

CHEROKEE ROD & GUN CLUB 2024 NEW MEMBER APPLICATION FORM

Cherokee Rod & Gun Club, Attn: Membership, P.O. Box 954, Kingsport, TN 37662

INFORMATION FOR NEW MEMBERS:

A person 18 years of age or older may be considered for membership in the Club subject to the following conditions:

The prospective member must be of suitable character and interest and **must be sponsored by two current club members** (include names and membership numbers on application form) in good standing.

- If the prospective member <u>cannot supply two sponsors</u>, they **must complete** an interview in person at the Club Office during regular office hours or complete a phone interview.
- Membership at Cherokee is a <u>family membership</u>, which entitles the member's spouse and dependent children who are not in the work force to use the Club's facilities <u>under the rules & regulations</u> set forth by the Board of Directors. (A copy of Club rules will be provided at Safety Orientation).
- New members and family members utilizing club facilities <u>must attend</u> a regularly scheduled **Safety Orientation** before you receive a membership card/gate key.
- **All members** are <u>required to perform</u> 4 hours of eligible and verifiable club service each year. If you are unable or unwilling to do so, <u>you are required to pay</u> a \$20 yearly maintenance fee.
- Every prospective member must fill out this application. You may join for **2024** any time after December 1st of **2023**. We do not prorate dues, due to our gate locks.
- The expiration date of membership is February 28th of each year. If you do not renew your
 membership within 12 months of the expiration date, you will have to submit a New Member
 application for approval, pay the initiation fee and complete the orientation again.
- Upon receipt of your application and the correct dues amount, you will be presented to the
 membership for approval at our next regular Club meeting. You do not have to be present to be
 approved.
- NOTE: YOU WILL ONLY BE CONTACTED IF YOUR APPLICATION IS NOT APPROVED.
- New members <u>must attend</u> a regularly scheduled **Safety Orientation** of club facilities before you receive a membership card/gate key.
- All Safety Orientations are completed after you are accepted for Membership.
- Safety Orientations generally begin at 1:45PM on the 2nd Sunday and 3rd Tuesday of the month. See the online club calendar for exact time and dates.
- There are no Safety Orientations held on major holidays or holiday weekends unless otherwise noted on the Club calendar located at www.cherokeerodandgunclub.com.
- Regular office hours are the 1st Thursday of each meeting night, starting 6:00 PM.
- NOTE Meetings may be canceled. Check website before driving to meeting.

INITIATION, MEMBERSHIP DUES & MAINTENANCE FEES: (All dues and fees must accompany application)

- \$50 Initiation fee plus
 - o \$120 2023 dues for ages 18 to 64 years or \$140 (if 4 hours Club service is not performed).
 - o \$90 2023 dues for ages 65 to 74 years or \$110 (if 4 hours Club service is not performed).
 - \$50 2023 dues for ages 75 years & older or \$70 (if 4 hours Club service is not performed).
- For age 65 and older, **proof of age is required** when mailing the application or renewing in person. (Example: include a copy of your Driver's License or other positive identification).
- Note: <u>Extra Gate Cards</u> are an additional \$5.00 each. Each person receiving a card must attend an orientation. 16 & 17-year old's must also have a Hunter Safety Training certificate on file prior to the orientation.

(We accept correct cash, checks or money orders made payable to Cherokee Rod & Gun Club)

For questions regarding membership. Please contact the membership coordinator via: www.cherokeerodandgunclub.com



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Application Date:	D	Date Received in Office:		
Name:First		Date of Birth: MI Last Required for Everyone		
First	MI Last	Required for Every	one	
Assigned Membership #:	Proof of age required for a	ge 65 or older [] Attached [] On file [] Viewe	d	
Address:	Apt #	CITY:		
State: Zip code: _	Home Phone:	Cell:		
	ship. Check one: [] Yes [] No (will no	ground check on me prior to being present be voted on) Date:	ntec	
E-Mail address:	nave access to the Internet)			
(Write N/A if you DO NOT I	nave access to the Internet)	.l		
Skills willing to Share.	(not required)	iterest:		
Name of Spouse: [] NONE	(not required)			
List Dependent Children: (full t	(First Name) ime student, to age of 26 years of age	e) [] None		
1. DOB:	2. DOB:	3DOB:		
4 DOB:	5 DOB:	e required to have a Hunter's Safety Training		
Course Certification on file & comp	plete an SO. Certification #C DUES & FEES PAYAE	Copy Enclosed: [] Yes [] No [] On file		
Pay: [] \$170 ([] No, I will not be per Pay: [] \$190 (age 18-64) or [] \$160 (age 65-74	e extra maintenance fee (Initial) 1) or [] \$120 (age 75+)		
[] *Extra Cards: \$5 each	# of cards x \$5 =	(see information on reverse side	de)	
	t Enclosed (checks or money orders ALL DUES & FEES MUST ACCOMPANY T	s made payable to Cherokee Rod & Gun Cl HE APPLICATION)	ub)	
Sponsoring members: 1.	#	2. #		
	Member Name member		er#	
NOTE: If you do not know anyo	one in the club, see INFORMATION FO	OR NEW MEMBERS pg.1:		
	(SHADED AREAS FOR OFFICE	USE ONLY)		
Dues paid		MF paid		
EC#/\$	Background Satisfactory: _			
[] Cash Money Order #	! (Check number:		
Bank:				
Date voted in:	Date of safety orientati	on:Per:		
Name of Spouse:				
Name of Child:				
Received my Gate Card				