to adopt a Vizsla?

What other breeds are you considering?

Do you know anyone who has a Vizsla? (name)

What is your family's overall reaction to having a dog?

How much time can you devote to activities like obedience classes each week?

What concerns do your family members have about owning a dog?

Are you aware that the average life span of a Vizsla is 12-14 years?

How comfortable are you with this kind of commitment?

What steps do you take when disciplining your dog?

Describe a disciplinary problem and what you would do about it?

Describe any previous obedience classes and training methods you have learned.

Describe the steps you plan to take to socialize your Vizsla.

If you have a veterinarian please provide his or her name as a reference that we may contact.

What sex of dog do you prefer? (circle one): Male Female

Why?

What age dog do you prefer? Why:?

Are you willing to return the dog to the Club if for some reason you are unable to keep it?

Are you willing to allow a Club member to visit you home?

How did you find out about the South Louisiana Vizsla Rescue?

Please provide the names and phone numbers of two other character references (not relatives) that we may contact.

Reference 1

Reference 2

Applicant Signature_____