

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS OF THE AMERICAN FOX TERRIER CLUB

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Pending AKC approval

These Bylaws are subject to and governed by the State of New Jersey Not-For-Profit Corporation Laws and Articles of Incorporation of the American Fox Terrier Club. In the event of a direct conflict between the provisions of these bylaws and the mandatory provisions of the New Jersey State Not-For-Profit Corporation Laws, the New Jersey State Not-For-Profit Laws will be controlling.

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the Club shall be “The American Fox Terrier Club.”

ARTICLE II – PURPOSE

SECTION 1. To promote the breeds of pure fox terriers; to define precisely the true type and to urge the adoption of such type by breeders, judges, dog show committees, and others as the only recognized standards of the breeds as approved by The American Kennel Club by which fox terriers should be judged. To do all possible to protect and advance the interest of the breeds by encouraging sportsmanlike competition at dog shows, sanctioned matches and other licensed events held under the Rules and Regulations of The American Kennel Club. To encourage the organization of independent local specialty clubs in those localities where there are sufficient fanciers of the breeds to meet the requirements of The American Kennel Club.

SECTION 2. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, officers, directors, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions on furtherance of the purposes set forth in the Constitution or in ARTICLE II of the Bylaws.

SECTION 3. The members of the club shall adopt and may from time to time revise such bylaws as may be required to carry out these objects.

ARTICLE III – STANDARDS

The Fox Terrier Standards shall be changed only upon recommendation by the Board of Governors of the American Fox Terrier Club. Any change in said standards which shall be recommended by said Board of Governors can be made only after it shall be approved by a two-thirds vote of the members of the Club taken at any Annual Meeting and subject to the approval of The American Kennel Club; and shall not take effect until six months after its approval.

ARTICLE IV – OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

SECTION 1. The club shall be governed by a Board of Governors consisting of twelve (12) members; six (6) Smooth Fox Terrier members, and six (6) Wire Fox Terrier members. The Board shall be elected as follows: Each year the members shall elect three Governors from those nominated as provided in Article V to hold office for four (4) years or until their successors are elected in manner hereinafter provided in Article V. Make-up of the Board of Governors must reflect equal breed representation for Wire Fox Terrier and Smooth Fox Terrier members at all times

SECTION 2. The Board of Governors shall have full power at any time to remove any officer of this Club and any member of the Board of Governors for conduct in their opinion prejudicial to the best interest of the Club, and to fill any vacancy by vote of a majority of the members of the Board which vote may be taken via regular mail or electronic mail.

SECTION 3. The Board of Governors shall have general charge of the management and affairs of the Club.

SECTION 4. The Board of Governors shall have full power; (a) To make all arrangements for all shows which the Club shall give, OR (b) To designate and appoint a committee of not less than three members of the American Fox Terrier Club, one of whom must be a member of the Board of Governors, to make all arrangements for any such shows, (c) To determine the amount of any prize money which the Club shall offer at any show to be held by any other club or clubs at which Fox Terriers shall be exhibited.

SECTION 5. The Board of Governors shall have full power to appoint and remove the Delegate of the American Fox Terrier Club to the American Kennel Club. The Delegate so appointed shall serve until his successor has been appointed and duly elected by The American Kennel Club.

ARTICLE V - NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF GOVERNORS

SECTION 1. The Board of Governors, on or before the 15th day of May in each year, shall designate a Nominating Committee consisting of three members and two alternates, chosen from different areas of the United States, no one of whom shall be a sitting Governor of the Club. The Board of Governors shall name a Chairperson for the Committee.

SECTION 2. The duty of the Committee shall be to nominate three candidates for Governor from the membership to hold office for four years or until their successors are elected in the manner provided in Article V. Nominations by the committee must be consistent in number with breed representation of those members whose terms are expiring in order to ensure balance between Wire Fox Terrier and Smooth Fox Terrier members on the Board of Governors. Members of the Club who are active in both breeds must notify the Secretary of the club in writing which breed they choose to represent before they are eligible for nomination as a candidate for the board. The Committee should consider geographical representation of the membership on the Board to the extent that it is practical to do so. The Nominating Committee may conduct its business via regular mail or electronic mail.

