

Puppy Questionnaire

As a breeder of the Schapendoes, it is my responsibility to make sure that a puppy that I have bred, which will have my name listed on the puppy's registration papers, be placed in the most appropriate environment, as such, I would ask you to complete the following questionnaire to give me a better idea of your family, your lifestyle, and how a puppy will fit into it. Our breeding program is centered around the betterment of this versatile breed and the promotion of responsible dog ownership. Purchasing a puppy is not something that should be done on a whim but should involve much research and planning. Be prepared to assume the financial responsibility of care for a puppy including inoculation, vet care, good quality food, and licensing, etc. Please complete the questionnaire with as much detail as you can. Any questions left unanswered will not automatically disqualify, but will hinder my responsibility as a breeder to match the best puppy to your situation.

Though some of the questions may be considered highly personal, please be aware this questionnaire is highly confidential and that no one but SchapAnnRo's will see the results of the questionnaire. If you wish to send an email with your answers you may send your email to:

Schapannro@rogers.com

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State/Province, Postal Code: _____

Telephone (evening & daytime): _____

Email: _____

Date _____

Names and ages of all people (adults & children) living in your household _____

If you have children, what has been their experience with dogs _____

What is your current employment status? _____

Do you foresee any changes in the next 5 – 10 years? _____

Are you interested in a male or female puppy? Why? _____

Would you consider the opposite sex if it is a better match for your family or we are unable to provide the preferred sex? Yes _____ No _____

What do you expect the activity level of the Schapendoes to be:

Very high _____ High _____ Moderate _____ Below average _____

Who will be the primary care giver? _____

How did you learn about SchapAnnRo? _____

Does anyone in your family have allergies? Yes _____ No _____

Describe your personality and your family's: _____

Have you ever owned a dog? If so, what breed(s): _____

Do you still have the dog(s)? Yes _____ If yes how will he/she/they adjust to a new puppy) _____

No _____ If not, why _____

Have you ever had to euthanize a dog? If so, why: _____

Have you ever had to take a dog to a shelter or pound: If so, why: _____

Have you ever returned a pet to the breeder? If so, what were the circumstances?

What circumstances, in your mind, justify getting rid of a dog? _____

Where did you get your previous or current dog(s)? Check all that apply:

Breeder _____ Pet store _____ Breed rescue _____ Shelter _____ Stray _____ Gift _____ Other _____

Do you have any other pets? If so, what kind? _____

If you have other animals, how are they going to adjust to the new addition _____

Do you currently have a veterinarian? If so, what is the name/clinic/telephone number, and may I contact them for a reference?

How did you decide that you wanted a Schapendoes? _____

Do all family members want a Schapendoes? Yes _____ No _____

What is your interest (mark all that apply):

Show/conformation _____ Performance/ obedience/ agility/ rally _____

Breeding _____ Pet/ companion _____ Other (specify) _____

Have you ever raised a litter of puppies? If so, what breed? _____

With regard to grooming, please complete the following: I think Schapendoes' require:

Daily brushing _____ Weekly brushing _____

Grooming (bathing and drying) more than every 6 months _____

Grooming 2X per year _____ Don't know _____

Do you like to brush a dog? Yes _____ No _____

Previous dog training (if applicable):

I personally trained my dog _____ A personal trainer trained my dog _____

I took my puppy to puppy kindergarten _____

I took my puppy beyond puppy kindergarten _____

I train for obedience trials _____ conformation _____ agility _____ other _____

I don't believe in dog training _____

How do you plan to contain your puppy while it is outside:

Kennel run (existing) _____ Kennel run (will build) _____

Hidden fence _____ Tether, chain or rope _____ Fenced yard _____

On leash only _____ No restraint – run loose _____

Will there be someone available to feed and exercise the puppy during the day? _____

How many hours per day on average would your dog be left alone? _____

Where will the puppy sleep at night? _____

When you are on vacation, who will take care of the puppy? _____

When the puppy is travelling in the car, how will it be contained? _____

Do you have a pool? Yes, we have a pool and it is fenced _____ not fenced _____

We don't have a pool _____

Complete the following: I am looking mainly for an:

Inside dog _____ Outside dog _____ Both _____

If you are purchasing a pet/companion dog, will you agree to sign a contract stating that the dog is to be spayed/neutered and will not be used for breeding purposes?

Yes _____ No _____

Details about your family's residence(s):

City/house _____ City/ apartment _____ Suburb/ house _____

Suburb/ apartment _____ Country house (less than 1 acre) _____

Country house (more than 1 and less than 3 acres) _____

Country house (more than 3 acres) _____ Condo _____

Cottage _____ Other _____

Are you planning on moving in the near future? Yes _____ No _____

Do you foresee any change in your lifestyle in the next 5 years (birth, retirement ...) Yes _____ No _____

If yes please describe: _____

Do you enjoy going for walks: How long _____

How often _____

Describe a typical weekday: _____

Please tell me a little bit about what you are looking for in a Schapendoes, and what type of activities you would likely be pursuing (coach potato, jogging companion, a buddy for the kids, etc.):
