Puppy Application

Name						
Address			City, State,	Zip		
Phone Numbe	Email address					
If you currently do not own any dogs, tell me about your past exposure to dogs and dog ownership?						
Have you ever owned a dog before? (Yes or No)						
If yes, what dog breeds have you owned?						
Do you still own the dogs? If not, what happened to the dogs?						
Do you currently own any other non-canine animals? If Yes, please list them.						
Have you ever owned an Australian Shepherd before? ((Yes or No))						
What made you decide to purchase an Australian Shepherd?						
Do you prefer a male or a female? Why?						
Do you have a color preference? (Yes or No) What Color?						
Would you consider a puppy of another color or sex if your preferences are not available? (Yes or No)						
How soon are you looking to get a puppy?						
What activity level are you comfortable with in a dog? (low, medium, high)						
Do you intend to compete with your dog? (Yes or No)						
Do you plan to participate on any of the following activities with your Australian Shepherd? (Circle all that apply) Conformation Obedience Herding Agility Tracking Flyball Therapy Breeding Other:						
If you are not planning on breeding or showing, would you be willing to have your Australian Shepherd Spayed or Neutered? (Yes or No)						
All of our puppies are sold on ASCA/ AKC Limited Registration and spay/neuter agreements. Is this a problem? (Yes or No) If Yes, why?						
How many adults live in your home?						
How many children live in your home and what are their ages?						
Is anyone in the home allergic to dogs? (Yes or No) If yes, please explain how the allergy will be controlled.						
Are all the members of the household comfortable around the presence of a puppy that could nip, jump and chew during its training stages?						
What are your plans for housing, training, and exercising your Australian Shepherd?						

How do the members of the family feel about cleaning fecal material from the yard, possible holes being dug in the landscaping, and paths being worn from the patter of paws around the yard? Are you comfortable with a breed that sheds moderately? (Yes or No) On average, what do you plan to spend per year on food, veterinary care, and so forth for your Australian Shepherd? How much do you expect to pay for an Australian Shepherd puppy? Have you spoken with any other Australian Shepherd breeders? (Yes or No) If Yes, please list them: Are you currently on the waiting list for any other litters? (Yes or No) Are you interested in being contacted about Rescue dogs or older dogs needing placement if we should come across a dog that we feel would suit your needs? (Yes or No) Do you own or rent your home? Type of dwelling: House Apartment/Condo Mobile Home RV or Trailer If you are renting or live in a condo, do you have your landlord's or condo association's permission to keep a dog? (Yes or No) Do you have a fenced yard? (Yes or No) If yes, type of fence, width, height: If no, what arrangements will you have for the dogs toilet duties: Where will this dog spend the day (Circle all that applies) Loose indoors Crate Basement Garage Fenced Yard Kennel Run Loose outdoors Other: How many hours on the average will the dog spend alone? Where will dog spend the night (Circle all that applies) Loose indoors Tied up outside Crate Basement Garage Fenced Yard Kennel Run Loose Outdoors Other: Have you ever given up a dog to a shelter or pound? If so, why? What type of personality are you looking for in your dog? Who will take care of your puppy when you go on vacation? Please list two references such as a Veterinarian, person active in dogs or close acquaintance. Include a phone number and e-mail address if possible for each reference. If you are established with a vet, please provide name, address and phone of vet. How did you find out about this breeding?