SECTION 3. The Nominating Committee shall report its nominations in writing via regular mail or electronic mail to the Secretary of the Club on or before the 15th day of June. The Secretary shall send the slate of candidates via regular mail or electronic mail including the full name, state of residence and a brief biographical sketch of each candidate to each member of the Club on or before the 30th day of June, so that additional nominations may be made by the members if they so desire.

SECTION 4. Additional nominations of members in good standing may be made by written petition via regular or electronic mail addressed to the Secretary and at his/her regular mailing address via regular mail or to their electronic address on or before July 31st. Such petition must be signed by at least 10 members and be accompanied by the written acceptance of the nominee. In order for an individual to be nominated in this manner, there must be at least one upcoming vacancy on the Board in the same breed that this individual has chosen to represent. No other nomination can be considered.

SECTION 5. If no other valid nominations are received by the Secretary on or before July 31st, the Nominating Committee's slate shall be declared elected at the Annual Meeting and no further balloting shall be required.

SECTION 6. If one or more valid additional nominations are received by the Secretary on or before July 31st, the Secretary or designated independent firm shall, on or before the 15th day of August, mail via regular mail or electronic mail to each member in good standing a ballot listing all the nominees in alphabetical order, their State of residence, the breed that they have chosen to represent, and a brief biographical sketch of each. If via regular mail there shall be included a blank envelope marked BALLOT and a return envelope addressed to the Secretary or a designated independent teller and bearing the name of the member to whom it was sent. So that the ballots may remain secret, each voter shall seal their marked ballot in the blank envelope and place it in the envelope provided addressed to the Secretary or a designated independent teller for mailing. If via electronic mail the balloting shall be conducted via a secure electronic voting system conducted by an independent firm as allowed by the state of incorporation and AKC policy.

SECTION 7. In order to be validated, all ballots must be received, by regular mail, or by the independent teller, in the envelopes provided or by a secure electronic voting system no later than September 15th. Any ballots not so received by 11:59 PM on that date shall be invalid and will not be considered.

SECTION 8. All ballots shall be opened and counted by a teller committee, independent teller or by a secure electronic voting system prior to the Annual Meeting, and the results reported by the Secretary at the Annual Meeting. The Candidates receiving the highest number of votes within each breed, consistent with the number of breed representatives whose terms are expiring, shall be declared elected.

SECTION 9. The club's official year shall begin immediately at the conclusion of the election and the annual meeting, and shall continue through the election at the next annual meeting.

ARTICLE VI-OFFICERS AND THEIR ELECTION

SECTION 1. The officers of this Club shall be a President, 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President, a Treasurer and a Secretary with the powers and duties of Clerk. Officers shall be elected by secret ballot at a meeting of the Board of Governors immediately following the Annual Meeting of the Club.

SECTION 2. No person shall hold the office of President for more than four consecutive years and no holder of the office shall be eligible for re-election until at least one year shall have passed from the end of his or her previous term.

ARTICLE VII - GOVERNORS' MEETING

SECTION 1. A meeting of the Board shall be held immediately following the Annual Meeting. Other meetings of the Board shall be held at such times and places as are designated by the President or by majority vote of the entire Board. Written notice of such meetings shall be mailed via regular mail or electronic mail by the Secretary at least fifteen (15) days prior to the date of the meeting. Five (5) members shall constitute a quorum. The Board may conduct business via regular mail or electronic mail, telephone conference, virtual meetings, or by any other method permitted by the laws of the state in which the Club is incorporated. Consent of the Governors to any particular action may be given by regular mail, electronic mail, or a virtual meeting.

