

# **The British Mini Rex Club, the General Data Protection Regulation and your Personal Information**

A change in government legislation regarding data protection called the General Data Protection Regulation (**GDPR**) came into force on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018. All businesses and organisations are bound to comply with this legislation. Unregistered charities, associations and even small clubs, to varying degrees, are also legally bound to comply. The British Mini Rex Club (**BMRC**), takes your privacy seriously and in compliance with the General Data Protection Regulation, would like to inform you of how we process and protect your personal information.

## **What kinds of personal information do we keep in our club membership records?**

Name, address, telephone number, email, date of birth (for those under 16 years of age), colours kept, membership type (adult, junior, senior citizen, registered disabled, overseas), membership category (breeder, non-breeder, pet-owner), current or archived member and stud name.

## **What is the source of your personal information?**

It is taken from the application form that you completed when you joined the club and any subsequent updates made by you.

## **Where is your personal information stored?**

Your personal information is stored in two formats: (1) a digital format is kept on a dedicated club computer, (2) a hard-copy version is used as a backup.

## **Who has access to your personal information?**

The club membership secretary and the club administrator. Club officials upon request.

## **What do we use your personal information for?**

To communicate directly with you about club events and related club matters by letter, email or telephone.  
To publish in our annual club yearbook, with your expressed permission, the colour(s) of Mini Rex that you breed by printing your name, telephone number, email address, county or country in which you reside.

## **Do we share your personal information with other organisations?**

No.

## **What should you do if your personal information changes?**

You should inform us immediately so that we can update your membership details.

## **How long do we keep your personal information?**

(1) As a current member: for the duration of your membership. (2) If you do not renew your club membership, your personal information is kept for six years as an archived member. After this time your personal information is permanently destroyed.

## **Your right to be forgotten.**

Should you decide to terminate your club membership or not renew your club membership, you have the right to ask that we permanently destroy your personal information.