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Thank you for considering adopting a dog from Wags and Whisker's Pet Rescue. Please understand that adopting a dog is a responsibility. Please do not take it lightly. Please agree to and initial the following terms.

Wags and Whiskers Pet Rescue (WWPR)

About us

Most of our dogs come from many different kill shelters, where they may have been exposed to a variety of diseases. We have full time veterinary staff. Someone is available 7 days a week. We make every effort to make sure that your New family member is healthy. Unfortunately, some dogs have things that don't show up until the pet goes home and has new stresses. Change in environment, surgery recovery and diet change can all add extra stress to their already fragile immune systems. This can result in Kennel Cough, Giardia or Coccidia. If your pet is showing symptoms, We offer a free office visit with our mobile vet, medications are not included. You have 2 weeks to return pets over 7 months of age.

WE DO NOT COVER CHARGES INCURRED AT OTHER VETERINARY OFFICES _____ initial

What we do before you adopt: The pet is checked in as soon as it arrives. We look at the medical records and vaccinate to make them current. Depending on age, they get a DHPP vaccine, Bordetella, for Kennel Cough, Pyrantel for round worms and other parasites, Panacur for other parasites, Rabies and they are microchipped. They are physically checked over. If they need medications, we start them immediately and they are put into medical quarantine. If they need surgery or x-rays, they are taken care of ASAP. The rest are scheduled for spay/neuter. When they go for spay/neuter, they are rechecked more closely to make sure they catch anything intake, missed.

When you adopt, you must see Vet Staff before you leave. They will check the records to make sure your New family member is up to date on vaccines and Heartworm preventative. At that time, you may purchase flea and heartworm preventative. You may purchase up to one year's worth of Heartworm prevention, also flea and tick preventative.

The three most common ailments are kennel Cough, Coccidia and Giardia. There are some others, but not as common nor brought out as easily by stress. Please see next page for more information

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GIARDIA, COCCIDIA AND KENNEL COUGH WAIVER

While at Wags and Whisker's Pet Rescue, your newly adopted dog may have been exposed to or has recovered from an episode of Infectious Respiratory Disease (more commonly referred to as Kennel Cough or IRD), Giardia or Coccidia:

- This condition is the equivalent of a "dog cold". We recommend all newly adopted dogs be seen by a veterinarian within a few days of adoption for a routine health check. IF your dog develops a hacking cough, discharge from the eyes and/or nose, lethargy, or loss of appetite, you should make an appointment with a veterinarian. Please be aware that some dogs may have later occurrences of these infections.
- IRD is normally very successfully treated with a combination of antibiotics and supportive care of a minimum of 10-14 days. Severe, untreated cases of IRD can develop into pneumonia, so it is important to discuss IRD with your veterinarian. We suggest you limit or prevent contact with other dogs for a minimum of 14 days after taking your new dog home. If your new dog happens to become sick, please consult with your regular veterinarian for further advice. If you own another dog and it becomes infected, you will be responsible for any veterinary care needed.
- Giardia-A giardia infection is caused by the protozoal parasite itself, which may cause diarrhea in stressed animals or ones with lower immune systems, like puppies. We do not let dogs get adopted if they show symptoms, without, first letting you know. Sometimes pets go home and just from the stress, they can start showing symptoms. If this happens, please bring the pet in to see our vet staff and they will give you antibiotics. Kennel Cough is a "doggie cold". See our detail page that you will be signing.
- Coccidia is a tiny single celled parasite that can live in the wall of the Intestines that can cause diarrhea in pets. It is most often found in puppies but can infect older dogs and cats.

If symptoms occur within 14 days of adoptions, applicant may use Wags and Whisker's Free Vet exam voucher when Dr is in. Please call 530-852-1515 for Dr schedule. Please note, medications are not included

Wags and Whisker's Pet rescue has informed me of known or observed medical issues with the animal I am adopting. I agree to care for this animal for the rest of its life in a manner that is necessary with these conditions.

I accept full responsibility for any treatment or warranted assistance and understand that Wags and Whiskers Pet Rescue will not be held financially responsible for the continued care of this animal.

By signing and dating below, you acknowledge that you have read, understand and agree to the above.

Applicant Name (Printed): _____ **Dog Name:** _____

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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Puppy Parvo Vaccination and Care Agreement

Vaccinations

Canine Parvovirus (Parvo) is a highly contagious and potentially deadly disease. Even with treatment, parvo survival rates are 50%-70%. Preventative care in the form of vaccinations is the best way to protect your new family member from catching this deadly disease. Your dog's first year of parvo/distemper vaccinations are covered through your adoption fee. Please look at your puppy's medical sheet to find the due date for his or her next vaccination. You can walk in weekdays 1-4 pm to get the vaccination done.

