



Hill Country Animal League Minor Volunteer Consent Form

All minors are any persons under the age of 18 who may volunteer at the Hill Country Animal League (HCAL) Animal Services location or any HCAL events. No volunteers under the age of 18 are permitted to volunteer at the HCAL Thrift Store.

All minors are responsible for:

1. Signing the consent form below
2. Obtaining parental/guardian signature on form below as proof of parental approval
3. Understanding the guidelines of HCAL. It is the responsibility of every parent to ensure that their children understand these guidelines

Any minors without this signed form on file will NOT be permitted to work any events. HCAL holds adoption events where other rescue groups participate. Your signature on this consent form applies to all animals at the event with permission of the animal owner. Minors under the age of 13 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian at all times.

Minors under the age of 13 are permitted to handle animals, only on leash, as long as they are under adult supervision at all times. Circumstances may include but are not limited to: doggy potty breaks, crate cleaning, showing dogs to potential adopters and general doggy playtime. Cats are not to be removed from the cat room or the animals crate if outside the cat room. All minors must walk with the loop of the leash around their wrist and their hand grasping the leash itself at the same time.

HCAL does not knowingly rescue aggressive animals; however, ALL volunteers handling animals do so at their own risk.

Any volunteer who fails to follow the guidelines, procedures or direct requests from the person in charge of the event will no longer be allowed to Volunteer, All volunteers are expected to conduct themselves in a courteous manner with the highest priority being the welfare of the animal.



MINOR VOLUNTEER CONSENT FORM

I, (print name) _____ allow my son or daughter to volunteer for Hill Country Animal League. I hereby agree to and fully understand the above guidelines and by signing this form, I have given my full consent.

Name of Minor _____

DOB _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Emergency Contact _____

Emergency Contact Phone Number _____

Signature of Minor Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

HCAL Staff Approval Signature Date