

Riverwind's ISSA Shiloh Shepherds

PRE-ADOPTION APPLICATION FOR PUPPIES

This form is designed to ask questions in order to help you and Riverwind Shilohs decide if a Shiloh Shepherd is the right breed for you.

We will help you select the right puppy for your family. We will be/have been watching the puppy's behavior, personality and temperament and will also be conducting a litter evaluation at around 8 weeks old to evaluate the puppies for temperament, conformation & movement. The information on this form helps us get to know a little bit about you so that proper puppy placement can occur. We urge you to be very honest with us about yourself and your home life, as these puppies rely on us to find the very best homes for them. Where one puppy may be perfect in a busy household, another may panic and need a quiet home. We have found that Shiloh Shepherds, indeed, have their own personalities and needs. Please feel free to add anything to this application that will help us determine what you are looking for in a Shiloh Shepherd.

Today's Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____

Home Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____

Email: _____

Please take your time answering the following questions and place a check mark on the appropriate lines and answer all questions with as much information as possible. If you need more room, please use the back of this form (just make sure to put the right number next to your answer.)

1. In what type of housing do you reside? ___ Apt/Condo ___ Town-house ___ Single Family

2. Do you live: ___ In town ___ In the country ___ On a farm/ranch...How many acres? ___

3. Do you: ___ Own ___ Rent

If you rent, does your landlord permit large dogs? ___ Yes ___ No Would you permit us to contact your landlord? ___ Yes ___ No Landlord's name and phone number: _____

4. Do you have a fenced yard? ___ Yes ___ No

If yes, type of fence _____ Height of fence in feet _____ If no, are you able to leash walk your dog at least four times a day for necessary functions and exercise? ___ Yes ___ No

If no, why not? _____

5. My household consists of: ___ Adults, ___ Children, ___ Dogs, ___ Cats, ___ Birds, ___ Other

My children's ages are: _____, Adult ages: _____

My dogs are (list age, sex, breed and neutered/spayed): _____

6. I have owned ___ dogs in the past ___ years.

7. My dogs were: ___ given away, ___ killed in accidents, ___ died of old age, ___

Euthanized because _____, other: _____

8. Does anyone in the household have allergies? ___ Yes ___ No.

If yes, what type? _____

9. Do you expect to have children? ___ Yes ___ No

10. Do you have a person living in your household that is: elderly, handicapped, has special needs?

11. I am interested in a pet and plan to spay/neuter. ___ Yes ___ No

12. I am interested in showing and/or breeding. ___ Yes ___ No (Breed or Show Quality--I am willing to keep the male intact for breeding or having at least one litter if I get a female.)

13. I am interested in training my dog in: ___ obedience, ___ agility, ___ search & rescue/herding, ___ therapy/seeing Eye, ___ Schutzhund, other _____.

14. My dog will spend most of his/her time: ___ in the house, ___ in the fenced yard, ___ in a kennel run, ___ on a chain, ___ running loose, ___ other _____

15. The temperament I expect from my dog, as per the following possibilities would be: The mailman knocks at the door with a package delivery. I want my dog to: ___ bark, then make friends, ___ bark, and not make friends, ___ bark, then chew him up, Other: _____.

16. I would like a: Male, Female, Either
17. I would like a: Plush coat, Smooth coat, Either
18. I would like a: Sable, Dual/Bi, White, Black, Not sure
19. Which family member will have the major responsibility for the dog? _____
20. How many hours a day would the dog normally be left alone? _____
21. Are you willing to crate train your Shiloh if necessary? _____
22. Do you agree to return your Shiloh Shepherd to us if you are unable to keep it? Yes No
23. Are you willing to keep the dog up to date on all its shots, screen for heartworm & use heartworm preventative? Yes No
24. Are you willing to screen your dog for heart and eye defects? Yes No
25. Are you willing to have your dog seen by a vet at least once a year? Yes No
26. Are you willing to have the dog's hips x-rayed (OFA or PennHip) at the age of 12 – 14 months and provide us with the report? Yes No
27. Who is your Veterinarian? _____ Phone #: () _____
28. Are you willing to license the dog and keep it properly identified? Yes No
29. Are you willing to provide us with follow up reports as needed? Yes No
30. Are you willing to pay the shipping charges for this dog? Yes No
31. Please list 3 references (2 if you have a current Veterinarian.) Please include complete name, address and phone number. Let each reference know (including Vet) that we will be contacting them.

32. Which litter(s) are you interested in getting a pup from and why?
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33. Please describe a day in the life of you, your dog and family. What sort of activities do you enjoy to do with your dog? Are you willing to take your puppy to classes?

By signing this application, I (we) authorize the Veterinarian listed on this application to release information to Riverwind Shilohs.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____

If you would like to be added to our list for a puppy, or a specific upcoming litter, please complete & return this questionnaire to Riverwind Shilohs. A \$400.00 deposit will be required to secure a spot on the litter. **Note that payment is nonrefundable.** It is only refundable if we cannot find a puppy that meets your needs within two years' time. Unforeseen circumstances could change the timing of when you will get your puppy such as the girl skipping a heat cycle or the pregnancy may not take or carried to full term. After two years, you are given the option to wait for the next available litter or have the deposit refunded.

If puppy is to be shipped, you are responsible for cost of shipping plus an additional \$250.00 to Riverwind which includes airline approved shipping crate, microchip implantation, first round of vaccinations, de-wormings, Veterinary Health Certificate & transportation to the airport. Final payment is due two weeks prior to litter evaluation. You will be given the date of the evaluation approximately one month after the pups are whelped. Please feel free to call, text or email with any questions you may have. riverwindshilohs@sbcglobal.net 405 623-7708

DO NOT send deposit or prepayment without first talking to Riverwind Shilohs. Your application must first be approved and litter confirmed before sending a deposit.