General Precautions until Fully Vaccinated

Do not let your puppy on dirt and grass, that's where parvo lives.
Use indoor potty training with potty pads.
Carry your puppy if bringing it outside.
Do not bring your puppy to the dog park until it is fully vaccinated.
Do not bring your puppy around dogs that are not fully vaccinated.
Make sure all your personal dogs at home are fully vaccinated.

What is considered fully vaccinated?

Puppies are considered unvaccinated until they have had a series of vaccines. They need DHPP or DHLPP every 3 weeks until they are 16 weeks of age, at which time they can get their Rabies vaccine

Signs of Parvo

Vomiting · Diarrhea · Lethargy · No appetite or major decrease in appetite

If you notice any of these signs, call us immediately at (530) 852-1515.

Don't wait, time is of the essence.

If symptoms occur within 14 days of adoption and the applicant has followed the recommended vaccination schedule and puppy care steps as listed above, applicant may return puppy for a full refund, if they choose. Or they must take pet to a veterinarian of their choice. WE DO NOT COVER FEES INCURRED AT OTHER VETERINARY HOSPITALS. Any symptoms shown after 14 days of adoption will NOT be eligible for a full refund

If symptoms appear after 14 days of adoption or you have not followed the proper vaccination schedule and care instructions, You need to take your puppy to the veterinarian of your choice immediately, The longer you wait for your puppy to receive treatment, the less likely your puppy will survive.

For Emergencies Contact Valley Oak at (530) 342-7387. Any services rendered at Valley Oak or, any other veterinarian, will not be discounted or covered by Wags and Whisker's.

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Applicant Name (Printed): _____ Dog Name: _____

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Wags and Whiskers Pet Rescue (WWPR)

Right to Decline

- _____ 1. WWPR has the right to decline any application for any reason.

Returns and Refunds

- _____ 2. The applicant agrees to notify WWPR immediately if the dog(s) on this application needs to be rehomed.

Deposits are non-refundable

- _____ 4. Puppies under 7 months of age are non-refundable, unless returned due to an illness confirmed by our Veterinarian. Here at Wags and Whisker's, we believe puppies are very adaptable and we can provide training tips, or you can hire a trainer, anything to help ensure permanent placement of your puppy in their forever home.

- _____ 5. Dogs over 7 months of age can be refunded within 14 days of adoption date. Refunds are only given upon request. Training must be attempted before a dog is returned. Proof of training must be supplied in order to get a refund, Please call us at (530) 895-8888 if you need a trainer referral.

- _____ 6. All dogs must be returned to WWPR if you cannot keep it, Do not give away or take to another shelter without written authorization from WWPR. Dogs under 30 lbs may be returned on Saturdays at 11:00 AM, with at least 3 days notice. Any other drop off time must be by appointment and is subject to a \$50 processing fee.

- _____ 7. Our facility has very limited space for big dogs. Dogs over 30 lbs must be placed on a waitlist before returning to our facility. This waitlist expires at the end of every month. Please call again to be placed on the waitlist if you still need to return the dog.

Late Pickups

- _____ 8. If the applicant is late to a pickup date for your dog, there will be a \$10 per day boarding charge.

- _____ 9. If the applicant does not pick up their dog within 5 days of the pickup date without prior arrangement, WWPR has the right to reclaim ownership of the dog. No refund will be processed in this case.

Breed and Size

- _____ 10. While WWPR does its best to make breed and size estimates, Wags and Whisker's cannot make any guarantees about the dog(s) breed or size.

Behavioral Assessment

- _____ 11. While WWPR does its best to provide behavioral assessments before permanent placement, WWPR cannot guarantee these behaviors once the dog is home. The applicant understands that dogs, like individuals, can react to each situation differently.

- _____ 12. WWPR cannot make any guarantees about the behavior of the dog(s) on this application around other dogs, cats or children. Please be cautious when first introducing your new family member to your existing ones.

- _____ 13. Upon completion of the application, the applicant will be responsible for any actions of the adopted dog(s), including those that result in injury and death. This includes, but is not limited to, any fees associated with veterinary care, legal fees, and animal control.

Medical Waivers

- _____ 14. All animals must be spayed or neutered before adoption.

