

## Colorado Springs Kennel Club Code of Ethics

1. I will limit my breeding programs to those breeds of which I have sufficient knowledge to make a positive contribution to these breeds.
2. Upon selling a dog of less than breeding quality, I will withhold registration papers until the purchaser provides a veterinarian's certificate stating that the dog has been altered.
3. I will not knowingly allow any of dogs to be sold through public retail pet shops, puppy mills, or any facility in which multiple breeders or multiple litters are brought together for the purpose of sales to the public, nor will I condone such operations.
4. As a person dedicated to my breed, I will help and assist any novice fancier or breeder to the best of my ability.
5. As a breeder, exhibitor, and club member, I will strive to set a high example of good sportsmanship.
6. I will provide my dogs with proper nutrition, adequate housing, and regular veterinary care.
7. I agree to abide by the constitution and by-laws of the Colorado Springs Kennel Club, and the rules and regulations of the American Kennel Club.
8. I agree to support the Colorado Springs Kennel Club by volunteering my time to serve on committees and work at the annual conformation, obedience and rally shows.