



**HEART OF MICHIGAN BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG CLUB, INC.
NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Please complete one application form for each primary membership application. Secondary memberships may use the same form as the primary if applying at the same time. Please remember to include the \$4.00 application fee with this application form. Print clearly and send your completed application and fee(s) with checks made payable to HMBMDC, Inc. and mail to:

**Fred Stauch
P.O. Box 1252
Ann Arbor, MI 48106-1252**

Name (Primary Member):	Occupation:
Name (Secondary Member):	Occupation:
Address:	
City, State, Zip:	Phone Number:
Email Address:	Personal Website:

DUES SCHEDULE	
Application Fee (one per application form)	\$ 4.00
Primary Adult Membership Fee (one adult)	\$25.00
Secondary Adult Membership (same household)	\$12.50

Children under 18 are welcome to attend meetings and events with their parents and dogs at no additional cost. We also have a separate Junior Membership application form for those under 18 who are interested in joining the club. Make checks payable to HMBMDC, Inc.

Do you own Bernese Mountain Dogs? Not Yet _____ Yes, since _____

What is/are your dog's call name(s)? _____

Registered name(s) (optional): _____

If you breed, what kennel names(s) do you use? _____

Are you a member of the Bernese Mountain Dog Club of America? Yes _____ No _____

Why do you want to join our club?

We'd like to know more about your interests. Please take a moment to check them off.

Activity	Already Doing	Want More Info	Activity	Already Doing	Want More Info
Backpacking			Showing		
Carting			Therapy Dogs		
Herding			Tracking		
Obedience			Rescue		
Agility			Breeding		

Want to be more active in the club? Please indicate an area of potential interest. No experience necessary!

Interested?		COMMITTEE
Primary	Secondary	
		No committee interests at this time
		Awards: Organize awards program for members and their dogs.
		Breed Education / Breeder Referral: Provide materials to help educate all people about Bernese Mountain Dogs. Organize events to get this information out to club members and the public. Maintain official Club Breeder Referral List. Be the contact point for people looking to get a Bernese Mountain Dog. Help educate them about the breed and get them in contact with breeders.
		Draft: Organize drafting workshops and clinics. Provide instruction and encourage members to try drafting with their dogs. Keep abreast of Draft Test rule changes by the BMDCA and help organize our fall Draft Test.
		Fun Match: Plans the biggest club event of the year! Plan, organize and run the Fun match event. Includes set up, stewarding, judging and recording results.
		Fund Raising: Fund raising for the support of the various club activities
		Health: Promote the health and welfare of BMDs by providing relevant health information and education, encouraging participation in research on BMDs and organizing events to promote health related activities, such as clinics, seminars, etc.
		Historian: Documents the history of the club through collecting newsletters, flyers, meeting minutes and photos. Maintains a club scrapbook with that information in it.
		Information Technology: Maintains club web site. Develops club databases. Provides guidance on technology issues for the club.
		Junior Membership: Develops program of activities for Jr. Members. Helps expand the program by attracting more juniors to become members. Publishes newsletter for Jr. Members.
		Membership: Contact for prospective members. Provides club information and coordinates the application process. Maintains membership information in the club database. Publishes the membership directory.
		Newsletter: Collects information, photos and articles from club members for inclusion into the Club Newsletter. Develops, prints and mails the newsletter to all club members on a quarterly basis.
		Supported Entry: Works with the Board of Directors and the BMDCA to support the entry of Bernese Mountain Dogs at an AKC conformation show. Organizes sweepstakes if appropriate.
		Ways and Means: Raise funds so the club can hold events for members. Responsible for raffles, sponsorship drive and sales of merchandise at club events.

Would you like to be notified of club activities by electronic mail in place of mailed flyers? Yes _____ No _____

I agree to abide by the rules of the American Kennel Club and the bylaws of the Heart of Michigan Bernese Mountain Dog Club, Inc.

Applicant Signature

Date

Sponsorship: Our bylaws require that you be sponsored by two unrelated members of the Heart of Michigan Bernese Mountain Dog Club, Inc.

Sponsor #1 Signature _____ Sponsor #2 Signature _____

Sponsor # 1 Printed _____ Sponsor #2 Printed _____

Is this your breeder? Yes _____ No _____ Is this your breeder? Yes _____ No _____