- _____ 15. If symptoms of cough or diarrhea occur within 2 weeks of adoption, applicant may use Wags and Whisker's veterinarian for a free exam, when available, medications are NOT included. Please call 530-852-1515 for Dr. availability

If your pet passes away within 14 days, you may either pick out a new pet or get a full refund

16. All animals are microchipped before adoption. Microchip registration will be sent to the email on the applicants file. If the applicant does not accept the microchip registration, and the dog is found lost, WWPR has the right to reclaim ownership of the pet.

17. WWPR provides the first year of vaccinations for the dog(s) on the application as part of the adoption fee. This includes bordetella vaccination (kennel cough), DA2PP vaccinations, and rabies vaccination. Any vaccinations not listed or vaccinations beyond the first set will come at a fee.

18. WWPR also provides a heartworm test and one month of heartworm preventative for your dog. We recommend keeping your dog on monthly heartworm preventatives, but any further heartworm prevention will come at an additional fee.

19. While preventative care is given to all our dogs prior to adoption, WWPR cannot make guarantees about the health of the dog.

20. Attached to this application is a voucher for a free vet visit with North Valley Pet Hospital. This is a resource for you to use if you are concerned about any symptoms regarding your new family member. Please call 530-852-1515 to Schedule an appointment.

21. Applicant must provide and finance any other medical care and expenses not included in terms in this application.

22. WWPR will NOT reimburse any expenses seen at an outside veterinarian, Even within 14 days of adoption

23. WWPR will not reimburse any expenses related to other animals or humans in the family.

Care Requirements

24. Applicant must provide adequate fresh food and water to the newly adopted dog.

25. Applicant must provide clean and dry indoor shelter for the dog.

26. Applicant must provide adequate exercise for the dog.

27. Applicant must obey all applicable laws governing control and custody of pets.

28. Applicant must provide a safe collar with the Applicant's contact information.

Minimum Eligibility

29. Applicant must be at least 21 years of age or have special consent from a Wags and Whisker's representative.

30. Applicant must provide a valid driver's license or other government issued identification

31. Applicant must live in an owned home or have consent from their landlord to own this animal. There will be no refunds if pet has to be returned because landlord won't allow

Lost Pet

32. The applicant agrees to notify WWPR immediately if the dog(s) on this application become lost. Call 530-852-1515

33. There is a \$25.00 fee for us to pick up pet within 5 miles of rescue and a \$50.00 fee within 25 miles. See item 35.

Repossession

34. The applicant understands and agrees that if the applicant does not comply with, or follow the terms of in this agreement, ownership of the dog(s) on the application shall revert to Wags and Whisker's Pet Rescue. The applicant agrees to give permission for a Wags and Whisker's representative to remove the pet from the applicant's premises. The applicant agrees that this entry shall not constitute a trespass.

35. The Adopter MUST respond to email from Michelson Found Animal Registry for their pet's microchip transfer. Failure to transfer your pet will result in a \$50.00 fee to WWPR



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ADOPTION APPLICATION & AGREEMENT

WWPR Administrative Use	
Approved by _____	DL Copied <input type="checkbox"/> Photo <input type="checkbox"/> Scanned <input type="checkbox"/> Uploaded <input type="checkbox"/> Emailed <input type="checkbox"/> Chip Registered <input type="checkbox"/>
Total Adoption Fee \$ _____ Nonrefundable \$ _____	
Date _____	Paid _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Credit card # (last 4) _____
NOTES:	

For Office use only	
PET NAME:	TODAY'S DATE:
Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Type of Pet: <input type="checkbox"/> Cat <input type="checkbox"/> Dog
Birthdate (approximate):	Spayed/Neutered: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No*
Puppies under 6 months of age are non-refundable	Microchip Info:
Breed:	
Color:	
Type of Application: <input type="checkbox"/> Adoption <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Adoption*	
Pets that are not spayed or neutered must be pre-adopted. The animal will remain with Wags and Whiskers until the pet has been fixed and adoption fees have been paid in full.	

