Puppy Application

Name of Applicant:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Daytime Phone: Cell Phone:

Email:

Occupation: Work schedule:

Name of Co-Applicant:

Relationship to Applicant:

Co-Applicant Occupation: Work schedule:

Co-Applicant Daytime Phone: Cell Phone:

Will someone be home during the day with the puppy?

If you are working full-time, are you able to come home during lunch or breaks to care for the puppy?

How did you hear about us?

Do you have children? If YES, list names and ages.

Do you or any of your family members have allergies to dogs?

On a typical day, how many hours are you away from home? Please include weekends and activities that may keep you away from home.

At this time, do you have any other pets? Please list breeds, types and ages.

Are they spayed or neutered?

Describe your current residence:

Do you own or rent? If you rent, have you checked with your landlord for approval? Please include a letter from your landlord giving you authorization to have a large (60-85lb.) dog living with you.

Do you have a fenced yard? Please describe the type of fencing and the height. Wooden, chain link, wire and post, PVC, electric? Other? Are there any gaps or holes?

Do you have a dog kennel or dog house in your yard? If yes, when will your dog use it?

On a typical day, where will the dog be kept? At night?

Where will the dog stay when you travel? Boarding kennel, Family/Friends, Veterinary boarding facility, or have a pet sitter come to the home?

Will the dog be able to roam free without a leash? Where and under what conditions?

If you have had a Golden Retriever before, what did you like the most/least about them?

Do you have a gender preference? Male/Female/No Preference

If your first choice is not available, would you be willing to take a puppy of the opposite sex?

Do you agree to vaccinate according to standard veterinary practice, provide prompt and proper medical care and administer heartworm and flea prevention year round?

Please give the name, address and phone number of your current veterinarian along with your current or previous pet’s names.

Please give the name, address, phone and e-mail address of an emergency contact person.

Please list the name and phone number of 3 personal references who have knowledge of your pets. If they live in a different time zone, please indicate which one.

If you are a military family, do you plan to take this dog with you when you transfer out of state?

Overseas?

Would you be willing to wait for a puppy from a future litter?

For what purpose are you purchasing a Golden Retriever? Circle all that apply: Family Companion, Breeding, Showing, Tracking, Obedience, Field/Hunting, Agility, Therapy

Who would be responsible for the primary care of the puppy?

Have you ever owned a Golden Retriever before? Are you familiar with the personality, temperament, grooming requirements, nutritional needs and activity level?

What type of personality are you looking for in your new puppy?

If you currently own or have owned a Golden in the past, please indicate their ages and weights. If deceased, list age and cause of death.

Are you willing to take the puppy to puppy classes/obedience classes so he can be an enjoyable family member?

Have you ever bred a dog? Do you plan to breed dogs in the future?

Have you ever sold/given away or surrendered an animal to a shelter or placed a dog with a rescue group? If yes, please explain.

Will your dog be allowed on the furniture or the bed? Are you aware that Golden Retrievers shed year round?

Are you prepared to puppy proof your home? Are you comfortable with crate training when they are little? Do you realize that although they grow quickly, they may chew and get into mischief until 18 months or longer?

Are you committed to the care, development, and well-being of this dog for its lifetime? 10-14 years?

Are you willing to keep in touch for the life of the dog, and come to me with any issues or questions?

I take breeding Golden Retrievers very seriously. I consider them a lifetime responsibility and will do my best to offer them to families who have the capacity to love and care for them as I would, In the event that you are unable to provide proper care for the dog, would you be willing to return the dog to me regardless of age?

Submission of this questionnaire does not guarantee the purchase/placement of a puppy from Glen Lake Goldens. We reserve the right to reject any applicant, for any reason, at any time. Deposits may be returned at any time in the process. The deposit is for a spot on the waitlist and does not guarantee a puppy. A deposit is refundable if we do not have a puppy for you, or if we feel that you are not a good fit for a puppy. Applicants may be asked to allow a “home visit” before being approved. Applicants also give Glen Lake Goldens the right to contact the veterinarian and any of the references provided on this form.

Please use this space to provide us with any other information that you think will help us get to know you and your family better and to help place a puppy most suited for your family/lifestyle.

Thank you for your interest!

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