

PLEASANT FOREST CAMPING CLUB

Preserving Our Past, Protecting Our Future



Prospective Member Packet



Thank you for your interest in becoming a member of Pleasant Forest Camping Club.

Attached is our New Member Application packet. It contains (7) pages that must be filled out **completely** and returned to PFCC for membership consideration.

Please make sure you have read and signed all documents and understand what is required. If you have questions, contact our Office Manager at (360) 491-2467 or pfclub@gmail.com. Once you have your paperwork completed, turn your forms into our office with the required processing fee. Currently, that amount is \$30 per person.

Our By-Laws and Rules and Regulations of PFCC are the governing documents of this Club and your guides to a successful membership with us. It is very important that you understand both documents, **prior to submitting your membership application**, and that you are willing to abide by the terms for membership set forth in both documents.

PFCC offers (3) use classifications which we ask you to choose from on the application.

- **Occasional Use** – generally means you are a weekender and/or weeklong camper with us.
- **Seasonal Use** – tells us you are with us during the warm weather months
- **Extended Stay** – tells us you intend to be a year-round camper which requires you to leave the club a minimum of (1) day each month after (6) months of year-round camping.

All campsites, or lots, are owned by the Club and are issued to Members through Certificate of Membership for exclusive use by the Member, immediate family and guests.

Members may stay on their campsite for 6 months, extended stay, but then must obey the 29-day rule for the balance of the year, per Thurston County Zoning Ordinance, 20.34.020(8)(e).

Membership Dues and Fees:

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| 1. Membership Dues: | \$2000 Annual |
| 2. Garbage: | \$10 Monthly |
| 3. Handling fee | \$5 monthly |
| 4. Electricity: | \$ Monthly - Per your meter reading |
| 5. Transfer Fees: | \$ One time - TBD by purchase price |
| 6. Holding Tank Pumping | \$TBD (Size of tank, level of use) |

We look forward to welcoming you as a new member with us!

Sincerely,

Pleasant Forest Camping Club Board of Directors, New Membership Committee, and the Membership

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Application and verification documents are valid for 90 days. If a membership is not purchased within that time frame, application and interview process must be repeated.

Minimum Annual Income:

(If income requirements not met, each applicant will be reviewed on a case by case basis)

Single: \$25,000

Married: \$36,000

Retired: \$15,000

Income Verification Requirements:

1. Most current W-2
2. 2 Paystubs: (1 current, 1- 5 months prior)
3. Self-employed: Must provide copy of business license and proof of income
4. SSD: Must be designated in writing by SSA as permanent disability
5. 5 years employment verification (obtained through background check)

Credit Report and Criminal Background Check Requirements:

Comprehensive background checks are performed using ACRAnet.

1. Credit check with credit score 650 or higher. (If lower, evaluated on a case by case basis.)
2. No Bankruptcy within 2 years of application. Bankruptcy older than 2 years must be explained at interview.

Grounds for Denial: (*Not negotiable. All others reviewed on a case by case basis).

1. *Sex offences-Any conviction is grounds for denial.
2. *Drug convictions-Any conviction is grounds for denial. (*Illegal substances*).
3. *Prior Evictions-Any unlawful detainer action resulting in a writ of resolution in the last 5 years.
4. *Providing false information.
5. Tenant history-Failure to make required rent or mortgage payments.
6. Credit history-Any negative credit history resulting in a collection action.
7. Minimum income requirements not met.
8. Failure to complete application or provide required documents.

Other Requirements:

- Must be purchasing a membership for the sole use of the person(s) filling out the application and their guest(s). You cannot add a member to a certificate without that person going through the application process.
- Year-round campers are limited to the capacity and design of the recreational vehicle they are using. (*Must be large enough for all occupants without being over-crowded*).

*****Please initial that you understand the requirements for membership _____***



APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

PFCC is a recreational club. What is your intended primary use? (Circle one)

Occasional use

Seasonal use

Extended stay

APPLICANT'S NAME(S):

Last: _____ First: _____ MI: _____

Last: _____ First: _____ MI: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

PHYSICAL ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

PREVIOUS ADDRESS: (If less than 2 years): _____

CITY: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

MAILING ADDRESS (If different): _____

CITY: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Dependents that live with you. Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

May we invoice you via Email? ___ Yes ___ No

PET(S): *(Please list breed and color) We will require current vaccination records and license upon approval.*

EMPLOYMENT: (Please provide at least 5 years employment history. Use additional sheets if needed)

Employer: _____ May we contact? Yes No

Position: _____

Supervisor: _____ Phone: _____

How Long? _____ Salary: _____

Retired? Yes No

Disability? Yes No



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Have you filed for bankruptcy in the last 5 years? Yes No Date: _____

If Yes, Explain: _____

REFERENCES: (People, not relatives, you have known for at least 5 years. Please let references know to expect a phone call). **(Please list at least two for each applicant)**

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

CRIMINAL HISTORY

Have you been convicted of a crime in the last 10 years? Yes No

Court: _____

Charge: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

1. Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

2. Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed name: _____

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed name: _____



BY-LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS

It is your responsibility to read, understand and accept all the By-Laws and Rules and Regulations **prior** to becoming a member or accepting membership.

Below are a few worth noting. **All applicants must initial after each rule.**

1. All campsites, or lots, are owned by the Club and are issued to Members through Certificate of Membership for exclusive use by the Member, immediate family, and guests. Members may stay on their campsite for 6 months but then must obey the 29-day rule for the balance of the year, per Thurston County Zoning Ordinance, 20.34.020(8)(e). _____
2. I understand that members of Pleasant Forest Camping Club, a Non-Profit organization, own an equal share in the assets of the Corporation. The Membership Certificate entitles members to occupy and use a specific campsite, as governed by our By-Laws. _____
3. All Recreational Vehicles must maintain a clean orderly appearance and be road worthy. RVs in a run-down or dilapidated condition are not allowed. These conditions include but are not limited to, peeling paint, broken lights, extreme rust, leaking or non-operational (see Thurston County Code of Ordinance 20.03.040(70) for more specifics). PFCC reserves the right to inspect RVs before allowing on our grounds. _____
4. I understand that I must hire a septic pumping company to pump my holding tank. I know that I am not allowed to empty gray water into the ground. _____
5. I have been informed of and agree to follow the 10mph speed limit on the main road and 5mph speed limit on all side roads. _____
6. I understand I am not permitted to tailgate into the park, and I know I am not to allow others to tailgate me onto the grounds. _____
7. I understand that I am responsible for registering my overnight guests prior to them spending the night. Overnight guests are allowed for a maximum of 20 days annually. _____
8. The Club has a bar for our members and their guests. I understand that patrons must be 21 years of age or older (with a valid ID). Beverages purchased from the bar must remain in the designated bar area. I understand when bringing guests into the bar, I must sign them in, and they cannot be in the bar area without the member. _____
9. I understand that children under the age of 16 are not allowed in the clubhouse after 10pm.

10. PFCC utilizes an "Improvement Form" that is submitted to our Compliance Committee for approval **before** starting any project listed on the form, to ensure compliance with PFCC Rules and Regulations, and Thurston County building codes. _____

- 11.** I understand that I must obtain prior approval from the Compliance Committee for the following: Fences, Electrical Power, TV/Internet/Phone installation, Satellite Dish installation, Storage Shed, Gazebo, Deck, RV/Deck, Roof Cover, Greenhouse and any project that may require a building permit. _____
- 12.** Community garbage dumpsters are for household garbage only. No furniture, construction debris or items larger than the container are allowed. _____
- 13.** PFCC adheres to all county rules regarding pets, which include limits, licensing, vaccinations, cleanup and leash control. Pets are not allowed in Comfort Stations or to be a public nuisance. _____
- 14.** I understand that Violation of any Rule, Regulation, or Covenant of the Club may result in fines, suspension, and or termination of membership or other action as deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors. _____

I agree that I have received a copy of PFCC By-Laws, Rules and Regulations, from the Sales Representative, Membership Committee or via online access.

I have read and agree to the complete By-Laws, Rules and Regulations, and any questions have been answered to my satisfaction.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____



PFCC COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS

PFCC relies on our volunteers for many different projects. Our volunteers help to keep our operating costs low. Please help us get to know you better by listing a few of your talents you would be willing to share with your new community.

Skill _____

Skill _____

Skill _____

DECLARATION

I understand and agree that the information I have provided on this application and it's supporting documents, is true to the best of my knowledge, and that my falsification of this application will be grounds to deny membership or terminate membership. I authorize PFCC to verify all information I have provided on my application. I release PFCC from all damages and liabilities that may result from furnishing this information.

I also agree that I am not seeking to purchase a membership for any party other than myself, and that I understand any person that is seeking membership, must participate in the interview process.

Signature _____

Date _____

Printed Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Printed Name _____



Application Process and Information Disclosure

PFCC's Board of Directors utilizes a Committee of our members to assist in reviewing applications and conducting the interview process of our applicants.

The application process is as follows:

1. Completed application and credit check report are reviewed. If you meet the criteria for membership, you will be contacted to set up an interview with the Committee. Please allow approximately 1 hour for this interview. If you do not meet our criteria, you will be notified.
2. After your interview, the Committee will decide on a membership recommendation to the Board of Directors.
3. At this time, your name(s) is posted in our mailroom for a period of (7) days for comments by our membership as a whole.
4. Our Board of Directors will make the final decision on approval or denial of membership. You will be notified on their decision.

In the event we are unable to approve membership for you at this time, we will destroy all documents associated with your application process.

- I am aware that my application for membership, supporting documents and background information, will be reviewed by a membership committee and a recommendation will be submitted to the Board of Directors, based on the information provided and personal interview.
- Pleasant Forest Camping Club submits a comprehensive background check as part of the application process. This may have an adverse effect on a credit score similar to applying for residency for an apartment. By signing this form, I understand and agree to have this background check submitted on my behalf.
- I understand that all persons on the membership committee have signed a nondisclosure agreement to protect my personal information.

Signed _____ Date _____

Printed name _____

Signed _____ Date _____

Printed name _____