SECTION 2. Special meetings of the Board may be called by the President upon receipt of a written request via regular mail or electronic mail by at least five (5) members of the Board. The President shall designate the meeting time. The Secretary shall notify the Board members of such meeting at least fifteen (15) days prior to the meeting time. Such special meetings may be held by virtual, telephone or video conference or by any other method permitted by the laws of the state in which the club is incorporated. Any such notice shall set the purpose of the meeting. Five (5) members shall constitute a quorum. Consent of the Governors to any particular action may be given via regular mail or electronic mail or virtual meeting.

ARTICLE VIII - PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENTS

In addition to such duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Governors, the President, or in his/her absence the ranking officer, shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Governors, and shall have power to call special meetings of the Board of Governors and of the Club.

ARTICLE IX - SECRETARY

SECTION 1. In addition to such duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Governors, the Secretary shall keep the complete record of all meetings of the Club, and of the Board of Governors, and of all matters of which a record shall be ordered by the Club to be kept. The Secretary shall have charge of the correspondence of the Club. On the election of a member, the Secretary shall send the member a written notice, via regular mail or electronic mail of his or her election, and a copy of the Constitution and By-laws and request payment of entrance fees and dues. The Secretary shall notify officers and members of their election or appointment and shall issue notices to members of all meetings. He/She shall keep a roll of the members of the Club, with an indication of their breed representation and with their addresses, and report at the Annual Meeting the number of members and any other matters of interest to the Club.

SECTION 2. Each member eighteen (18) years of age and older who is not willing to receive communication via electronic mail in accordance with AKC policy from the Club shall sign an authorization form requesting only hard copies of all Club communications be sent via USPS mail. Such authorization, which is revocable, shall release the Club from any liability should the communication be received late or not received by the member due to circumstances beyond the Club's control. The original signed authorization forms shall be maintained by the Secretary for purposes of sending any hard copy communication to members. The Board reserves the right to assess a fee for the postage/handling of hard copies.

ARTICLE X - TREASURER

The Treasurer shall collect and receive all moneys due or belonging to the Club, and receipt, therefore. He/She shall deposit the same in a bank in the name of the Club and notify the Board of Governors of the same. The books shall be open at all times to the inspection of the Board of Governors, and the Treasurer shall report to them at every meeting the condition of the finances of the Club when requested; and at the Annual Meeting of the Club the Treasurer shall render an account of all moneys received and expended during the year previous, which account must be audited by a committee of one or more selected by the Board of Governors.

ARTICLE XI – MEMBERSHIP

SECTION 1. Any person who favors the objects of the Club and is in good standing with the AKC is eligible for election to membership. A member in good standing with the AKC is not suspended by The American Kennel Club or any kennel club. Every candidate for membership shall be personally known and proposed by one member and seconded by another member of the Club. The name, profession/occupation, and residence of the candidate(s) shall be sent by the proposer via regular mail or electronic mail to the Membership Chairperson.

SECTION 2. Membership dues shall be determined by the Board not to exceed \$100 per annum, payable on or before the 1st day of January of each year. No member may vote whose dues are not paid for the current Financial/Fiscal year. During the month of November, the Treasurer shall send to each member a statement of dues for the Financial/Fiscal year. The Financial/Fiscal year is January 1 to December 31st of each year.

SECTION 3. The Board of Governors shall determine types of membership. Every candidate for membership who has been duly elected by two-thirds secret vote of the membership in good standing shall become a member effective with the date of election by the governors. Initiation fees and dues must be received with the application, by the Membership Chairperson. In case of failure to remit such fees and dues, the election shall be void at the discretion of the Board of Governors.

SECTION 4. The Board of Governors shall have power by a two-thirds vote of the entire Board, which may be taken by mail via regular mail or electronic mail or virtual meeting to suspend the membership of any member of the Club for conduct on his or her part likely in the opinion of the Board of Governors to endanger the welfare of the Club. Members so accused shall be entitled to a hearing, and if the hearing is requested final action of the Board shall be postponed pending the hearing.

