



## American Tending Breeds Association Membership Application 2026

The American Tending Breeds Association was founded in 1990 around the European style of sheep herding known as tending. Over the years we have expanded to include all herding breeds and styles of herding. The ATBA is one of the few clubs in the country to offer ALL AKC courses at a single event.

The ATBA holds:

- 3 AKC & AHBA licensed test/trials a year (April, July, October)
- 2 Fun Runs (May, October) (free for members with pre-registration)
- 3 Member Training days a year (January, March, June) (free for members)
- 1 Smart Dog Day for AKC Farm Dog, CGC, Trick Dog, etc (June)

For further information about the club activities, visit our web site at [www.atba-herding.org](http://www.atba-herding.org). You can also contact the ATBA Corresponding Secretary: Sierra Keiper (484) 544-1723 [sierrakeiper@gmail.com](mailto:sierrakeiper@gmail.com).

**Let us know if you can volunteer your time or skills!**

Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Herding Dog(s):	Name	Breed	m/f	DOB	Titles
1	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

\_\_\_\_\_ Individual Membership: \$85.00      \_\_\_\_\_ Family Membership: \$95.00

Please make check out to: "ATBA" and send with completed application form signed by member(s) to:

Nancianne Edwards, 241 Morwood Rd, Telford PA 18969

I agree to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the American Tending Breeds Association. I understand that herding can occasionally be a risky sport for participants and spectators. In case of any harm, damage, or injury that happens to or is caused by me, my relatives, my dog(s), or my property during an ATBA event, I agree not to hold liable the American Tending Breeds Association, any of its members, or any of the organizations or agents working on its behalf.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If new, how did you hear about the ATBA: \_\_\_\_\_