



By-Laws

1. The Annual Subscription shall be determined in accordance with Clause 44 of the Constitution, and shall be in respect of the period 1st July to 30th June. A joining fee shall be charged for new memberships. That joining fee shall include the information book.
The Annual Subscription shall be:
Single Member \$40.00
Dual Member \$50.00
Junior Member \$ 5.00
Overseas/Interstate \$40.00
2. The Office Bearers shall consist of:
President
Two (2) Vice Presidents
Secretary
Assistant Secretary
Treasurer;
The Committee of the Club shall consist of not more than twelve (12) persons.
3. The quorum for a meeting shall be:
Committee Meeting - 50% of the members of Committee
General Meeting of Members - ten (10) financial members
4. The Membership of the Club shall consist of:
Ordinary Membership;
Joint Membership
Life Member (any person may be nominated as a Life Member of the Club, in recognition of services rendered to the Club, or services rendered towards any of the objects of the Club);
Overseas and Interstate Membership;
Junior Membership (any person under the age of 16 years of age may be a Junior Member of the Club, but shall cease to be a Junior Member at the end of the Financial Year in which he/she attains their sixteenth year).
5. To be President, Secretary or Treasurer of the Rottweiler Club of Victoria Inc. a person must serve twelve (12) months on Committee prior.
6. Any person named on Dual Membership forms are each entitled to a vote.
7. All members other than Junior Members are entitled to a vote.
8. Any motion which affects or changes the Club Code of Ethics (or Code of Behaviour) or HD Scheme regulations or By-Laws of the Club or freedom of action of members in relation to breeding shall be subject to Notice of at least twenty-eight (28) days.
9. Hip Dysplasia
The Rottweiler Club approved Hip Scoring Scheme is the accepted method for evaluating Hip Status for the Rottweiler Club of Victoria Inc.

10. Breeding Age at Breeding:

Dog - Not younger than 18 months

Bitch - Not younger than 24 months at time of whelping

Stud service will be refused to any bitch under 22 months or which is in poor health or has serious faults.

Repeat service will be allowed within the following 12 months, where a bitch has failed to conceive after being bred, if the stud is still available and in good health and at such time and place as mutually agreed to by the owner of the bitch and the owner of the stud dog.

11. Placement of Rottweilers

Buyers of puppies or adult dogs will receive accurate health, breeding and registration records and a three generation pedigree. Registration papers may be withheld by adhering to V.C.A. Inc. Rules and Regulations.

12. Placement of Rottweilers

The Sales Agreement supplied by the Rottweiler Club of Victoria inc. will be used with any sale or purchase involving a Rottweiler. Where a written Sales Agreement is not prepared the conditions of the Sales Agreement are deemed to be included.

13. Enforcement

Upon receipt of sufficient written proof of violations of the Code of Ethics or By-Laws, the Committee of the Rottweiler Club of Victoria Inc. may proceed with an investigation into the alleged violations and take appropriate action.

In all matters of Common Meeting Procedure the book -"Law and Procedure at Meetings- Australia and New Zealand" (Joske) shall be used.

Passed by a special meeting of members 1/11/90.

Accepted by the VCA Inc (then KCC) on 12/12/90.

Updated and passed by Members 12/5/94.