

JCAPL Use: Volunteer Fundraiser Foster(cats/dogs) Adoption Center

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JOHNSTON COUNTY

(JCAPL)

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

P.O. Box 607, Smithfield, North Carolina 27577

(919) 989-7601

Completed applications can be mailed, faxed or emailed:

fax: 919-300-5524 | email: help@jcapl.org | www.jcapl.org

THANK YOU for your interest in volunteering with the Johnston County Animal Protection League ("JCAPL"). Volunteers play a vital role within our organization. Without your support, we would not be able to assist nearly the number of animals who need help in our community.

Please complete the Adult/Minor Volunteer Application below. Select the volunteer activities that most interest you. Please **print** your responses clearly.

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

Please list any children, and their age, who would accompany you to the events below:

Name _____ Age: _____ Name _____ Age: _____

Name _____ Age: _____ Name _____ Age: _____

Do you have experience working with animals? No Yes If yes, please describe:

Describe any present or previous volunteer work you have done:

Please check the volunteer opportunities you would like to participate in:

<input type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach	<input type="checkbox"/> PetSmart Luv-A-Pet Center for Cats
<input type="checkbox"/> Adoption Events	<input type="checkbox"/> Humane Education
<input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising	<input type="checkbox"/> Fostering <input type="checkbox"/> Canine <input type="checkbox"/> Feline
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Events for Families and Their Pets	<input type="checkbox"/> Spay/Neuter Program

Do you have pets? No Yes Dogs Cats Other _____

Please check the animals you are comfortable handling, working with or fostering:

Small/Med Dogs Med/Large Dogs Puppies Cats Kittens



Many times we need help transporting animals to and from events, veterinarian appointments, etc. Do you have a valid North Carolina Driver's license? Yes No

How did you hear about the volunteer opportunities with the Johnston Co. Animal Protection League?

Website PetSmart School Facebook Friend

FOSTER APPLICANTS ONLY

Will this be your first foster? No Yes

Do you prefer (Check all that apply):

Male Female Either Baby Young Adult Senior Either

Do you Rent/Own. If Rent please provide landlord contact information _____

Is your yard fenced? No Yes If no, how will you address exercise a canine? _____

Are your pets current on vaccines/flea, heartworm preventatives and FIV/FelLeuk tested?

No Yes Vet's name and contact information: _____

Are you able to transport your foster to vet appointments and adoption events? No Yes

Are you willing to administer medication or take dog to obedience training if needed No Yes

The following waiver must be signed by all Volunteers and their legal guardian if the Volunteer is under age 18. Volunteers under 16 requires Guardian present. We reserve the right to deny any Volunteer that does not follow instructions.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

For and in consideration of a Volunteer being allowed to work with animals from JCAPL, I, the above-named Volunteer hereby fully and forever release, discharge, acquit and exonerate JCAPL, its volunteers, affiliates and all others acting on its behalf, as the context permits, from any and all claims, actions, causes of action, remedies and complaints of any kind which I have or may in the future have, whether known or unknown, arising out of or relating to the animals or my volunteer work for JCAPL, including specifically all claims for personal injury, paralysis, wrongful death, property damage and all claims resulting from any injury inflicted by the animals.

I recognize and accept all risks associated with unpredictable animal behavior on behalf of me or any minor of who I am Guardian. I specifically assume all risks arising out of or relating to the care and handling of the animals. I recognize that JCAPL and/or its agents, volunteers, or affiliates make no representations whatsoever as to the past history of the animals and whether or not they are safe animals.

I agree to defend, indemnify and hold harmless JCAPL from any and all claims and costs, including attorney fees, arising out of or relating to the animals.

I have read the foregoing and voluntarily agree to the terms set out above and so indicate by signing and dating the appropriate place below.

I have received and agree to the Foster Guidelines and Agreement Yes N/A

Volunteer signature: _____ Date: _____

Guardian signature: _____ (if applicable) Date: _____

JCAPL Representative: _____ Date: _____





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The foster care you will provide in your homes is as follows:

I agree to carefully review the Foster Guidelines and Agreement provided by the JCAPL Foster Coordinator or Board Member and will ask necessary questions before taking any animals (hereinafter referred to as foster) into my care. I will promptly address matters of concern to the JCAPL Foster Coordinator or Board Member. This Foster Agreement will refer to singular tense hereinafter and the intent is the same shall apply whether singular, plural or multiple foster are under care simultaneously.

