



Noah's Bark Dog Rescue, Inc

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Dog Adoption Application

Pet Interested in: _____ Today's Date: _____

Pet ownership is a serious responsibility. This policy of the adoption group is to assure that each person who adopts a pet is aware of the responsibility, and that each is capable and willing to accept that responsibility morally, physically, and financially. It is quite true that not everyone who desires to own a pet should have a pet. The following questionnaire has been designed to aid both you and the adoption group in deciding if you and/or your family is indeed at this moment adequately prepared to assume the type of responsible ownership which we are endeavoring to assure for our adoptive animals. Please be sure to answer all questions and feel free to add your own comments.

If a question does not apply write N/A.

OUR PERSONAL INFORMATION

Your Name: _____ Age _____

Cell Phone _____ Alt Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Spouse/Roommate: _____

Cell Phone _____ Work _____

Full address: _____

How long? _____ Own Rent House Condo Apartment

If you rent, are pets allowed? Yes No

Your Occupation: _____ Spouse's Occupation: _____

If this relationship were to change, with whom would the pet remain? _____

Who will be primarily responsible for the care of the pets? _____

Do all adults in your household know you plan to adopt? Yes No

What are your reasons for adopting a pet?

A companion for you Your Cat/Dog Spouse Children Gift Guard Dog

If a gift for whom? _____

If a guard dog: For home Business Type of Business: _____

Business Address: _____

Ages of children living at home: _____

What would best describe your lifestyle? Athletic/Active On the Go Homebody

What activities will you and your dog share (exercise, outings, etc.)?

Would you allow an inspection of your home/yard? Yes No

OUR IDEAL DOG

In your selection of a dog, what is your preference? (check all that apply)

Breed: _____ Pure bred Mixed Female Male
 Age: Baby Young Adult Senior
 Size: Toy Small Medium Large Xtra Large
 Hair: Short Long Wire/Curly Hypoallergenic
 Personality: Playful Calm Active Excited Lapdog
 Activity Level: High Medium Low Couch Potato

Our dog will be:

Indoor Only Mostly Outside Outdoors Only Other _____

If you answered indoor only, please describe what outdoor access the pet will have (when will it go out, etc.)

OUR PAST AND PRESENT PET HISTORY

List pets (cats, dogs, etc.) that you have NOW or in the PAST:

Breed	Age	Spayed/neutered (Y/N)	Vaccinations current (Y/N)	Kept inside or out	Still have pet (Y/N)

If you no longer have any of the above pets, what happened to your pet(s)?

Hit by car Old Age Died of disease Gave Away Gave to Shelter

Please explain the circumstances of the pet's death or why it is no longer with you:

Have your children ever been around dogs? Yes No
 Has your child ever been bit by a dog? Yes No
 Do your current pets like dogs? Yes No
 Have you every bred a cat/dog? Yes No

If yes, did you breed for: Fun Show Accidentally Happened Profit



If you presently own a dog has it been neutered/spayed? Yes No

If not, why? _____

Do you plan on breeding your new dog? Yes No

At what age should a dog be altered (spayed/neutered)? 4 months 6 months 1 year

After first heat After one litter

Have you ever trained a dog in obedience class? Yes No

Do you travel often? Yes No

Where do your pets stay when you travel? _____

Name and Address of your current or previous veterinarian: _____

OUR HOME ENVIRONMENT

What outside space is available for the dog?

Fenced yard	Unfenced Yard	Balcony	Dog Run
Garage	Covered Patio	Doghouse	Other

If fenced yard, type of fencing:

Chain Link	Block Wall	Wood <input type="checkbox"/>	Other
Height _____	Locks on gates?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No

Do you have any of these? (check all that apply) Balcony Pet Door

Will you have your dog tied up? Yes No

Where will your pet sleep during the night? _____

In what areas of the house will the dog be allowed? _____

How many hours per day on average will the pet be left alone?

0-4 4-6 6-8 8-10 10-12 Over 12

Do you have a relative who would adopt the pet if you, for any reason, become incapable of caring for him or her? (Note: Noah's Bark reserves the right to approve this individual)

If Yes, Who? _____

Name/Address/Phone: _____

Will your dog be allowed on the furniture? Yes No

If not, how will you train your dog not to jump on your furniture?



How do you plan on housebreaking your new dog (please understand that even dogs that are housebroken will go through an adjustment period)?

Do you plan on using a litter pan? Yes No If yes, where will it be? _____

Are there any reasons that might preclude you from being able to properly care for your new pet?
Yes No If yes, please list reasons: _____

Under what conditions would you not keep your new pet?

Move to a place that didn't allow pets	Move out of state	Clawing
Pets didn't get along	Too much hair	Chewing
Housebreaking problem	Allergy	Scratches furniture
Kids ignored pet	Dog grew to big	Other
New baby		

If "Other", please explain

What would you do with your dog if you could not keep it for the aforementioned reasons?

Will you be able to live with fur on your furniture, stains on your rugs, a warm body on your bed, and an animal who may be destructive at times?
Yes No

If the dog becomes destructive, what would you do?

How did you hear about this pet adoption?
LA Times Daily Breeze Cable TV Internet Social Media Friend PETCO OTHER _____

SOME ADOPTIONS MAY REQUIRE A HOME DELIVERY OF THE PET, I AGREE AND CONSENT TO HAVE A VOLUNTEER DELIVER MY PET TO MY HOME IN THE EVENT MY APPLICATION IS ACCEPTED

Signature: _____ Date: _____

THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION.

PLEASE NOTE: Filling out this application DOES NOT guarantee an adoption. We have thoroughly evaluated all of the animals in our care, and try very hard to match the right pet to the right person and situation. Adoptions are not on a first come first served basis. We reserve the right not to adopt. If we do not call or email you within 3-4 days of receiving your application, it means that either the pet was adopted another applicant or we felt that the situation presented on the application was not the right situation for that particular pet.

