

Heritage Hearth Mastiffs



Application / Questionnaire for Mastiff Puppy

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This application/questionnaire is to help us determine if one of our English Mastiffs is the appropriate pet for you and your family, and further, which one of our puppies would be most suitably placed with you in your home.

It is important that we have the following information to review before we can discuss the possibility of placing one of our dogs with you. So please fill out this application and return it as soon as possible so we may contact you.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

NAME(s):	<input type="text"/>		
ADDRESS:	<input type="text"/>		
CITY:	STATE:	<input type="text"/>	ZIP: <input type="text"/>
PHONE #s:	<input type="text"/>		
CELL #:	<input type="text"/>		
FAX:	<input type="text"/>		
E-MAIL:	<input type="text"/>		
Referred By OR How did you hear of us?:	<input type="text"/>		

FAMILY PROFILE

Your Age:	<input type="text"/>	Your Occupation:	<input type="text"/>	Marital Status:	<input type="text"/>
Spouse's Name:	<input type="text"/>	Spouse's Occupation:	<input type="text"/>		
Children / Ages:	<input type="text"/>				
	<input type="text"/>				
	<input type="text"/>				

If no children now, are you planning any in the near future?	Yes	<input type="text"/>	No	<input type="text"/>
Do any family members have allergies to dog dander, hair or dust?	Yes	<input type="text"/>	No	<input type="text"/>

Describe the amount of time and how you and your family spend it at home.	<input type="text"/>
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YOUR YARD AND HOME

Do you have a fenced yard?	Yes	<input type="text"/>	No	<input type="text"/>	Please describe, (material):	<input type="text"/>
Where will your dog sleep?	<input type="text"/>					
Where will your dog be when no one is at home?	<input type="text"/>					
Describe the shelter provided when your dog must be outside and where his/her water bowl be:	<input type="text"/>					

PET HISTORY

Please list all your pets currently living in your home:

Breed / Type	Name	Sex	Neutered / Spayed?

Please list dogs owned in the past:

Breed / Type	Cause of Death or reason no longer owned	Sex	Years owned

Please describe in detail the personality traits, temperament, or habits in your dogs (past or present) that you have enjoyed the most or liked the least? What is the most endearing thing a dog of yours has ever done? What has caused you the most annoyance toward any of your dogs?

YOUR DESIRE TO OWN A MASTIFF

Please describe, in as much detail as possible, why you want a Mastiff. What are your plans for him or her when you get him home? (Family pet, competing in the show ring, taking him to work with you everyday, breeding purposes, having him stay home to protect your house, jogging partner, etc). What family activities will he participate with you as a puppy, and then when older?

Your preference in color: Fawn Apricot Brindle But will accept any

Your preference in sex: Male Female Reason:

What age dog do you prefer, and the reason:

Are you willing to **drive** any distance to pick up your new dog? Yes No

Are you prepared for the financial responsibility of owning a giant breed dog? Yes No

Are you willing to properly socialize your new dog with people and other dogs? Yes No

Please describe your training plan(s):

If you were to purchase a puppy as a Potential Show Quality mastiff and were unable to successfully see him through his championship because of your health, time or financial hardship, would you give permission to the breeder to use a handler with no handling fees incurred to you? Yes No

Please provide contact information on your current veterinarian:

Name:

Address:

Phone:

State Zip

Please provide contact information on two personal references:

Name:			
Address:		State	Zip
Phone:			

Name:			
Address:		State	Zip
Phone:			

Heritage Hearth Mastiffs requires that any of our puppies/dogs be returned to us at any point in time, should you find yourself unable to care for him/her. Are you willing to agree to this? yes no

All our puppies will be evaluated at eight weeks of age, and sold as either Potential Show/Breeding Quality with Full AKC Registration, or Pet Quality with a Limited Registration. The AKC has provided two categories of registering purebred mastiffs for breeders to use so they can keep some control of their breeding program. Most reputable breeders agree that not every puppy from every litter should be bred. We strive to only reproduce the best qualities and traits of a mastiff, always breeding for the betterment of the breed. AKC Limited Registration helps us restrict progeny as we, breeders see appropriate. A dog/bitch placed on **Limited Registration** is **restricted** from being bred or shown in AKC sanctioned dog shows or events. No litters produced by a dog or bitch sold on Limited Registration will be eligible for AKC registration. The designation of **Limited** may be upgraded at any time by the breeder/litter owner of record to **Full Registration** should the breeder find this to be appropriate. To reiterate, Show/Breeding quality of your puppy may be re-evaluated within the first 24 months, should you, the new owner, be interested. It will be at my, the breeder/litter owner's, discretion to upgrade the current status of Limited to Full Registration.

Full Registration means that your dog or bitch is fully registered through the AKC and all litters produced from your new dog/bitch are eligible for registration and he/she may be shown at any AKC sanctioned event.

A five-generation Pedigree will accompany each puppy. Every effort has been made to insure the best owner/puppy match as possible. We reserve the right to decline any application. Your deposit of \$500 will be applied to the total purchase price of your puppy. An application received without a deposit will not reserve a puppy. A \$500 check received for the deposit without an application will not reserve a puppy. Checks submitted prior to notification that there is a litter on the way, will be held, not cashed. As soon as we are sure there are puppies on the way, we will process your deposit, reserving your position to select a puppy from this litter. If for any reason you cannot take a puppy, a puppy becomes unavailable, or your application is declined, you will receive a full refund of your deposit.

I, (Puppy Buyer), fully understand (a) the registration procedure described above and (b) the initial sales agreement. Full price of the mastiff puppy has been discussed privately, outside the Heritage Hearth website. Also understood is that there will be a written sales contract, specific to the quality, price, and other stipulations of our agreement upon the final sale of my new puppy. I further understand that I may call with any questions or concerns at anytime for additional qualification.

(signature of applicant)

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Date application was received: _____
Amount of Deposit received: _____
Application approved: _____