SECTION 5. Memberships may be terminated by:

- (a) Resignation - Upon written notice sent via regular mail or electronic mail to the Secretary. No member can resign while he/she is in debt to the Club.
- (b) Lapsing - A membership will be considered as lapsed and automatically terminated if such member's dues remain unpaid 60 days after the first day of the Financial/Fiscal year.
- (c) Expulsion - as provided in ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 4 of these bylaws.

SECTION 6. The interest of any member in the property of the Club ceases with the termination of his membership.

ARTICLE XII - INITIATION FEE AND ANNUAL DUES

Dues shall be payable on the first day of January each year. The Board of Governors shall have the authority to increase dues and initiation fees as it deems necessary. Candidates elected after the first day of July in any year shall pay only half the amount of the Annual Dues in addition to the Initiation Fee. Any member whose Annual Dues remain unpaid sixty (60) days after same are due and payable shall forfeit membership in the Club, however, the Board may grant an additional 30 days of grace to such delinquent members in meritorious cases. In no case may a person be entitled to vote at any club meeting whose dues are unpaid as of the date of that meeting. In the case of absence from the country, membership may be retained if the Board of Governors shall so vote.

ARTICLE XIII – COMMITTEES

SECTION 1. The Board may each year appoint standing committees to advance the work of the club. Such committees shall always be subject to the final authority of the Board.

SECTION 2. Any committee appointment may be terminated by a majority vote of the full membership of the Board upon written notice to the appointee; and the Board may appoint successors to those persons whose services have been terminated

ARTICLE XIII - DISCIPLINE

SECTION 1. Any member who is suspended from any of the privileges of The American Kennel Club shall be suspended from the privileges of this club for a like period. American Kennel Club suspensions are published on the Secretary's page of the AKC Gazette.

SECTION 2. An individual member may prefer charges against another individual member for alleged misconduct prejudicial to the best interests of the club. Written notarized charges containing specific facts signed under oath ("Charges") must be filed in duplicate with the Secretary together with a deposit, the amount to be established by the Board not to exceed \$200, which shall be forfeited if such charges are not sustained or entertained by the Board. The Secretary shall promptly send a copy of the Charges to each Board member or present them at a Board meeting. The Board shall first consider whether the actions alleged in the Charges, if proven, might constitute conduct prejudicial to the best interests of the club. If the Board considers that the Charges do not allege conduct which would be prejudicial to the best interests of the club, it may refuse to entertain jurisdiction. If the Board entertains jurisdiction of the Charges, it shall fix a date for a hearing by the Board or a committee appointed by the Board not less than eight (8) weeks nor

more than twelve (12) weeks thereafter. The Secretary shall promptly send one copy of the Charges to the accused member by certified mail return receipt requested, or other form of receipted or acknowledged delivery and set forth a time and place at which the accused may attend and present any defense, call witnesses or answer.

SECTION 3. Board Hearing. If the Board has a hearing, the Board or a committee appointed by the Board may hear the charges. The Board or the Board's appointed committee shall have complete authority to decide whether counsel may attend the hearing, but both complainant and accused shall be treated uniformly in that regard. Should the charges be sustained after hearing all the evidence and testimony presented by complainant and accused, the Board or Board's appointed committee may by a majority vote of those present reprimand or suspend the accused from all privileges of the club for not more than six months from the date of the hearing. And, if the Board or the Board's appointed committee deems that punishment insufficient, it may also recommend to the membership that the penalty be expulsion. Immediately after the Board or the Board's appointed committee has reached a decision, its finding shall be put in written form and filed with the Secretary. The Secretary, in turn, shall notify each of the parties of the Board's or the Board appointed committee's decision and penalty, if any.

SECTION 4. Expulsion. The members of the Club shall vote by secret ballot on the proposed expulsion. A 2/3 vote of those present and voting at the meeting shall be necessary for expulsion. If expulsion is not so voted, the Board's suspension shall stand.

