

Shoregold Golden Retrievers

PUPPY APPLICATION

NAME

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

PHONE NUMBER

EMAIL:

HOW DID YOU LEARN ABOUT US?

WHAT MADE YOU CHOOSE SHOREGOLD?

WHY DID YOU DECIDED TO PURCHASE A GOLDEN RETRIEVER?

DO YOU PREFER A MALE OR FEMALE? WHY?

FOR WHAT PURPOSE(S) ARE YOU PURCHASING A GOLDEN RETRIEVER? PLEASE CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY:

COMPANION

OBEDIENCE SHOW

FIELD

HUNTING

BREEDING

THERAPY

AGILITY

TRACKING

OTHER:

DO YOU OR ANYONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD HAVE SPECIAL NEEDS?

HAVE YOU OWNED A DOG/DOGS BEFORE: WHEN?

WHAT BREED?

WHAT BECAME OF IT/THEM?

DID YOU SPAY OR NEUTER THEM?

WHAT AGE?

DID THEY EVER HAVE A PUPPY/LITTER?

WHAT BECAME OF IT/THEM?

HAVE YOU EVER GIVEN A DOG OR ANIMAL TO ANOTHER HOME OR TO A SHELTER?

IF SO, WHY?

DO YOU PLAN TO SPAY/NEUTER THIS DOG?

IF NOT, WHY?

DO YOU HAVE CHILDREN?

IF YES, WHAT ARE THEIR AGES?

DO ALL FAMILY MEMBERS WANT A NEW PUPPY?

DO YOU OR ANY HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS SMOKE?

DO ANY FAMILY MEMBERS HAVE ALLERGIES TO ANIMALS?

ARE YOU AWARE THAT GOLDEN RETRIEVERS ARE THICK DOUBLE COATED DOGS WHO SHED?

ARE YOU AWARE THERE ARE NO FOOD PRODUCTS, SUPPLEMENTS, SPECIAL SHAMPOOS, GROOMING TOOLS, HAIRCUTS OR SHAVE THAT WILL PREVENT, LESSEN OR ELIMINATE SHEDDING?

ARE YOU AWARE THAT GOLDEN RETRIEVERS ARE LARGE-SIZED SPORTING DOGS (STANDARD: 55-65 LBS FEMALE & 65-75 LBS MALE) THAT REQUIRE PLENTY OF EXERCISE?

PLEASE DESCRIBE THE CONDITIONS WHERE YOUR GOLDEN WILL LIVE (INSIDE/OUTSIDE/YARD/APARTMENT/ETC):

DO YOU HAVE A SECURELY FENCED IN YARD?

WILL YOUR PUPPY BE ALONE DURING THE DAY? IF SO, HOW LONG?

HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR LIFESTYLE, RECREATION OR HOW YOU SPEND YOUR VACATIONS?

HOW WOULD THE PUPPY/DOG BE CARED FOR WHEN YOU ARE AWAY?

WHO WILL BE PRIMARILY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CARE AND TRAINING OF THE PUPPY?

IF YOU ARE NOT FAMILIAR WITH DOG TRAINING, ARE YOU WILLING TO TAKE THIS DOG TO OBEDIENCE CLASSES SO THAT THE PUPPY WILL BECOME AN ENJOYABLE COMPANION AND A GOOD CANINE CITIZEN?

WHERE WILL THE PUPPY SLEEP AT NIGHT?

HAVE YOU EVER CRATE TRAINED A PUPPY OR DOG?

PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR BELIEFS ABOUT CRATE TRAINING?

HOW DO YOU DESCRIBE THE IDEAL GOLDEN RETRIEVER?

ARE YOU WILLING TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH YOUR BREEDER THROUGHOUT YOUR PUPPY'S LIFE?

PLEASE INCLUDE ANYTHING ELSE THAT WILL HELP US PLACE THE RIGHT PUPPY WITH YOU:

NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER OF YOUR VETERINARIAN:
(PLEASE CONTACT THEM AND GIVE THEM PERMISSION FOR ME TO DISCUSS AS REFERRAL)

PLEASE LIST AT LEAST TWO REFERENCES. INCLUDE NAME, PHONE NUMBER AND EMAIL:

ARE YOU AWARE THAT GOLDEN RETRIEVERS HAVE HEALTH CONCERNS (HIPS, ELBOWS, EYES, HEARTS, CANCER, ETC.) AND ALTHOUGH WE TRY TO PRODUCE HEALTHY GOLDEN RETRIEVERS WITH LOVELY TEMPERAMENTS, IN EACH CASE THERE ARE ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS BEYOND THE BREEDER'S CONTROL THAT INFLUENCE THE FINAL OUTCOME IN EACH GOLDEN?

WE HOLD VERY HIGH STANDARDS TO INCLUDE OUR DOGS IN THE BREEDING PROGRAM. ALL OUR GOLDEN RETRIEVERS ARE BREED WITH UPDATED CLEARANCES: OFA HIPS, ELBOWS AND THYROID,, CERF EYES BY A VETERINARY OPTOMETRIST AND HEART' CERTIFIED BY A VETERINARY CARDIOLOGIST.

ALL OF OUR COMPANION PUPPIES/DOGS ARE SOLD CO-OWNED WITH AN AKC LIMITED REGISTRATION AND SPAY/NEUTER CONTRACTS. THIS MEANS THAT THE DOG IS REGISTERED WITH AKC HOWEVER NONE OF THE OFFSPRING ARE ELIGIBLE FOR REGISTRATION. ALL DOGS WITH LIMITED REGISTRATION ARE STILL ELIGIBLE TO COMPETE IN ALL AKC EVENTS EXCEPT THE CONFORMATION BREED RING.

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