It is recommended foster homes quarantine all new foster animals for approximately 2 weeks from resident animals until it is assured that the animal does not have any medical issue to pass along to resident animals, especially if they come from an animal shelter environment.

Any medical care needs for the foster animal will be provided by the JCAPL veterinarians. This ensures that the foster animal gets consistent care and all records for the animals are centralized. If veterinarian care is needed it **must first be approved and scheduled** by a JCAPL Board Member ("Board") or Foster Coordinator. Any care done to a foster animal without approval will not be paid for or reimbursed by the JCAPL.

All dogs and cats belonging to the foster home must be up-to-date on all vaccinations including Rabies, DHLPP and Bordetella, to help prevent Kennel Cough, and FVRCP for cats, and all animals should be spayed or neutered.

The JCAPL is not responsible for any veterinary bills for the foster homes resident dogs or cats for any exposure to the foster animal brought into the home. No medications provided by JCAPL for a foster animal are to be administered to personal pets.

I agree to provide daily nutritious meals (Purina, Iams, equivalent or better, unless otherwise pre-approved by Foster Coordinator), fresh water, grooming, a safe environment inside my home, clean litter and appropriate shelter for the foster. Food, crate, collar, leash and litter are provided by the JCAPL. JCAPL is not responsible for any other expenses unless agreed upon by the board in advance. Donated items are provided to the foster animal as they are received.

I agree to provide weekly updates regarding my foster to the assigned JCAPL Foster Coordinator and will to keep the Coordinator informed of the foster animal's behavior and health if any issue arises.

Canine foster homes (puppy/dog) will be offered to attend a Leadership/Behavior Workshop (Well Mannered Seminar) by Topline K9 Solutions (www.toplinek9obediace.com). This workshop is free to all Johnston County Animal Protection League Fosters. There is also a free Foster Workshop provided for you and your foster dog to attend.

I agree to never leave my foster unattended in a vehicle when it is 75 degrees or hotter, even with the windows rolled down. I understand that this can cause heat stroke and the death of an animal. All foster homes agree to accept primary responsibility for temporary lodging and care for their foster animal. Foster homes agree to never strike or choke an animal in attempt to discipline.
I agree to never leave my foster dog tied up.



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I agree to never let my foster cat outside.

I agree to make sure that any adult foster dog is wearing a collar that securely fits with the proper identification tag fastened to the collar with readable name and phone number on tag or Rabies tag.

I agree to keep my foster current on required vaccines, heartworm preventative, flea & tick medications and to update my foster's medical record when medical care or monthly vaccines are administered while in my care.

I agree to ensure that vet records and all medicines are present with foster at all adoption events in case the foster is adopted during the event, or in case of emergency.

I agree that when the foster is ready for adoption I will have the foster available for showing. I agree to allow potential adopters to visit the foster at a location agreed upon with the potential adopters. Foster homes agree to bring their foster animals to adoption events regularly (minimum twice monthly, or make other arrangements to facilitate an adoption). This is the primary method of matching up potential adopters to the foster animal.

The foster puppy/dog must be at least 8 weeks of age and have at least 2 DHLPP vaccinations before attending events, and must be spayed or neutered, and have a Rabies vaccine to attend an event at PetSmart, no exceptions.

The foster kitten/cat must be at least 9 weeks old, 2 pounds, have 1 FVRCP vaccine, negative fecal report and FIV/FelLeuk tested. If a foster animal has special needs or needs training for a period of time, they would not have to attend the adopt event.

I agree that JCAPL will make the final decision regarding permanent placement of the foster with my recommendation as Foster care giver considered.

If I choose to adopt a foster as my own companion, I understand that I must go through the proper JCAPL adoption procedure and agree to pay the appropriate adoption fee.

The Board reserves the right to limit the number of foster animals in a single foster home at any given time. There must be a vote by all board members.

Foster homes are asked to provide at least 3 quality jpeg pictures of their foster animals for posting on websites advertising their adoption (e.g. Petfinder and Adopt-A-Pet) and biographic information needed for posting (including age, sex, breed, size when grown, and antics).

Any animal that is subsequently taken into foster care after the initial animal(s) being fostered, falls under the same terms of this agreement, whether named or unnamed, providing JCAPL has authorized them being inducted into the system of foster care.

I _____ completely understand the Fostering Guidelines and Agreement set forth by the Johnston County Animal Protection League (JCAPL) and agree to follow them outlined in the "Foster Contract" provided to me by JCAPL.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date Signed: _____

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JCAPL Board Member's Signature: _____

JCAPL Board Member's Name Printed: _____