

GUARDIANSHIP CONTRACT

This **GUARDIANSHIP AGREEMENT** is between Tracy Rietzel, of Hazy Daisy Doodles and Poodles Kennels, hereafter referred to as "the Breeder", and _____, hereafter referred to as "the Guardian". The following contract refers to puppy/dog named: _____, hereafter referred to as "the Dog".

Ownership of this dog, remains the property of the Breeder and the Breeder will retain exclusive rights to the Dog for their breeding program until such time as the dog is retired, altered, and a Retired Dog Contract has been completed and signed by both the Breeder and the Guardian. Any offspring produced by this dog are solely the property of the Breeder and the Guardian has no ownership or interest in them.

The Breeder requires that the Guardian allow them full access to the Dog at all times upon request. All requests will be given with a minimum of 24 hours' notice.

THE GUARDIAN AGREES TO:

1. Allow the Breeder access to assess their house and property to ensure their suitability as a Guardian home.
2. Safely confine dog within the boundaries of their property.
3. Attend Breeder approved Puppy or Dog training classes with the Dog.
4. Make the Dog available to the Breeder at their request for: Health Testing, Vaccination(s), Breeding. All requests will be made with at least 24 hours' notice.
5. Feed the Dog food approved by the Breeder.
6. Groom the Dog at least once a month by either:
 - a. Bringing the dog to the Breeder for proper grooming *or*
 - b. Taking the Dog to a qualified groomer in their area. (In this case the Guardian will be responsible for all expenses related to the grooming.)
7. Avoid accidental breeding by ensuring that:
 - a. Females are kept away from any intact males during heat.
 - b. Intact males are kept away from any females in heat.
8. Notify the Breeder upon the first signs of heat in a breeding female.
9. Notify the Breeder immediately if the Dog exhibits any abnormal behaviour, or upon illness or injury.
10. Notify and send a copy of all Veterinarian visits to the Breeder.
11. Treat the Dog with Revolution from thaw to freeze and with de-wormer during the winter months.

12. Determine if a license is required in their area and if so keep it current. The Guardian will be responsible for any fees associated with the licensing.
13. Be willing share in the transportation of the Dog between their home and the Breeder's if the Guardian lives more than 45km from the Breeder.
14. Notify the Breeder upon any change of address at least 30 days in advance.
15. Ensure any and all boarding of the Dog is done through the Breeder.
16. Keep the Breeder updated with pictures regularly and that any pictures of the Dog may appear on the Breeder's website.
17. Keep the Dog well socialized with other dogs, animals, and people of all ages.
18. Will ensure open communication exists between the Guardian and the Breeder.

BREEDING:

The Guardian agrees to notify the Breeder upon the first signs of heat in a breeding female. The Guardian will make any Dog (male/female) available to the Breeder upon request, with at least 24 hours' notice, for breeding. After a successful breeding a female Dog shall return to the Breeder at least 1 week prior to whelping and will stay with the Breeder until all puppies are weaned.

If, for any reason, the dog is unable to be used for the purpose of breeding and produce at least one litter in the breeding program at Hazy Daisy Doodles, the Guardian home will have the option of:

- Paying the current non-breeding contract price for the dog/puppy and signing a new Puppy Contract.
- Returning the dog/puppy to Hazy Daisy Doodles for them to find another buyer.

In the event the Guardian chooses to return the dog/puppy, Hazy Daisy Doodles is under no obligation to provide a replacement.

Whether the Guardian chooses to purchase the puppy or return the puppy this contract will become null and void.

VETERINARY CARE:

If the Guardian lives within a 45-minute drive of the Breeder they agree that all the Dog's Veterinary care go through the Breeders primary veterinarian, Dr. Malone, located in Moncton, NB. If the Guardian lives outside the specified area, they agree to visit a Veterinarian recommended/approved by Dr. Malone and the Breeder.

LOSS, ILLNESS, AND INJURY:

If at any time the Dog should be stolen, lost, or acquire serious injury or illness outside the realm of normal pet care and not related to genetic or congenital conditions while in possession of the Guardian or should the Dog be found in any of these conditions due to negligence on the part of the Guardian, the Guardian will be held responsible for all expenses incurred relating to the loss, injury, or illness. Hazy Daisy Doodles and Poodles Kennel are not responsible for any injuries or damages caused by the Dog while in Guardian care.

OTHER: _____

THE BREEDER AGREES TO:

1. Pay for the Dog's yearly vaccinations.
2. Be responsible for all expenses related to breeding and reproduction.
3. Be responsible for determining retirement age of the Dog *and*
4. Will have the Dog altered at the end of their career at the Breeder's expense.
5. Transfer ownership of the Dog and any an all paperwork over to the Guardian after the Dog has been retired and altered.
6. Will make any transition between the Guardian home and the Breeder's home as smooth as possible.
7. Provide free board when Guardian is away.
8. Provide help and support and be available to answer any questions when requested by Guardian.

Guardian will take possession on _____

DOG/PUPPY NAME: _____ **MICROCHIP #:** _____

SEX: _____ **BREED:** _____ **COLOUR/MARKINGS:** _____

GUARDIAN NAME(S): _____

HOME PHONE: _____ **CELL/WORK PHONE:** _____

ADDRESS: _____ **CITY:** _____

PROVINCE: _____ **POSTAL CODE:** _____

If at any time the Breeder finds the Guardian to be in non-compliance with this agreement, this contract terminates and physical possession of the Dog shall immediately be returned to Breeder.

DATE: _____

_____ **OF HAZY DAISY DOODLES AND POODLES KENNEL**

GUARDIAN(S): _____