

At Crystaleye Aussies I take pride in my own dogs, breeding a litter is very rare for me and I only ever breed when wanting a young star to keep for myself.

I understand that buying a puppy is an exciting time for you and your family members, and a huge responsibility. For me to ensure that a Crystaleye Aussie is right for you, please take the time to answer the questions in this carefully prepared questionnaire.

I will take expressions of interests for our planned litters, however I will only ever place my puppies into the most perfect of homes. After-all I feel responsible for these little guys and want to ensure that they have the best lives they can when bought into this world.

Should the unforeseen event arise that you can no longer care for or keep your Crystaleye puppy or dog please contact me as your first option of rehoming.

Full name of all Owners

Street Address

Suburb /Town State Post Code

Phone Number Mobile Phone Number

Email Address

Do you have young children under the age of 8 Yes No

Please list the ages of your children if any

Australian Shepherds are wonderful with children but they are not a stuffed toy.

Are you willing to teach your children to properly respect the dogs space, meal times and its needs for periods of rest Yes No

What other pets, livestock, chooks or other animals do you have

Do you live in Residential Flat Town House Acreage

The area you live in is best described as City Suburban Rural

Is your residence Owned Rented

If you rent do you have permission to have a dog Yes No

What are the approx. dimensions or size of the fenced area of your yard where the dog will be kept. (Pictures may be required)

What is the type and material of your fence (wood, chainlink, etc)

What is the height of your fence

Where will the dog sleep

If outside are you aware that the Australian Shepherd is a working dog breed and has strong guarding instincts - this can lead to him/her becoming a "barker" if left outside alone at night.

If this occurs are you prepared to take measures to ensure the dog ceases barking such as bring it inside the house, a shed or laundry Yes No

How did you find us (personal referral, web search, facebook, etc)

What is your preference Male Female

Why?

Will you responsibly desex your puppy at a suitable age Yes No

Why did you decide on an Aussie Shepherd

Do you have any previous experience with this breed or other working dog breeds

Do you have the time to properly care for this dog with ample time for play and interaction and also to teach basic obedience and manners with consistency so the dog is well balanced and does not become a nuisance

- Are you prepared to attend an Obedience School program if deemed necessary Yes No
- Are you currently on a waiting list for any other dog Yes No
- If transport costs are involved are you prepared to pay (flights, road) Yes No

What activities do you plan to be involved in with your Australian Shepherd

Do you expect any major lifestyle changes in the next few years (new baby, moving, marriage, home renovations, etc)

Do you have plans to purchase another dog or puppy of the same or different breed in the next 12 months

Are you aware that an Aussie Shepherd is a medium sized dog that sheds it's "double" coat 1-2 times per year

- Yes No

Are you prepared to spend 10-15mins per week giving a good brush over with an undercoat grooming rake and slicker brush to ensure all loose hair and any mats are removed

- Yes No

How will you alleviate any boredom issues (this is a VERY smart breed) that may eventuate during the day should you be at work or out

Who cares for your pets when you are on vacation or out of town

Are you generally aware of the costs associated with the proper long term care of a medium sized dog (immunisations, 3 monthly worming, unforeseen veterinary care, good quality dog food)

- Yes No

Have you ever given up a dog to its breeder, to a shelter or a pound or given it away to another home

If so why ?

Do you understand that in the event you cannot keep the dog that we must be notified FIRST so we are able to assist you in rehoming the dog and (or) have the dog returned to us

- Yes No

Puppies will be immunised according to age, will have been wormed regularly, microchipped, fed on premium dog food, Limited registered with Dogs NSW, come with a comprehensive information folder, "Advance" puppy pack, toy, treats, and 6 weeks accident and illness insurance. Copy of parents DNA certificate, hip and elbow scores also provided.

Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire. Should I agree that one of my pups is right for you & you wish to secure a puppy you will be required to pay a deposit of A\$200. The deposit is fully refundable if either of us changes our minds about the purchase of the puppy or it will come off the purchase price if we go ahead.

I will be in touch soon
Regards,
CATHY