



STANDARD SCHNAUZER CLUB OF AMERICA

RESCUE PROGRAM

SSCA OWNER RELEASE FORM

The owner release form must be completed and signed by anyone who releases a dog into the care of the Standard Schnauzer Club of America's (SSCA) rescue program. The SSCA rescue program works to place surrendered dogs into permanent, responsible homes, but assumes no responsibility for the potential adopter's character or suitability as an owner. While SSCA rescue will take all reasonable precautions, the releasing party agrees that the SSCA and the SSCA rescue program, its agents, members, and volunteers are not to be held responsible for the safety of this dog.

Dog's Name:	
Owner's Name:	
Address:	
Email Address:	
Phone (cell):	
Phone (home):	

If possible, I will make a financial donation to the SSCA rescue program to help in the future placement of this (and/or other) dogs in need. A donation is appreciated, but not required.

Donation Amount:

The pet information form dated **DATE** that the owner of this dog submitted is attached to and made part of this SSCA Owner Release Form.

The undersigned warrants that he/she is the owner, or authorized agent for the owner, and that the dog is in good physical condition, has no diseases or infections, is not vicious, and does not have a history of biting or attacking people. Any exceptions to these statements are noted in the pet information form.

The undersigned hereby delivers possession and ownership of the dog to SSCA rescue; releases SSCA and the SSCA rescue program from any and all claims, demands, and causes of action with respect to ownership of the dog; and authorizes the SSCA rescue program to locate a home for the dog and deliver ownership and clear title to the recipient of the dog. The undersigned intends to convey full, complete, and unrestricted legal ownership of the dog to SSCA rescue by execution and delivery of this SSCA Owner Release Form.

The undersigned acknowledges that he/she may receive updates on the dog relinquished to SSCA rescue by contacting the SSCA rescue chair, but only if the adopting family agrees to supply updates, and no direct contact between the undersigned and the adopting family is allowed. The SSCA rescue program maintains the confidentiality of its adopters and will not release their contact information. In addition, the SSCA rescue program is under no obligation to, and will not contact, an adopter to ask for permission to release his/her contact information to the undersigned or to any other party.

The undersigned further agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless SSCA, the SSCA rescue program, its officers, agents, members, and volunteers from any liability, loss, claims, demands, causes of action, or damages (including attorney fees) that such person may incur or sustain by reason of acceptance of the dog or any breach of this SSCA Owner Surrender Form by the undersigned.

I hereby relinquish all claims of ownership of the dog described above to SSCA rescue. To the best of my knowledge, this dog has never seriously bitten anyone or exhibited aggressive tendencies. I hereby indemnify and hold harmless SSCA, the SSCA rescue program, its officers, agents, members, and volunteers from any and all claims that may be brought for any and all claims of liability that may arise in the event the dog exhibits aggressive tendencies, transmits a contagious disease, or causes any loss or injury.

ALL STATEMENTS MADE ABOVE ARE TRUTHFUL TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. I HAVE READ THE ABOVE AND CONFIRM THAT I AM VOLUNTARILY TRANSFERRING THIS DOG TO THE STANDARD SCHNAUZER CLUB OF AMERICA'S RESCUE PROGRAM WITHOUT RESERVATION AND WITH NO CONDITIONS ATTACHED.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this SSCA Owner Release Form.

Owner (or authorized agent):	
Date:	
SSCA Rescue Representative:	

Questions? Contact Mark at mshaw@gmail.com or text 469-951-4513.

Return this form by email (in PDF format) to Mark or by mail to:

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