

Thank you for your inquiry into a Golden Retriever puppy.

Our dogs live in our house as part of the family, which is where the puppies will spend their first 8 weeks. They will be well socialized with children and other animals as well as different sights, sounds and surfaces. Our puppies get the best in the 8 weeks they are with us starting with Early Neurological Stimulation from day 3 until day 16. A healthy puppy with a sound temperament is our priority.

All our puppies will be sold on a non-breeding agreement and registered through the Canadian Kennel Club. They will also be microchipped and inspected by a Veterinarian a few days before going home. There will also be 6 weeks of free pet insurance included with your new puppy. Each pup goes home with a booklet containing all relevant information on the history of your puppy as well as pictures, training information, and information on the Jean Dodds vaccination protocol we follow. In addition, we also include a suitable crate, their first bag of dog food, and a first aid kit. The total cost for your new puppy and all the training and equipment is \$1,750.00

If you are seriously interested, we will arrange for you and your family to visit our home and meet the dogs in person. During that time we will interview each other and be sure that we are comfortable working together. We will then chat about what you are wanting out of your dog and decide which litter/gender would best suit your family. A reservation is put down to hold your spot on the decided litter.

Once the female is confirmed pregnant or pups are already born, a 50% deposit is required to hold your reservation. Should you change your mind prior to picking up your pup, you will only receive 50% of your deposit back.

Once the puppies are born, we will hold an open house every 2 weeks on a Sunday until the pups are ready to go home. It is important to attend as many as you can so you can watch the pups grow and to help with the socialization/imprinting process. We will also start an email group with all the families getting puppies in the litter and send regular updates via email.

No one picks out their puppy until the day you pick them up, so that means you will pick out and take home the same day. We do not allow choosing until after their vet check and we also want to see maximum development before we choose. Each puppy will have a unique coloured collar since birth, so you will have the chance to track your favourite.

Choosing your puppy will depend on the order in which the families have confirmed their spot. For example; if you were the first family to put down a deposit for a male in a litter, you would then have 1st pick male, etc. This may be subject to the Breeder's discretion when it comes to working/show homes or if we do not feel you have chosen the right temperament match for your family.

On the day you pick up your puppy, count on spending 2-3 hours with us going over everything you will need to know to be a successful puppy owner!

Please note: crate training is a must.

Should you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to call me on my cell at 905-724-0101

Hope to hear from you,

Sherri and the gang