

## INT'L SHILOH SHEPHERD DOG CLUB



### *the issdc*

Many foundation members of the International Shiloh Shepherd Dog Club (ISSDC) have been deeply involved in the Shiloh Shepherd world since its official recognition as a Rare Breed in 1991.

The ISSDC consists of a very strong and ever multiplying coalition of breeders, owners and fanciers with membership open to Shilohs of all registries. We are a non-political group whose mandate is to promote the Shiloh Shepherd, as not only a great family dog, but also in the show ring and working disciplines. We "show" our Shilohs to celebrate their beauty, and we "work" our Shilohs to illustrate their intelligence.

Our members participate in herding, SAR, therapy work, obedience, and other great activities with their Shilohs. Many of our Shilohs have obtained championships participating in various canine activities.

It is also an important part of our Club Constitution that the ISSDC engage in the education of Shiloh Shepherd owners, breeders and fanciers alike to promote the well being of the breed. Our website is continually updated with news, pictures and accomplishments of our Shilohs. We have an e-group open to the public with lots of info, support and fun, in addition to regional groups throughout the US, Canada and soon, Europe.

We **LOVE** our Shilohs and we strive to protect our breed for future generations to enjoy.



### *about shiloh shepherds*

The Shiloh Shepherd is a true contemporary breed developed to fill the need for a Shepherd from the past, a protector, a best friend, a part of the family. Shiloh Shepherds are dogs of giant size, incredible intelligence and wholesome beauty. Shilohs portray a distinct impression of nobility, with superior intelligence, strength of character and a heart of gold.

Our Shiloh Shepherds are bred to be calm and kind. Shilohs excel in all types of work, from animal assisted therapy, to obedience, to guardian assignments as they tend well to children, elderly and livestock. Taking their intelligence and stamina from their German Shepherd ancestors and their size and gentle nature from years of selective breeding, the Shiloh Shepherd is a perfect dog for today's home.



This gentle giant should appear longer than tall. The desired height can be no less than 28" for males and 26" for females. Shilohs have two types of coats, the plush (long) and smooth (short). They come in a variety of color combinations.

Please take time to research the breed very carefully. The ISSDC website and e-group are great resources to learn and meet breeders and owners who have been involved with Shilohs for many years. We promote and encourage unity, health testing, genetic research and the preservation of the breed standard.

### *learn more*

Thank you for your interest in the Shiloh Shepherd and the ISSDC.

#### **Member Benefits:**

- Club Events, Shows & Functions
- Information Sharing & Learning
- Breeder's Network
- Member's Forum
- Local Regional Groups
- e-Newsletter

#### Annual Dues:

- Single Membership - \$30
- Family Membership - \$40
- Breeder/Stud Single Membership - \$40
- Breeder/Stud Family Membership - \$50

If you wish to become a member of the ISSDC, please visit our club website at [www.shilohs.org](http://www.shilohs.org) and click "Join the Club"

**Feel the joy of a unified effort, join the ISSDC team today!**



### *learn more about the shilohs and the issdc*

**websites:** [www.shilohs.org](http://www.shilohs.org), [www.issdc.com](http://www.issdc.com)

**ISSDC Rescue:** [www.shilohs.org/rescue](http://www.shilohs.org/rescue)

**ISSDC Logo Wear Shop:**

[www.cafepress.com/shilohshepherds/672702](http://www.cafepress.com/shilohshepherds/672702)

**ISSDC Yahoo eGroup:**

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/issdc>

**Our Shilohs Directory:**

[www.ourshilohsdirectory.wildeoffice.com](http://www.ourshilohsdirectory.wildeoffice.com)

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