

Woody's Place Senior German Shepherd Sanctuary, Inc.
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"We are that place in the country where old dogs come to retire."

Volunteer Application

Woody's Place Senior German Shepherd Sanctuary, Inc. (WPSGSS), was established in March, 2011 in an effort to rescue, rehabilitate, and potentially rehome abandoned senior German Shepherds, as well as act as a forever home and/or hospice if needed.

Woody's Place is operated by volunteers who share a love of all dogs, but particularly senior German Shepherds. A common desire we share is to improve the quality of life, to the best of our ability, for abandoned senior German Shepherds during their remaining years.

We here at Woody's Place are thrilled that you have expressed an interest in helping our organization. Please look over and fill out this Volunteer Application, and thoroughly read the Volunteer Guideline and Agreement. Once you have read and filled out this document, please mail it to the address above or email a scanned copy to the email address above. After reviewing your information, one of our representatives will be in touch with you regarding your availability and volunteer activities you wish to participate in.

Today's Date: _____

Name: _____ Address: _____

Telephone number: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Email: _____

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

1. What other animals currently live in your home (Please list and explain each animal listed)

Name Type of pet Sex Age How long Owned?

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

D. _____

E. _____

* Please use back of paper if you have more than 5 animals to list.

2. Are all of your pets spayed or neutered? Yes_____ No_____ If not why? _____

3. Are all of your pets up to date on their shots and heartworm preventative? Yes_____ No_____

4. Who is your current Veterinarian? (If none, please list previous vet)

Name_____ Phone number_____

Please let them know that one of our representatives may be calling

5. Do you have experience/training in any of the following dog- related areas of work? (Check all that apply)

Dog Breeding _____ Dog Training_____ Dog Grooming_____ Dog Walking_____

Kennel Assistance_____ Pet Store Sales_____ Animal Rescue_____ Veterinary Assistant_____

If you checked off any of the above, please briefly explain the nature and extent of your work/experiences.

6. Do you have experience with senior dogs, particularly senior German Shepherds? Yes___ No___

If "yes", please explain:

7. Are you comfortable approaching dogs that you do not know? Yes_____ No_____

8. Do you understand that dogs may be unpredictable and that Woody's Place cannot guarantee that a dog, which we are attempting to help, may become aggressive? Yes_____ No_____

9. If you plan to be hands on with our dogs and/or assist in transporting of our dogs, do you agree to accept the potential risk involved when dealing with a rescue dog in and/or out of your vehicle? Yes_____ No_____

10. Have you ever been investigated for, or charged with any crime(s), including crimes related to the treatment of or cruelty to animals? Yes_____ No____ If "yes", Please explain.

11. Please check all areas below in which you would like to participate in.

Events/fund-raising_____ Phone calls(making/receiving)_____ Dog evaluations_____

Dog transport_____ Assisting with the dogs_____ Interviewing adoption candidates_____

Homechecks_____ Social media_____ Volunteer coordinating_____ Fostering_____

12. If you are willing to transport, do you have a current driver's license? If "yes":

Driver's license #_____ State driver's license was issued_____

13. In a few words, please explain why you are interested in volunteering for Woody's Place.

14. Please list three references NOT RELATED TO YOU whom we may contact. Please state their relationship to you.

NamePhone# (area code) Relationship

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

I have accurately read and completed this application in its entirety. I have answered each question to the best of my knowledge and in a truthful manner. I understand there are some risks when working with dogs who can be unpredictable, and I agree to assume the risks implicated in working with these dogs. I agree to hold Woody's Place, its directors, members, volunteers, representatives, and employees. harmless for any injury(s) which I may sustain during the course of my volunteer duties. This waiver includes me, all of my

family members, and descendants from ever seeking any legal action whatsoever against Woody's Place Senior German Shepherd Sanctuary, it's directors, members, volunteers, representatives, and employees.

Signature of Volunteer: _____ Date: _____

Woody's Place Representative: _____ Date: _____

For Woody's Place Use Only:

Foster interview done by: _____ Date: _____

References checked by: _____ Date: _____

Approved by: _____ Date: _____