ARBA Charter Application



STATE ASSOCIATIONS

This is your charter application. Please read and follow the instructions on the Reverse side of this form before completing the application. (PLEASE PRINT USING BLUE OR BLACK INK ONLY)

ALL CHARTER RENEWALS ARE DUE

FOR ARBA USE ONLY
YEAR:
CHARTER#:

Date: _____

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JANUARY 1st OF EACH YEAR AMT PAID: Fax: 309-664-0941 Phone: 309-664-7500 email: info@arba.net Name of Club: State: City of Charter: LIST OFFICERS IN THE SPACES PROVIDED BELOW. ALL OFFICERS MUST BE CURRENT ARBA MEMBERS. SECRETARY AND TREASURER MAY BE A COMBINED OFFICE. **OFFICERS NAME ADDRESS** PHONE # AND EMAIL PRESIDENT: V/PRESIDENT: TREASURER: SECRETARY: LIST DIRECTORS IN THE SPACES PROVIDED BELOW. (MINIMUM OF 5) ALL DIRECTORS MUST BE CURRENT ARBA MEMBERS. ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY. DIRECTOR 1: DIRECTOR 2: DIRECTOR 3: **DIRECTOR 4**: DIRECTOR 5: Did your club hold an ARBA Sanctioned show within the last year? _____ If yes, when? ____ Is a current copy of your club's Constitution & By-Laws on file with ARBA? _____ If not, please include. Have there been any changes to the Constitution & By-Laws within the last year? If yes, please include.

SIGNED (Club Secretary):

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TO ALL STATE ASSOCIATIONS:

Your charter application is on the reverse side of this document.

Please follow the guidelines below when completing the application.

All rules and regulations governing State Associations can be found under Article II, sections 2 & 6 of the ARBA By-Laws.

Phone: 309-664-7500 Fax: 309-664-0941 email: info@arba.net

NEW charter applications must include the following items:

- □ New Charter Fee of \$30.00
- □ A copy of the club's Constitution and By-Laws

RENEWAL charter applications must include the following items:

- □ Renewal Charter Fee of \$20.00
- □ A copy of any changes to the club's Constitution and By-Laws

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The following regulations MUST be complied with on ALL charter applications:

- 1. ALL Officers and Directors MUST be current ARBA members and reside within the state of charter.
- 2. At least eight (8) different members of your association (including the Officers and Directors) must be current ARBA members.
- 3. ALL Officers and Directors MUST be listed. (Minimum of 5 Directors Attach additional sheets if necessary)
- 4. No more than 3 officers may be from the same affiliated club.
- 5. A list of All local and/or specialty clubs affiliated with the state association MUST be attached to the application. A minimum of 3 clubs is required. All affiliated clubs must be chartered with the ARBA and be within your state boundaries.

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Please notify the ARBA in writing whenever you have a change in Officers or Directors so we may update the club's charter file. There is no fee for this update.

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All charters expire January 1 of each year. Renewals are due on or before JANUARY 1 of each year. A 60 day grace period is allowed. All charter applications received after March 1 will be considered applications for new charters and all rules and fees governing new charters will apply.

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SEND COMPLETED FORM ALONG WITH ALL FEES TO:

ARBA PO BOX 5667 BLOOMINGTON, IL 61702

Please forward the completed application to the address listed above. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the charter application, do not hesitate to contact the ARBA office for assistance. Please note that it is only necessary for the club secretary to sign the charter application.

Thank You!

Sincerely, ARBA Charter Department

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