

Puppy Questionnaire

We ask these questions not only to get to know a little about prospective buyers, but to insure that our puppies are going to amazing, forever homes. These aren't 'just puppies' they are member of our family and we want the very best in life for them.

Name:

Mailing Address:

Physical Address(if different from mailing address):

E-Mail:

Phone #:

Cell Phone #:

How many people are in your home and what are their ages:

Have there ever any issues with members of your household & pets? Yes No

If you have children, have they been around animals for extended periods of time? Yes No

Is anyone in your household allergic to dogs?

Does everyone in your household agree on the addition of an Aussie to the family? Yes No

If not, who against getting an Aussie and why?

Who will care for this dog if you should become unable to do so temporarily or permanently?

Do you Own or Rent your home?

If you rent will your landlord give you written permission to have an Aussie? Yes No

What type of home do you live in (house, apartment, duplex, townhouse, farm, etc.)?

How many hours will this dog be left alone per day?

Where will the dog be when no one is at home?

Does your family have enough “quality” time to devote to a dog? Yes No

Are you willing to take responsibility for this dog for the next 10+ years? Yes No

How long did your last pet live and what were the circumstances of its passing?

Have you ever returned a pet to the breeder/given a pet away/taken one to the shelter? Yes No

If so, what were the circumstances?

How many pets and what kind do you have now?

Have you owned Australian Shepherds before? Yes No

Are you aware of the socialization needs of an Aussie puppy and do you feel you are capable of providing for these needs? Yes No

Is your yard fenced or do you have a fenced enclosure for the dog? Yes No

If you answered “No” to the last question, how do you intend to exercise and provide security for this puppy.

How large and of what type is the enclosure?

Do you let your dogs run loose and under what circumstances?

Do you intend to house your dog inside or outside? Inside Outside Both

Do you intend to crate train your dog? Yes No

What would happen if this puppy developed physical or behavioral problems?

What do you plan to feed this dog?

How do you plan to train and discipline this dog?

Our puppies are sold with limited registration “non-breeding” except in special circumstances. Are you ok with this? Yes No

If no, please tell us about your reservations.

Are you aware of some of the health problem which can appear in some Aussies today such as medication sensitivities? Yes No

Are you aware that Aussies and very active dogs that shed (sometimes quite profusely)? Yes No

Please provide the name, address and telephone number of your veterinarian (or one who has worked with you in the recent past) as a reference:

Please give us two references (name and phone number) of people that know or have known you and your dogs/pets.

Further comments: Please feel free to add anything that you think would be beneficial for us to know.