



PUPPY APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE

Please complete the following information and e-mail back your completed questionnaire to sandyhaydu@gracelandaussies.com.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Name (Required):

Address (Required):

City, Province/State, and Postal Code/Zip (Required):

E-Mail Address (Required):

Cell Phone # (Required):

Business #:

Do you Own or Rent your home? (Required)

If your home is a rental, are you prepared to provide written approval from the landlord? Yes / No

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Age: 18-40 41-60 60+

Other adults in your home? Yes / No

Do you have any children? Yes / No

If so, what are their ages?

Have your children been exposed to dogs in the past?

Have you owned Australian Shepherds before? Yes / No

If so, how recently?

What are your reasons for choosing an Australian Shepherd now?

Do all family members agree on the addition of an Aussie to the family? Yes / No

If not, who is not in favour of getting an Aussie and why?

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

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

Will the puppy be crated? 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 this puppy?

How large and of what type is the enclosure?

Does your family have enough "quality" time to devote to a dog? Yes / No

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

Have you ever returned a pet to the breeder? Yes / No

If so, what were the circumstances?

Have you ever given a pet away? Yes / No

If so, what were the circumstances?

Have you ever given up a dog to a shelter or pound? Yes / No

If so, what were the circumstances?

How many dogs do you have now?

What breeds?

Are they Spayed/ Neutered?

Do you have pets other than dogs? Yes / No

What are they?

How do you plan to socialize this puppy?

Are you prepared to enroll this dog in at least one structured class such as obedience, agility? Yes / No

Please give us two references of people that know or have known you and your pets.

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

Are you aware that Australian Shepherds are medium sized and very active dogs that shed (sometimes quite profusely)? Yes / No

Are you prepared to groom and trim nails frequently on your dog, keeping the coat in show condition?
Yes/ No

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

Who will care for this dog if you should become incapacitated, temporarily, or permanently?

Do you agree that, if for some reason you are unable to care for this dog, we will be your first contact and have first right of refusal for the rehoming of the dog? Yes / No

Are you currently on the waiting list for any other litters? Yes / No

Are you prepared to pay a deposit to hold a puppy from this litter, regardless of colour? Yes / No

Further comments: Please feel free to add anything that you think would help us in choosing the right puppy for you.

Thank you for taking the time to fill in this questionnaire.