Dog Registration

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OWNER DETAILS

Surname		First Name	
Date of Birth		*Persons under 18 years of age cannot register a Dog.	
Residential Address			
Postal Address			
Mobile No		Work No	
Email Address			
Concession	Pensioner/ Guide Dog/ Working Dog/ Seniors	Card No	

ALTERNATIVE/EMERGENCY CONTACT

Surname		First Name	
Mobile No		Work No	
Address			

Do you have any convictions for offences against the *Dog Act 1976, Cat Act 2011 or Animal Welfare Act 2002* in the past 3 years?	Yes ☐ No ☐
Are you currently banned or have you ever been banned from owning or keeping a dog under an order under the *Dog Act 1976 section 46A(2)* either permanently or for a period specified in the order?	Yes ☐ No ☐
Details:	

DOG DETAILS **NEW REGISTRATION ☐** **TRANSFER (see over) ☐**

DOG 1			Name of Dog	
D.O.B (If known)			Age	years months
Sex	Male ☐	Female ☐	Sterilised	Yes ☐ No ☐ Exempt ☐
Breed	Dominant:		Crossbreed:	
Colour			Previous Shire	
Microchip No				
Address where dog will be kept?				

Is the dog kept for droving stock?			Yes ☐ No ☐	
Has the dog previously been declared dangerous?			Yes ☐ No ☐ (Dangerous dogs may only be registered for 1 year at a time)	
Is the dog a Restricted Breed?			Yes ☐ No ☐ Breed:	
DOG 2			Name of Dog	
D.O.B (If known)			Age	years months
Sex	Male ☐	Female ☐	Sterilised	Yes ☐ No ☐ Exempt ☐
Breed	Dominant:		Crossbreed:	
Colour			Previous Shire	
Microchip No				
Address where dog will be kept?				
Is the dog kept for droving stock?			Yes ☐ No ☐	
Has the dog previously been declared dangerous?			Yes ☐ No ☐ (Dangerous dogs may only be registered for 1 year at a time)	
Is the dog a Restricted Breed?			Yes ☐ No ☐ Breed:	

Any change in particulars contained in this application including the sale or death of a dog must be notified immediately

TRANSFER OF REGISTRATION		Previous Council:	
Name of Dog 1		Previous Tag No	Expiry Date
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Number of Dogs at Premises	

STERILISATION

To licence a dog under sterilised concessional rates, an owner or agent should either have a veterinarian's certificate or be prepared to sign a statutory declaration to that effect.

WORKING DOG

The definition of a Working Dog for concessional licencing purposes is a dog used for "droving or caring of stock.

PENSIONERS

The definition of a Pensioner for concessional licencing purposes is as follows:

a) A person issued with a Pensioner Concession Card or State Concession Card; or
b) A person issued with a Seniors Card AND a Commonwealth Seniors Health Card

A copy of your card must be presented at the time of registering to receive a concessional rate.

NUMBER OF DOGS

The maximum number of dogs to be kept on any premises is two (2) over the age of three (3) months. Approval can be sought to keep more than two (2) dogs in some cases, but this is subject to certain other conditions being met. Please contact the Shire of West Arthur on 9736 2400 for further information.

DANGEROUS DOG/RESTRICTED BREED

The keeping of a dog classified as a "dangerous dog" is not prohibited, however special requirements do apply. Failure to declare the breed of your dog, if it is one of the dangerous/restricted breeds is an offence.

CANCELLATION OF A REGISTRATION

A Dog Registration can be cancelled if:

- The owner is fined or convicted for 2 or more offences in any one year
- The dog has shown to be destructive, dangerous, vicious, unduly mischievous, or to be suffering from an infectious disease
- The Council is not satisfied that fencing requirements of the place at which the dog is ordinarily kept are satisfactory.

CONTROL OF A DOG IN A PUBLIC PLACE

A dog shall not be in a public place unless:

- It is held by a person who is capable of controlling the dog;
- It is securely tethered for the purpose of control by means of a chain, leash, or harness of sufficient length no longer than 2 metres.

IMPOUNDMENT

If a dog is seized and impounded, the owner has seventy two (72) hours to collect the dog before it is disposed. Impoundment fees will apply, and MUST BE PAID before the dog is released, plus an additional fee per day for every day the dog is kept in the Pound.

If your dog is missing, please contact the Shire of West Arthur on 9736 2400 or the Ranger Service on 0459 678 154 as soon as possible to check if it has been impounded.

DECLARATION BY OWNER/AGENT

1. I, the registered owner, am 18 years of age or over;
2. I certify that for the purpose of section 16 (1ba) (c) of the Dog Act 1976 that the dog will be effectively confined in/or at the premises;
3. I am not currently banned, or have been banned from owning a dog under the Act either permanently or for a period specified.
4. I declare that the information I have provided is true and correct. I am aware it is an offence to provide false or misleading information.

Signature…… Date……..

OFFICE USE ONLY

Pension Card Sighted	☐	Sterilisation Sighted	Dog 1 ☐ Dog 2 ☐
Dog 1 Tag No		Expiry Date	
Dog 2 Tag No		Expiry Date	
Name of Registration Officer			
Signature of Registration Officer			
FEES PAYABLE	1 year	3 years	Lifetime

	Full Rate	Pensioner	Working	Full Rate	Pensioner	Working	Full Rate	Pensioner	Working
Unsterilised Dog	$50.00	$25.00	$12.50	$120.00	$60.00	$30.00	$250.00	$125.00	$62.50
Sterilised Dog	$20.00	$10.00	$5.00	$42.50	$21.25	$10.60	$100.00	$50.00	$25.00
Dangerous Dog/ Security Dog	$50.00	N/A		N/A			N/A		