

Prospective Buyer Questionnaire

As a breeder it is my goal to place each of my puppies in his or her "forever home".

Each puppy, just like a child, is an individual. No two children are the same and no two puppies are the same. During the first 8-9 weeks of a puppies life, I will be observing and evaluating their physical and personality traits. I will compare my observations to the information provided on this questionnaire in order to determine the most appropriate home for each puppy. It is crucial to us that the needs of each individual puppy match the lifestyle of its prospective owner.

Therefore the answers you provide on this questionnaire are vital to assisting me to match your home with the right puppy. There are no "right" or "wrong" answers. Some of the questions may seem personal; however, candor and honesty are very important. Remember, I am trusting you for the lifetime of my puppy and your dog.

Prospective Buyer Information:

Name:

Address:

Phone (cell or other):

E-mail address:

General Information:

Why do you want a dog?

Do you have children living with you or visiting regularly?

If yes, please note their ages

Are you prepared to teach any resident or visiting child the proper way to conduct themselves around a puppy or dog?

Who in your family will be primarily responsible for:

daily care of the puppy

clean up

training

exercise

vet and food bills

How would you describe your household activity level?

Very

quiet

Rather easing going

Usually something going on

Lots of activity

How did you learn about our puppies?

What breed of our puppies sparks your interest and why?

For each dog you currently own, please list the following:

1.

Name - Breed or Mix - Sex - Age - is the pet spayed or neutered?

2.

3.

4.

If you currently do not own a dog, have you ever owned one?

Breed or Mix

Do you have other pets? If yes, please list

Have you read any dog health or training books or subscribe to or follow any websites?

List the books or websites.

Living Arrangements:

Do you live in an apartment, house, mobile home, condo or other (describe)?

In which type of area is your home located? Urban, Suburban, or Rural

Do you have a fenced in yard? Yes or No. How do you plan to contain the puppy?

Are there any dog restrictions or laws in your area?

Are you familiar with the local leash laws, required vaccinations and dog license requirements in your area?

Do you own or rent your home?

Note: If you rent, a signed letter from your landlord stating that dogs are permitted on his/her property must be received before a puppy will be placed with you. I, as the breeder, reserve the right to contact the landlord before placing any puppy.

Landlord information:

Name

Address

Phone

E-mail

Where will the puppy spend most of its time?

Where will the puppy be when you're away?

How long each day will the puppy be alone?

Where will the puppy be when you are at home?

Where will the puppy sleep?

Have you ever used a crate in order to house train a puppy or dog? Do you intend to use a crate for this dog?

Do you have a fenced in yard? Size, type, height of fencing?

Your Interests & Goals

Do you prefer male or female?

Please describe any physical attributes that are particularly important to you in the puppy/dog you are seeking at this time.

Cloverleaf K9 Connections only provides companion pets. Are you prepared to **spay**/ neuter your puppy/dog?

What do you expect of your puppy's breeder?

Grooming, Exercise and Training

Are you aware of the grooming requirements of the breed of interest? Are you prepared to spend the required time grooming your puppy?

In addition to the normal routine at home, what activities will your puppy have?

Routine **walks**, training classes, travel, be a playmate for your children or other pets?

Are you aware of the socialization and training requirements of a puppy? How do you intend to address those needs? Do you need assistance or recommendations?

Other

Are you prepared for the responsibility of caring for this dog for its entire life? (10-16 years)

Please add any additional information or thoughts that you feel would help me to understand you as a potential owner and the home you can offer one of our puppies.

What questions do you have for me?

Veterinary Information and References

If you have a veterinarian, please provide the contact information below:

Name

Address

Phone

E-mail

Please supply two references (dog trainers, friends, neighbors, etc. - not including immediate family - who know you well enough to recommend you as a dog owner.

Name

Address

Phone

E-mail

Relationship to you

Name

Address

Phone

E-mail

Relationship to you

By signing this questionnaire, I affirm that all statements made above are true to the best of my knowledge. (If you are submitting this form via e-mail, please type your name in the signature line. I require a signed copy before placing a puppy.)

Name:

Signature

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Date: