

SkyeLine Ranch Miniature American Shepherds

PET Puppy Contract

Date:

Buyer:

Seller:

Phone:

Lindsey Schexnayder

Address:

(985)722-6057

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Email:

***To validate any health guarantees, you (the Buyer) must have your new puppy examined by a licensed veterinarian within **72 hours** of possession. A picture of the receipt or record of the examination must be emailed to the address above to show proof of this. ***

Lindsey Schexnayder, of SkyeLine Ranch Miniature American Shepherds, hereafter referred to as SELLER.

Buyer Name: _____ Hereafter referred to as BUYER.

It is agreed between both parties that Buyer will purchase from Seller the animal, hereinafter referred to as “Dog” or “Puppy” described below:

Call Name:

Date of Birth:

Gender:

Color/Markings:

Sire:

Dam:

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

1. Both the Buyer and the Seller, without any emotional or mental reservations whatsoever, are freely entering into this contract.
2. Buyer agrees that this Dog will be provided for as a member of the family.
3. Buyer agrees to maintain this Puppy’s vaccinations and to NOT take this Puppy to public places such as parks, pet stores, training facilities, groomers, etc. until its vaccine series has been completed.

4. Buyer agrees that this Dog may NEVER be placed in a shelter or put on a chain to live outside. Each puppy is microchipped, and this microchip contains the Seller's information on it, therefore they will be notified if this Puppy ends up in a shelter.
5. Buyer agrees to use the prefix "SkyeLine Ranch" at the beginning of the Puppy's registered/official name for AKC registration. This prefix will already appear in the name box when the Buyer receives the Puppy's registration papers.

Buyer's Initials: _____

REHOMING:

1. If at any time the Buyer can no longer retain possession of this Dog, they must contact SkyeLine Ranch Miniature American Shepherds FIRST to give the option of resuming ownership of the Dog. **Buyer's Initials:** _____
2. Once the Puppy has left the premises of SkyeLine Ranch Miniature American Shepherds and if the Puppy needs to come back to us for any reason, we cannot accept the Puppy back until the vaccination series has been completed. This is due to possible contamination and is in place to keep our other dogs safe.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS:

1. ***Seller guarantees to the best of the Seller's knowledge, said Puppy is in good health and sound condition at the time of sale. Buyer has 72 hours from the time of delivery/pickup to have a licensed veterinarian perform a health exam on said Puppy. Proof of this examination must be emailed to the Seller. If the Buyer fails to have a health check performed by a licensed veterinarian within 72 hours, the following health guarantee will be NULL AND VOID:
 - a. HEALTH GUARANTEE: A Health record of all shots and deworming will be provided by the Seller. If the Puppy should develop a severe genetic disease before its 2nd birthday (2 years from the Puppy's date of birth) and can no longer function as a pet animal, the Seller will replace, at no charge, with a comparable puppy. The Puppy will be replaced either from the same litter, or from a future litter. If no puppy is available for replacement, a possible refund will be discussed on a case-to-case basis. This does not include any shipping charges for the replacement puppy. A proper letter from the vet stating the problem found and the vet's opinion on the viability of the Dog must be sent to the Seller within 14 days of diagnosis. Buyer gives permission for the Seller to contact the Buyer's veterinarian to discuss any health issues that may arise in this Puppy. This guarantee does not include uneven bites, un-dropped testicles, accidental trauma, umbilical hernia, allergies, or any communicable diseases.

Buyer's Initials: _____

2. Said Puppy comes current on vaccines and deworming. It is now up to the Buyer to ensure the Puppy's continued health and wellbeing. Seller has done everything within their power to ensure the Puppy's health up to this point. Seller does not guarantee against communicable diseases, internal or external parasites, heartworms, protozoans,

bacterial viruses, hypoglycemia, parvo, distemper, corona, kennel cough, or coccidioidomycosis. Seller does not guarantee Puppy free of contagious illness once it leaves the premises. Seller recommends Buyer follow proper vaccine protocol and NOT take the puppy to public places such as stores, groomers, parks, daycares, training facilities/sessions, etc. until the entire vaccine series is complete. **** YOUR PUPPY IS NOT FULLY PROTECTED UNTIL VACCINATION SERIES IS COMPLETE****

3. Seller is in no way responsible for any medical care, or vet bills made after the Puppy leaves the care of SkyeLine Ranch Miniature American Shepherds. NO EXCEPTIONS.
4. Buyer hereby releases Seller from any liability, injuries, or damages to person(s) or property caused by said Puppy. Buyer shall assume full responsibility for the Puppy upon leaving the premises of SkyeLine Ranch Miniature American Shepherds.

***Buyer's Initials: _____

5. Buyer agrees to have said Puppy examined by a licensed veterinarian within 72 hours of receipt. This is highly recommended for puppies that are shipped/transported. If said Puppy is found to be in poor health during this time period, and must be euthanized, the Buyer must provide an autopsy report by a licensed veterinarian, and the Buyer will have the option for a full refund, excluding shipping costs.
6. Buyer is not to slander the Seller in any way, shape, or form. Seller cannot guarantee the adult height or weight of any puppy. However, we do try to determine the height and weight of the puppy based on the height and weight of the sire and dam. Seller cannot guarantee the temperament, eye color, ear set, bite, coat color, breeding ability, performance ability, etc. when the Puppy matures.

BREEDING/REPRODUCTION:

1. ***This puppy is being sold with AKC Limited Registration. This means that this Puppy is being sold as a pet/companion only and the Buyer does NOT have breeding rights for said Puppy. Puppies sold with Limited Registration must be spayed or neutered **within 24 months of age**. The Buyer must provide proof of the spay/neuter procedure and the Seller will remain a co-owner on the puppy's registration until proof of spay/neuter is sent. Buyer agrees NOT to breed this Puppy.
2. Buyer understands and agrees that the Dog shall be used solely as a companion pet and shall not be used for breeding. Litters from this Dog with Limited Registration are unable to be registered through AKC. If the Buyer breeds this Dog that is sold with Limited AKC Registration, the Buyer will be fined \$2,500 per litter produced in addition to \$1,000 per puppy born from said litter. The Buyer will also be fined an additional \$2,000 for breach of contract and subject to legal litigation for any breeding(s) or unauthorized litters out of this Dog.

*** Buyer's Initials: _____

CO-OWN PUPPIES:

1. There are times when I feel a puppy is special and if they evaluate well, then I will either keep them for my program or sell as show/performance/breed prospect to a select few. Show/performance/breed prospects are priced higher than pet/companions and will require a separate contract to be signed regarding the breeding rights and the responsibilities of the Buyer. Said puppies will be co-owned by the breeder.

RESERVATION FEE /PAYMENT:

1. ***A \$250 Reservation fee is required to hold a puppy. Once a reservation fee is received, it can be transferred to a different puppy if the Buyer chooses to do so, but only if another puppy is available. The full price of the Puppy must be paid 3 days before time of pick up if using Zelle as a payment method. If using Venmo, Apple Pay, money order, personal check, etc. balance must be paid 7 days before pick up. If your Puppy is being shipped, full balance must be paid 7 days before the date of flight/transport. If paying with cash, remaining balance may be paid at the time of pick up. Shipping costs are non-refundable. Reservation fees are non-refundable. **Buyer's Initials:** _____

This contract is under the jurisdiction of the state of Louisiana. In the event of any dispute, it is agreed that the place of venue shall be Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana. All attorney fees shall be paid by the plaintiff.

I, the Buyer, have read, understand, and agree to all the terms and conditions set forth in this puppy contract.

Purchase Price \$: _____

Shipping Cost \$: _____

Seller's Signature _____

Date: _____

Buyer's Signature _____

Date: _____

****Signed Puppy Contract and \$250 Reservation Fee are due within 24 hours of receiving this document****

Please contact me for payment instructions