

Lazy Paw Kennels Puppy Questionnaire

Our goal is to place each of our puppies in a home where the puppy's temperament, activity level and potential meets the goals of its new family. To help with this process, we ask that you complete the following questionnaire to better assess your family's needs and goals. We will use this information along with our conversations and your visits to determine which puppy(s) are likely to work best with your family.

It is our goal to serve as your resource, throughout the life of your puppy, to answer questions and offer guidance on all aspects of your puppy's life. We will also accept your puppy back into our care if the puppy does not meet your needs in the future.

Please return your completed questionnaire to us via e-mail, fax or snail mail at the addresses below.

nobigwoof@gmail.com

fax 903-896-4400

PO Box 699, Canton, TX 75103

Personal Information

Name: _____ Spouse/Partner's Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home phone: (____) _____ Work phone: (____) _____ Cell: (____) _____ E-mail address: _____

Occupations: _____

All members of your household with ages:

Name	AGE	Relationship to You
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Are you interested in a Pug or a Golden Retriever? _____

How did you hear about us: _____

Why is this breed right for you? _____

Do you have a strong preference for one sex?

I'd prefer a Female but will consider a Male I'd prefer a Male but will consider a Female

I will only purchase a Female I will only purchase a Male

I don't care about sex, preferring the best puppy for me

Why do you have a preference for one sex? _____

Home Information

Do you own/rent a home/condo/apartment? _____

Do you have a fully fenced yard? Is it dog proof? What kind of fencing? How tall?

How much traveling do you do during the year? _____ What arrangements have or will you make for the dog while you are away? _____

Do you or anyone living in your household smoke? Yes No

Lifestyle. Where will your puppy spend most of his/her day? _____

Once grown, where/how will your dog spend most of his/her day? _____

Where will your puppy/dog spend his nights? (e.g., crated in the bedroom, alone in kitchen, in garage?)

For what periods of a normal day will your dog be left alone? _____

Will you be able to spend more time with the puppy when it first comes into your home? What arrangements have or must you make to do this? _____

Pet Ownership History

Please tell us a little about the other pets you have now. What kind are they? What are their sexes and ages? For dogs, list your dogs' breed, registered names and titles.

Please tell us a little about your past dogs. What breed were they? List your dogs registered names, titles and age/circumstances of death. If there are many please just list the last three.

If any of your dogs have been lost or died, please explain the circumstances._____

We send puppies home between 8 and 10 weeks of age. Do you have any vacations planned that might limit when you can pick up your puppy? If so, when are they?

The first 16 weeks of your puppy's life is critical. Do you have any vacations planned in which you would not be able to include the puppy and thus would have to leave your puppy with someone other than an immediate family member? If so, when are they?_____

Feeding

What do you feed your present dogs?_____ What do you plan to feed your dog while it is a puppy? What do you plan to feed your dog once it becomes an adult?_____

Who is your veterinarian?_____

What is his vaccination protocol?_____

Keeping a pure bred dog is not an inexpensive venture, between quality food, veterinary care, and training. Are you confident that you know how much this dog will cost you to maintain and that you have the resources to do so?

___ Yes, I understand how much this dog's maintenance will cost and am very comfortable I can afford this dog

___ Maybe, but I need more information about costs

___ No, I am not sure how much this dog's maintenance will cost and/or I am not sure I can afford to keep this dog

___ I don't know how much this will cost

___ Other _____

Are you willing to wait until your pup is over 18 months of age and, if female, has had at least one season, before spaying or neutering? _____

Do you plan to do any other activities, such as pet-assisted therapy, or competitions with your dog? If so, what?

Do you understand that this animal is not being sold as a breeding quality animal so you cannot breed it during its lifetime? _____

We sell our pet puppies on non-breeding contracts with AKC Limited Registrations, which means they are not to be bred. If they are bred, even accidentally, their offspring can never be registered with the AKC. Are you willing to accept this contract and registrations? _____

How would you describe the personality or specific traits you are looking for in your new dog? Do you want a couch potato, an active dog, a very active dog, etc? (Please be specific about energy level, drives, confidence, dominance/submission, independent, professional cuddler, appearance and anything else that is important to you in your dog.)

Are you or anyone in your household planning on getting another puppy during the next year? If so, please provide details on breed, sex, breeder and goals for that puppy. _____

References

1)Name _____

Relationship to you _____

Address _____

Phone number _____ E-mail address _____

2)Name _____

Relationship to you _____

Address _____

Phone number _____ E-mail address _____

3)Name _____

Relationship to you _____

Address _____

Phone number _____ E-mail address _____