

This Is The Dog!

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This is the Dog! does not have a shelter. We are a Foster Home Network and our rescued dogs are in foster homes with volunteers and the people who find the dogs. As a volunteer, you are an advocate for our mission to reduce the homeless animal population by promoting & educating about spay and neuter.

INITIAL _____

Community Service Hours- Volunteers should provide their own forms to be signed at the end of each event. Forms will be signed at the end of each event by a lead volunteer. Volunteers are responsible to keep count of all hours. When you have finished the hours you need, please provide This is the Dog! with your totals on the signed form. A lead volunteer will give you your signed community service letter.

INITIAL _____

This is the Dog! volunteer t-shirt is required to be worn after 12 hours of community service. T-shirt Donation \$5 or more. Thank you. If you do not have a volunteer shirt, please wear a solid colored t-shirt and a name tag will be provided. Please wear sneakers or closed toe shoes for safety.

INITIAL _____ **Donation** _____

PETCO Adoption shows are the 1st & 3rd Saturday of every month from 12:00-3:30 pm (or sometimes longer). Volunteers are assigned to hold a dog during the adoption show. Volunteers are expected to walk and take care of the assigned dog and also to clean up and make sure the dog gets enough water throughout the day.

INITIAL _____

I understand that public relations are an important part of volunteering with This is the Dog! I, therefore, agree on behalf of myself, my heirs, my personal representatives, and my executors, to allow This is the Dog! to use any photographs taken of me for use in public relations efforts. This is the Dog! will use reasonable efforts to notify me before use, but such notification is not a condition of photographs being released for public relations purposes.

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I understand that I may be asked to take photographs with a personal camera. I agree to ask permission to take photographs of any volunteer. I will not take photographs of PETCO employees or customers.

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PETCO AGE REQUIREMENTS

18 years old & older -Volunteer must sign the volunteer sheet when service hours begin and when service hours end for the day. We are happy to have you help us. It is very hard to find committed adults to volunteer.

16 & 17 year olds -Volunteer and Parent/Legal guardian must sign the volunteer sheet at drop off and pick up. The volunteer must report to a This is the Dog! Lead Volunteer.

15 years old & under - Volunteer and Parent/Legal guardian must sign the volunteer sheet at drop off and pick up. Must have Parent/Legal Guardian or other adult volunteer present and take responsibility during the volunteer service time. Volunteers must stay with the adult volunteer at all times.

NOTE: Lead Volunteers have many obligations during PETCO events & might have their own children with them. Do not count on them being available.

Age requirements for other events

Dog Wash- **14 years old & older** can volunteer. Volunteer and Parent/Legal guardian must sign the volunteer sheet at drop off and pick up. **13 & under** must be with your parent/legal guardian at all times.

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VOLUNTEER WAIVER/RELEASE FORM

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I, _____

(Volunteer name or parent/legal guardian name if under 18 & child/ward's name)

agree to release, discharge, indemnify, and hold harmless. This is the Dog! for any and all damage to my personal property or my children's property while performing my volunteer services with This is the Dog! in a volunteer capacity. This may also include assisting in adoptions of pets through This is the Dog! at other venues. I recognize that in handling animals with This is the Dog! while performing my volunteer services, there exists a risk of injury, including personal, physical harm. On behalf of myself, my heirs, my personal representatives and executors, I hereby release, discharge, indemnity and hold harmless This is the Dog! its agents, servants, and associates and our adoption partner PETCO and it's agents and employees as well as our veterinarian partners & rescue group partners from any and all claims, causes of action or demands, of any nature or cause connected with my Volunteer Agreement and Release. This might include costs and attorneys' fees and court costs incurred by This is the Dog! its agents, servants, and associates and our adoption partner PETCO and it's agents and employees as well as our veterinarian partners & rescue group partners in connection with my volunteer services based on damages or injuries which might be incurred or sustained but are not limited to animal bites, scratches, accidents, injuries and personal property damage.

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE FOREGOING VOLUNTEER AGREEMENT AND RELEASE AND THAT I WILL COMPLY WITH SAME.

Volunteer Name - Please Print _____ Volunteer Age _____

Volunteer Signature _____ Date _____

Volunteer Phone Number _____ Number for texting _____

Volunteer Email Address _____

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN (if volunteer is under 18 years of age)

As a parent or legal guardian of the above-mentioned volunteer, I hereby give my consent to allow my child/ward to volunteer services with This is the Dog! as described within this Volunteer Agreement and Release Form. I have read this Volunteer Agreement and Release Form and fully understand its terms and conditions. On behalf of my child/ward and myself, I agree to all terms and conditions as set out in the Volunteer Agreement and Release Form.

Parent/Legal Guardian- (Please print) _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature _____ Date _____