ARTICLE XIV - ANNUAL MEETING

The Club shall hold its Annual Meeting once each year at a date, time and place designated by the Board.—All members shall be advised of the date, time and place of the meeting at least thirty (30) days in advance thereof. Said meeting shall be scheduled to be held between September 1 and November 30 of each year. It may be held in-person, or via a virtual meeting, or by any other method permitted by the state of incorporation. Twelve members shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE XV - ORDER OF BUSINESS ROBERTS

At each meeting of the Club the order of business as far as the character and the nature of the meeting may admit, shall be as follows:

Call of roll and reading of minutes
Report of Committees
Report of election
General Business
Adjournment

ARTICLE XVI - FISCAL YEAR

The fiscal year of the Club shall begin on the first day of January and end on the thirty-first day of December of each year.

ARTICLE XVII - SPECIAL MEETINGS AND GENERAL MEETINGS

SECTION 1. A special meeting of the Club shall be called by the President upon written request via regular mail or electronic mail of ten (10) members of the Club and the notice of the date time and place of such Special Meeting and the purpose of same shall be mailed via regular mail or electronic mail by the Secretary to each member of the Club fifteen (15) days prior to the date fixed for same. Twelve (12) members shall be a quorum.

SECTION 2. A General Meeting of the Club may be held in person or via virtual meeting at any of the Club's Traveling Specialty shows as designated by the President and the Board. Written notice via regular mail or electronic mail of date, time and place shall be mailed by the Secretary to each member of the Club fifteen (15) days prior to the meeting. Twelve (12) members shall be quorum. The order of business shall be of a general nature.

ARTICLE XVIII – INTERPRETATION OF BYLAWS

Any interpretation of these Bylaws shall be made by the Board of Governors.

ARTICLE XIX - OWNERSHIP OF DOGS

In case a dog is owned by a partnership or by a kennel, composed of one or more owners, each member of said partnership or kennel must become a member of the American Fox Terrier Club before the dog is eligible to compete for American Fox Terrier Club specials.

ARTICLE XX - DISSOLUTION

The Club may be dissolved at any time by the consent in writing via regular mail or electronic mail of not less than two-thirds of the members in good standing and in accordance with the laws of New Jersey. In the event of the dissolution of the club other than for purposes of reorganization, whether voluntary or involuntary or by operation of law, none of the property of the club nor any proceeds thereof nor any assets of the club shall be distributed to any member of the club. But after the payment of all debts and liabilities of the Club, the property and assets of the Club shall be donated to the Dog Museum of America, a non-profit organization.

ARTICLE XXI - AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

SECTION 1. Amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws may be proposed by the Board of Governors or by written petition via regular mail or electronic mail addressed to the Secretary and signed by 20% of the membership in good standing. Amendments proposed by such petition shall be promptly considered by the Board of Governors and must be submitted to the membership via regular mail or electronic mail for vote within two (2) months of the date when the petition was received by the Secretary.

SECTION 2. The Constitution and Bylaws may be amended at any time provided a copy of the proposed amendment has been mailed via regular mail or electronic mail or secure electronic voting system conducted by an independent firm as allowed by the state of incorporation and AKC

policy by the Secretary to each member accompanied by a secret ballot on which the member may indicate a choice for or against the action to be taken. The notice shall specify a date not less than thirty (30) days after the date of mailing by which date the ballots must be returned to an independent teller.

SECTION 3. The Constitution and Bylaws can be amended only by a two-thirds affirmative vote of the ballots returned.

SECTION 4. Ballots returned will be counted by the independent teller or secure electronic voting system in accordance with State Law and AKC policy and the results reported by the Club Secretary at the Annual Meeting or the date of a Special Meeting requested to be called for that purpose.

SECTION 5. No Amendment to the Constitution and Bylaws adopted by the Club shall become effective until it has been approved by The Board of Directors of The American Kennel Club.

