

Wild Spirit White Shepherds

Contract and Guarantee

TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

Breeder and/or Owner, Ben & Kristi Springer, hereby transfers the ownership of the following identified puppy or dog to the New Owner (s) on the date of _____, 20-----.

UKC Registration Number/Name _____

Identification (Call Name or Color of Collar) _____

Microchip (Type, Location and Number) _____

Birthdate, Sex and coat type _____, _____, _____

Sire _____

Dam _____

New Owner/Co-Owner Name, Address and Phone Number (as it will appear on UKC registration):

REGISTRATION

This puppy is sold as (circle one) PET or SHOW quality for the purchase price of \$ _____

Deposit Received: _____ Balance due: _____ Paid in Full: _____

Payment Arrangements: _____

All of our puppies come with UKC registration papers. Puppy will also come with a 3 generation pedigree, copies of the sire and dam's registration certificates, vaccination/de-worming schedule and pictures of both parents and grandparents (if available). Articles of interest to assist you in raising your puppy will also be included in your puppy packet. Breeder will permanently register all puppies. Those who reserve their puppy early will be allowed to choose the UKC registered name of their puppy. New owners will complete the transfer of registration into their name and pay the fee to do so.

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRATION:

NAMING YOUR PUPPY –

We are very proud of our puppies here at Wild Spirit White Shepherds and we hope that you will be to! Naming your puppy helps individualize them and make them something very special, however it can also be used as a very creative way to trace where a dog came

from.. we REQUIRE all of our puppies names to incorporate Wild Spirit's at the beginning of the official registered name that shows up on your puppies UKC papers. Example : "Wild Spirit's Buddy"... however the rest is up to you. This just helps us to trace where our dogs originate from.

PET QUALITY - If puppy is sold as pet quality, he/she cannot be used for breeding and must be spayed or neutered and must not be allowed to breed, even accidentally. Males can breed as early as 6 months and females will come into heat at about 8 months. Watch your puppy **CLOSELY** and be **RESPONSIBLE!** You will be given a **COPY** of your registration papers at time of sale. Original registration papers will not be given until proof of spay or neuter is sent to Breeder.

BREEDING/SHOW QUALITY - If puppy is sold as breeding/show quality, you will be given limited registration papers at time of sale and full registration will be granted once hip/elbow x-rays are done to verify acceptable hips AND elbows (OVC or OFA) . The x-rays must be done after the puppy has turned two years of age. *Unless prior arrangements are made*, full registration will be granted only after the puppy is at least two years of age and the hip/elbow certifications have been completed. Purchaser must pay the fee to UKC to lift the limited registration to full registration. Only after this has been completed will the puppy be allowed to breed. If puppy is allowed to breed prior to hip/elbow certifications, Breeder will take legal action to repossess the puppy as we consider this irresponsible pet ownership and detrimental to the breed. All court costs and other costs will be at expense of Purchaser. **TO AVOID LEGAL ACTIONS - DO NOT ALLOW YOUR PUPPY TO BREED UNTIL YOU MEET OUR REQUIREMENTS!** Please remember – breeding is to **BETTER** the breed, get your certifications **PRIOR** to breeding.

*Exception - If a puppy is sold to a buyer outside the U.S. and registration papers are desired, puppy will be sold with full registration and at full registration price. The same requirement is expected in reference above to hip and elbow certifications prior to breeding.

Breeding and Show Quality puppies MUST BE x-rayed and are guaranteed to pass OFA/OVC or receive a report from Pennhip with no indication of dysplasia. If a puppy comes back after two years of age with a report of subluxation *only*, you must repeat the x-rays at a later time (at least 6 months after date of original x-ray) before determining that the puppy will not pass OFA/OVC. If there is indication of "remodeling of the femoral head" or "shallow acetabulum", then there is no need to repeat the x-ray. Puppies that do not pass OFA and receive a mild or moderate result of dysplasia are still able to lead a normal pet life and will be considered Pet Quality and a replacement puppy of Show Quality will be offered. Puppies who receive a report of severe dysplasia will be refunded a replacement puppy of Show/Breeding Quality free of charge. Purchaser will be required to pay all related shipping costs to get the replacement puppy and to return the first puppy back to us.

Pet Quality Puppies who are diagnosed with hip or elbow dysplasia must also have reports sent to OFA to confirm diagnosis. The dog must be in obvious pain and this must be

documented by a veterinarian. A replacement Pet Quality puppy will be offered at half price (for reports of mild and moderate). If a Pet Quality puppy is diagnosed with severe dysplasia, a replacement Pet Quality puppy will be offered at no charge. Just as in the case of Breeding/Show Quality puppies that come back with reports of subluxation, a second report must be done at least 6 months later, to confirm dysplasia. Often, a fast growing puppy will show subluxation only to x-ray normal when he finishes growing. Subluxation (looseness) with no remodeling of the femoral head does not cause pain and could be a temporary situation that will correct itself. No refunds will be given for a report of Panosteitis (growing pains), as this can be controlled by proper feeding and the puppy will outgrow it.

1 Year Puppy Guarantee -

Thank you for your interest in our puppies and dogs for sale. If you would like to own one of these loving puppies we have only a few things we require of the new owners in order to offer the 1 year guarantee. These conditions are few but very important to the health and welfare of a growing puppy. We offer 1 year replacement Only if there is any issue related to hips or unforeseen hereditary issues , Buyer is to pay for shipping of the replacement puppy and the return puppy, no exceptions !!

No REFUNDS AT ALL UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES!!