Start Here: Your information	
Applicant Name: _____	Home Phone: _____
Email* _____	Cell Phone _____
Address: _____	
_____ Street	_____ Unit # _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Employer: _____	Work Phone: _____
Driver's License #: _____	Driver's License State: _____

MUST PROVIDE Alternate Contact Information		
Name	Phone Number	Relationship to You

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Residence & Family Information

Applicant Age _____ Are you currently a student? ☐ Fulltime ☐ Part-time ☐ No

I live in a: ☐ home ☐ apartment ☐ condo ☐ mobile home That I: ☐ own ☐ rent ☐ live with parents

If you rent, do you have your landlord's permission to have/own a pet? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Landlord's Name: _____ Landlord's Phone #: _____

Do you have a yard? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, how big is the yard? ☐ Small ☐ Medium ☐ Large (over ½ acre)

How will you keep the pet on your property? ☐ fenced yard (height: _____ ft) ☐ in the house ☐ pet run ☐ tied outside

Other: _____

Has everyone in the household met the pet? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Is everyone in the household willing to make a lifetime commitment to the new pet? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If not, why? _____

Have the children in your household been introduced to the pet? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have the children in your household previously been around this type of pet? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you have children (not listed above) frequently visiting your home? ☐ No ☐ Yes – Ages: _____

Do you plan on leaving any children alone with the pet? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Does anyone in the home have allergies? ☐ No ☐ Yes, ☐ Dogs ☐ Cats Other: _____

to _____

Current Pets

Do you currently have other pets in the home? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, please list all pets below:

Species	Breed	Age	Sex	Spayed/ Neutered	Indoor/Outdoor
			<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out
			<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out
			<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out
			<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out

Veterinarian's Name: _____ Veterinarian's Phone #: _____

Past Pets

Have you had pets in the past that you no longer have? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, please list all pets below:

Species or Breed	Years Owned	Sex	Spayed/Neutered	Indoor/Outdoor	Reason you no longer own this pet:
		<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out	
		<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out	
		<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out	
		<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out	

Have you ever given up a pet? ☐ No ☐ Yes, because _____

Have you ever euthanized pet? ☐ No ☐ Yes, because _____

Are there any other reasons you have not kept a pet in for its lifetime? ☐ No ☐ Yes, because _____

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Have you experienced any behavioral problems with past companion animals? ☐ No ☐ Yes

If yes, how did you address them? _____

Pet Information & History

Do you own livestock animals? ☐ No ☐ Yes (list types) _____

What traits are you looking for in a pet? _____

Have you ever adopted an animal from this rescue before? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, do you still have it? ☐ Yes ☐ No, because _____

How many hours each day will the pet be left alone? _____

Where will the pet be kept when alone? _____

Where will the pet sleep at night? _____

Where will the pet be when you are at home? _____

Pet's Exercise

☐ _____ miles of walking or running a day

☐ _____ (number) long walks a day

☐ _____ (number) short walks a day

☐ Other: _____

☐ Let the pet run free in the yard

☐ Minimal exercise during the week, lots on weekends

☐ Little to no exercise

Reasons Applicant Would Give Up this Pet

☐ You move to a new home

☐ Pet runs away

☐ Pet does not get along with other pets in the household

☐ Pet does not get along with other people in the household

☐ Pet nips at children

☐ Pet jumps on children/knocks them down

☐ Pet gets too old

☐ Excessive barking

☐ Excessive chewing

☐ Excessive shedding

☐ Excessive separation anxiety

☐ Pet is not house broken

☐ Pet becomes too active

☐ Pet becomes larger than expected

☐ You do not enough time to spend with animals

☐ Divorce or Separation

☐ Financial reasons

☐ Pet develops health problems

☐ Excessive digging

☐ Excessive drooling

☐ Excessive smells

☐ Excessive marking

Members of Household

List ALL residents in your home (including yourself):

Name	Email or Phone Number	Age	Relationship to You

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SPAY NEUTER POLICY

Pick up time is 3:00 pm unless otherwise instructed. If pet is not picked up by 3:30 there will be a \$25.00 late fee. If not picked up by 6:00pm there is a \$50.00 late fee and a \$25.00 / day boarding fee. If not picked up by the 3rd day then pet is relinquished back to rescue and adoption fees are forfeited, unless prior arrangements were made in advance

	3:00 pm	Mobile Vet Unit
Pick up Date:	Pick up Time:	Pick up Location:
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Applicant Signature:		
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By signing below, the Applicant certifies that all the information provided in this application (in its entirety) is true and correct as of the date of submission, and I understand that my application may be denied if false information is given.

Applicant (Your Information)

Wags and Whiskers Pet Rescue

Sign

Sign

Print Name

Date

Print Name

Date

You MUST keep Elizabethan collar (cone) on your pet and limit activity for 10-14 days after surgery. If the sutures open or become infected due to licking or too much activity, there will be a \$50-\$500.00 estimate to repair incision at pet owner's expense.