ARTICLE XXII – PARLIMENTARY AUTHORITY

SECTION 1. The rules contained in the current edition of “The Robert’s Rules of Order, Newly Revised” shall govern the club in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these bylaws and any other special rules of order the club may adopt.

ARTICLE XXIII - PERPETUAL TROPHIES FOR (MEMBERS ONLY). Based on the calendar year, January 1-December 31.)

BEST SMOOTH FOX TERRIER, DOG OR BITCH GRAND CHALLENGE CUP, SILVER.
This cup shall remain the property of the Club and shall be a Perpetual Trophy to be offered to Members of the Club for the Best Smooth Fox Terrier, dog or bitch, at each of those three shows during each year which the Board of Governors shall consider most desirable, and the dog or bitch winning it twice will be proclaimed the American Fox Terrier Club Smooth Fox Terrier Champion for the following year. If no one dog or bitch shall be decided two times to be the Best Smooth Fox Terrier, at said three shows, the Board of Governors of The American Fox Terrier Club will designate a fourth show, at which this trophy shall be offered, to be competed for by those three Smooth Fox Terriers only, each of which have won a leg on this trophy at the three shows referred to-provided, however, that these three Smooth Fox Terriers must be entered either in the Regular Classes or in the class for Specials Only and must be shown in the competition for which they have been entered. A Club Medal (Bronze) shall be given to commemorate each win and the winner of the Cup shall be presented with the American Fox Terrier Club Championship Silver Medal.

CHAMPION SABINE RESULT TROPHY, SILVER.

This trophy was presented to the American Fox Terrier Club by the Sabine Kennels and shall remain the property of the Club and shall be a Perpetual Trophy to be offered to Members of the Club for the Best Smooth Fox Terrier, dog or bitch, at each of those three shows during each year at which the Grand Challenge Cup shall be offered, and the dog or bitch winning it twice will be proclaimed the American Fox Terrier Club Smooth Fox Terrier Champion for the following year. If no one dog or bitch shall be decided two times to be the Best Smooth Fox Terrier, at said three

shows, the Board of Governors of The American Fox Terrier Club will designate a fourth show, at which this trophy shall be offered, to be competed for by those three Smooth Fox Terriers only, each of which have won a leg on this trophy at the three shows referred to-provided, however, that these three Smooth Fox Terriers must be entered either in the Regular Classes or in the class for Specials Only and must be shown in the competition for which they have been entered. The Club Medal (Bronze) offered for the Grand Challenge Cup will be suitably engraved to reflect each win, as will The American Fox Terrier Club Championship Silver Medal.

BEST WIRE FOX TERRIER, DOG OR BITCH GRAND CHALLENGE CUP. SILVER.

This cup shall remain the property of the Club and shall be a Perpetual Trophy to be offered to Members of the Club for the Best Wire Fox Terrier, dog or bitch, at each of those three shows during each year which the Board of Governors shall consider most desirable, and the dog or bitch winning it twice will be proclaimed the American Fox Terrier Club Wire Fox Terrier Champion for the following year. If no one dog or bitch shall be decided two times to be the Best Wire Fox Terrier, at said three shows, the Board of Governors of The American Fox terrier Club will designate a fourth show, at which this trophy shall be offered, to be competed for by those three Wire Fox Terriers only, each of which have won a leg on this trophy at the three shows referred to-provided, however, that these three Wire Fox Terriers must be entered either in the Regular Classes or in the class for Specials Only and must be shown in the competition for which they have entered. A Club Medal (Bronze) shall be given to commemorate each win and the winner of the Cup shall be presented with the American Fox Terrier Club Championship Silver Medal.

CHAMPION MEERSBROOK BRISTLES CHALLENGE CUP, SILVER.