To be eligible for this guarantee. First, we ask you have a vet check with in 7 days after you pick up your puppy and receipt of such must be sent .Please schedule your vet exam as soon as you know when your puppy is coming home. In the event there is an unforeseen issue with the puppy we ask for two vet certified health reports from two different veterinarians stating the issue with the puppy, Records of immunizations from a licensed vet. Or, The last is that the new owners keep/furnish receipts of the types of dog foods fed to the puppies for that year . IT IS THAT IMPORTANT To the health of your puppy. You must have all supporting documents or do not call us and ask us for a replacement puppy.

IF YOU FEED A POOR QUALITY PUPPY FOOD YOUR PUPPY WILL SUFFER FROM A POOR OR WEAK IMMUNE SYSTEM AND CAN GET ALL TYPES OF ILLNESSES INCLUDING ,HIP ISSUES, RASHES AND HAIR LOSS, IT ALSO CAN ATTRIBUTE AND BE THE MAIN CAUSE OF DEMODEX MANGE TO APPEAR. RESEARCH THE TYPES OF FOOD TO FEED YOUR PET.

The food and drug for pets AAFCO has rated the dog foods in calcium at a 2.50 which is very high for a Large breed puppy and can cause the bones and joints to grow separate of each other causing hip dysplasia , giving vitamins rich in calcium is also another factor added to cause hip issues in large breed dogs. The recommended calcium for a large breed puppy is .34% to .75% maximum to insure proper bone growth, Puppies who have too much calcium grow at faster levels than those who have lower calcium. Unnatural bone growth is the number 1 cause of hip dysplasia in all breeds of dogs. Vets will tell you a cheap dog food is bad for bones, health and immune systems. Any animal, like humans can develop unforeseen problems but if you give it the proper care, vet care, worming program, healthy food and a good diet they can and will live long and

healthy lives. Consult your veterinarian for advice. We require receipt of a high quality puppy food/dog food for the first year which is very important for the immune system of a growing puppy. If your not sure ask your Veterinarian. The cheaper no brand dog foods have little if no nutritional value. Hip dysphasia can occur from a poor diet.

As the Breeder of your new puppy, I have done everything I can to ensure that the health of your puppy is excellent. I only breed adult dogs that have OFA or Penn Hip certified hips with no evidence of dysplasia and who have no genetic health conditions. Understand that with genetics and breeding dogs specifically, nothing is 100% guaranteed - although it is rare, even with the best of planning and breeding, undesirable genetic conditions do occur even out of normal, healthy parents. Your puppy is guaranteed to be suitable for the purpose of which he was purchased. If you have purchased a Pet Quality puppy and the puppy is diagnosed with a health condition that requires euthanasia or causes sudden death, you will be given a replacement puppy of equal value. Please Note - at Breeder's expense, Breeder reserves the right to a second opinion prior to euthanasia. If you do not give us this right to a second opinion, no replacement puppy will be offered. If you have purchased a Breeding Quality puppy and the puppy has a genetic condition that allows him to live a healthy pet quality life, yet is something that should not be used in a breeding program, you will be allowed to return the puppy for a replacement puppy. A written diagnosis from a veterinarian must be provided and although the owners may keep the puppy, he/she must be spayed or neutered prior to receiving a replacement puppy and documentation of the altering must be provided to Breeder. Please contact us BEFORE you spay or neuter the puppy to get our approval of a replacement puppy due. If you have allowed the dog to breed, then you are accepting the dog to be in good health and suitable for breeding and no replacement guarantee will be honored. All costs associated with returning a puppy to Breeder for replacement and having the replacement puppy shipped to Purchaser's location will be paid for by Purchaser.

NEW OWNER OBLIGATIONS

New owners promise to provide puppy a kind and loving environment, with proper care and necessary veterinarian care. I recommend your Puppy be taken through an obedience/socialization class by 4- 6 months of age. I cannot stress enough, the importance of obedience class and socialization for a White Shepherd puppy. The personality of a puppy is well developed by 4-6 months of age and improper socialization (or lack of) can result in an overly anxious/or fearful puppy when attempting socialization as a much older pup or adult. A well mannered puppy does NOT just happen, your puppy will become what you allow him to become.

Breeder may be contacted at any time for advice and concerns. Please do not hesitate to call if you have questions about your puppy. An occasional update and picture of puppy would be greatly appreciated. New owners must keep address and phone number current with Breeder. Legal actions will be taken to return puppy to Breeder if reports of neglect are indicated. It is our sincere desire to find Forever Homes for our puppies. Do not take ownership of a puppy lightly, if you are not prepared to care for this puppy for his entire lifetime (10-15 years) then do not adopt one of our puppies. We do understand that there

are situations that cannot be helped or foreseen. If for ANY reason the new owners can no longer keep the puppy they MUST notify Breeder immediately and the puppy must be returned to the Breeder. You may not resale a puppy you buy from us without our permission. *Under no circumstance* is a Wild Spirit puppy ever to be taken to the Humane Society or turned over to a Rescue Organization. Humane Societies and Rescue Organizations are for unwanted puppies - no Wild Spirit puppy is ever unwanted. We will take back any puppy that we produce or sell. Legal action will be taken against the Purchaser if you do not contact us to allow us to make arrangements to have the puppy returned to us. By signing this contract, you are accepting that responsibility.

By signing here you are acknowledging that you have read the entire contract and that you agree to abide by all that has been stated within. This contract is non-transferable and is admissible in court.

New Owner:

Address: _____

Phone # _____

Co-Owner:

Address: _____

Breeder signature:

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Payment option :

Amount paid : _____ check# _____ cash _____

Balance Due : _____ Date due _____

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X _____

Breeder and new owner signature when puppy has been paid in full