



# Application for Membership

Questions? Phone: 717-687-8623 Fax: 717-687-0742

Train Collectors Association™, National Business Office, PO BOX 248, Strasburg, PA 17579

**PLEASE NOTE: If you have access to the internet, please utilize online join process at [traincollectors.org](http://traincollectors.org) rather than printing and mailing/faxing this application form.**

### Instructions for the completion of form:

*If under 18, please contact us to learn about our Junior Membership (separate application)*

1. All questions must be answered and form signed by applicant.
2. **A \$50 payment** (check or Visa/MasterCard) **must accompany this application, (\$50 dues for twelve months\*).**
3. **This application, if accepted by the Association, will be published to the entire membership** during a probationary period. At the end of the probationary period the National Business Office will issue an Annual Membership card.
4. In the event that three written complaints have been filed against the probationer and sent to the National Secretary, full membership is withheld until the National Membership Committee has considered the matter.

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Please Print

Address \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Nine Digit Zip Code

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Include Area Code

Operating Layout? Yes\_\_ No\_\_ Visitors Welcome? Yes\_\_ No\_\_ Manufacturers of Interest \_\_\_\_\_

Gauges of Interest: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

How did you hear about TCA? Check all that apply:

- A TCA member (*member name*) \_\_\_\_\_
- A magazine advertisement (*magazine name*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Attended a TCA train show (*location*) \_\_\_\_\_
- At the National Toy Train Museum in Strasburg, PA
- Other (*please explain*) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What is your current/former occupation? \_\_\_\_\_

Still working?  Yes  No

Why do you want to join the TCA?

Has your membership in any major train club been terminated for cause (except for nonpayment of dues)?  
 Yes  No

I hereby subscribe to the purposes, policies and duties of its members as described in the bylaws of the Train Collectors Association™ (TCA). I also understand and agree to the admission procedures. I agree to comply with all of the rules and regulations of the TCA and its Divisions and Chapters in effect from time to time, specifically including all the rules and regulations of all TCA committees and any actions and rulings of all TCA Committees. I also agree that all items sold by me to any TCA Member or at any TCA-sponsored meet shall be sold on the basis that I represent that all such items are authentic and in the manufacturer's original condition unless I have caused any such item to be appropriately marked as a restoration or reproduction.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Form Must Be **Signed** To Be Valid. Do Not Print

**CREDIT CARD INFORMATION REMOVED FROM THIS FORM FOR SECURITY PURPOSES. PLEASE PRINT SECOND PAGE AND SUBMIT BOTH PAGES.**

Send completed application with payment to:

Train Collectors Association  
Department A  
P.O. Box 248  
Strasburg, PA 17579-0248

Permanent Number \_\_\_\_\_

Probationary through: \_\_\_\_\_

\*The annual dues includes a \$4.50 subscription fee for the *National Headquarters News*.

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# CREDIT CARD PAYMENT SLIP FOR TCA APPLICATIONS

Name (as appears on card) \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_

BILLING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Visa  MasterCard Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card #  -  -  -  CCV#

Signature \_\_\_\_\_