This trophy was presented to the American Fox Terrier Club by Charles W. Keyes, Esq., and shall remain the property of the Club and shall be a Perpetual Trophy to be offered to Members of the Club for the Best Wire Fox Terrier, dog or bitch, at each of those three shows during each year at which the Grand Challenge Cup shall be offered and the dog or bitch winning it twice will be proclaimed the American Fox Terrier Club Wire Fox Terrier Champion for the following year. If no one dog or bitch shall be decided two times to be the Best Wire Fox Terrier, at said three shows, the Board of Governors of The American Fox Terrier Club will designate a fourth show, at which this trophy shall be offered, to be competed for by those three Wire Fox Terriers only, each of which have won a leg on this trophy at the three shows referred to-provided, however, that these three Wire Fox Terriers must be entered either in the Regular Classes or in the class for Specials Only and must be shown in the competition for which they have been entered. The Club Medal (Bronze) offered for the Grand Challenge Cup will be suitably engraved to reflect each win, as will The American Fox Terrier Club Championship Silver Medal.

THE HOMER GAGE, JR. MEMORIAL TROPHY.

This sterling silver trophy shall be awarded outright to that one of its Members who shall own the dog which shall be decided two times to be the best American-bred Smooth Fox Terrier Dog and the best American-bred Wire Fox Terrier Dog exhibited at each of the three shows at which the Board of Governors of the American Fox Terrier Club shall offer for competition the Grand Challenge Cup. If no one dog shall be decided two times to be the best American-bred Smooth Fox Terrier Dog and the best American-bred Wire Fox Terrier Dog at said three shows, the Board of Governors of The American Fox Terrier Club will designate a fourth show at which these trophies shall be offered to be completed for by those three dogs of each coat only, each of which have won a leg on this trophy at the three shows referred to.

THE WELWIRE KENNELS MEMORIAL TROPHIES.

These sterling silver trophies shall be awarded outright to the Members who shall own the bitches which shall be decided two times to be the best American-bred Smooth Fox Terrier Bitch and the best American-bred Wire Fox Terrier Bitch exhibited at each of the three shows at which the Board of Governors of the American Fox Terrier Club shall offer for competition the Grand Challenge Cup. If no one bitch shall be decided two times to be the best American-bred Smooth Fox Terrier Bitch and the best American-bred Wire Fox Terrier Bitch at said three shows, the Board of Governors of the American Fox Terrier Club will designate a fourth show, at which these trophies shall be offered to be competed for by those three bitches of each coat only, each of which have won a leg on this trophy at the three shows referred to.

NOTE: To compete for the foregoing Trophies, Fox Terriers need not be entered for competition in the Regular Breed Classes in any show but may be entered in the class for Specials Only, which is open only to Champions of Record.

ARTICLE XXIV-ALL CLUB STAKES

All Club stakes including the American Fox Terrier Club Puppy Stakes, the American Fox Terrier Club Birthday Stakes for stud dogs. The American Fox Terrier Club Breeders' Stakes and The American Fox Terrier Club Novice Stakes and all other cups or trophies may be offered and held at the discretion of the Board of Governors on conditions approved by the Board of Governors. To compete for all Club stakes, Article XXIII, and for other special prizes offered from time to time by the American Fox Terrier Club, only dogs which have competed in one or more of the breeds classes provided by the show management shall be eligible except where the special prize so offered shall call for two or more dogs to compete as a unit.

APPENDIX

Types of membership are:

INDIVIDUAL – enjoys all club privileges including the right to vote and hold office.

HOUSEHOLD – two (2) adult members residing in the same household, each eligible to vote and hold office.

FOREIGN – for those who are not U.S. residents (or its territories and possessions) shall be entitled to all club privileges except voting and holding office.

JUNIOR – open to children under 18 years of age; a non-voting, non-office holding membership which automatically converts to regular membership at age 18.

HONORARY – an individual who has made a significant contribution to the Sport, Breed or the Club; Honorary members are selected by the Board, pay no dues, do not vote or hold any elected office or appointed position.

LIFE – those individuals who attain fifty (50) years of membership, cumulatively or continuously, pay no dues, and are eligible to vote and hold office.