

Western Aussie Rescue

APPLICATION FOR CANINE GUARDIANSHIP

return by email: rugby\_chase@hotmail.com

1. Name (guardian) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Dog interested in \_\_\_\_\_

3. Address \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, zip \_\_\_\_\_

4. Home phone \_\_\_\_\_, Work phone \_\_\_\_\_,

Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_, email \_\_\_\_\_

5. Occupation/employer \_\_\_\_\_

6. Veterinarian reference \_\_\_\_\_ phone \_\_\_\_\_

7. Personal reference \_\_\_\_\_ phone \_\_\_\_\_

8. Rent/own? \_\_\_\_\_, Landlord \_\_\_\_\_ phone \_\_\_\_\_

9. House \_\_\_\_\_, townhouse \_\_\_\_\_, apartment \_\_\_\_\_, other \_\_\_\_\_

10. Fenced yard? \_\_\_\_\_, type, size, height \_\_\_\_\_

Kennel run? \_\_\_\_\_, size \_\_\_\_\_, when used? \_\_\_\_\_

11. Number of children in household (full and part time.) \_\_\_\_\_

ages and genders \_\_\_\_\_

12. Number of adults in the household (full and part time.) \_\_\_\_\_

ages and genders \_\_\_\_\_

13. Number of other dogs \_\_\_\_\_, cats \_\_\_\_\_

Breed, age, gender (spayed/neutered?) of dogs \_\_\_\_\_

14. Primary caregiver of this dog \_\_\_\_\_

15. How will this dog be exercised? \_\_\_\_\_

16. Where will the dog stay at night? \_\_\_\_\_

17. Where will the dog stay during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours a day will your dog be alone? \_\_\_\_\_

18. Will you use a tie-out, cable, or chain to restrain your dog outside? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Is there an adult home during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Do you plan to take this dog to obedience training? \_\_\_\_\_

21. Do you own a pickup truck? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, where will the dog  
ride? \_\_\_\_\_

22. Who will care for your dog in case of emergency? Vacation?  
\_\_\_\_\_

23. Activities you participate in that will include your dog: hiking \_\_\_\_\_

swimming \_\_\_\_\_, hunting \_\_\_\_\_, agility \_\_\_\_\_, camping \_\_\_\_\_

other \_\_\_\_\_

24. Your level of experience as a dog owner:

exp \_\_\_\_\_, somewhat exp \_\_\_\_\_; novice \_\_\_\_\_

25. Have you had previous experience with rescue dogs? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, please

explain: \_\_\_\_\_

26. Do you intend to provide your dog with a loving home for the rest of his

life? \_\_\_\_\_

27. What characteristics do you expect of this dog? \_\_\_\_\_

28. Under what circumstances would you consider surrendering your dog?

29. Do you prefer male \_\_\_\_\_, female \_\_\_\_\_, no preference \_\_\_\_\_

30. What age range do you prefer? \_\_\_\_\_

31. Preferred temperament: mellow \_\_\_\_\_, moderate energy \_\_\_\_\_

playful \_\_\_\_\_, active \_\_\_\_\_

32. Would you consider a special needs dog such as one that requires daily medication? \_\_\_\_\_

33. Are you prepared to adopt: now \_\_\_\_\_, later \_\_\_\_\_ (date) \_\_\_\_\_

34. Do you agree to a home check? \_\_\_\_\_

A rescue dog MAY have experienced an unfortunate history of one or more of the following: neglect, abuse, abandonment, loneliness, insecurity, distrust. A period of adjustment (days for some, weeks for some) should be expected in some instances. Often the new dog is so grateful and overwhelmed with your show of love, devotion and consistency that she/he relaxes immediately and opens her/his heart to you. In either case, a rescue dog is almost always grateful, loyal, very affectionate, eager to please and very companionable.

Western Aussie Rescue asks for a rescue donation between \$200 and \$250 to help cover the costs of spay/neuter, vaccinations, heartworm test, microchip ID, and other office, foster and transport costs we incur. Submission of your application does not guarantee placement of a dog. Applicants must agree to a home visit if asked for one. The rescue donation is due at the time of placement.

I understand that any misrepresentation of fact may result in the removal of the placed dog from my home. I understand that Western Aussie Rescue is not responsible for the accuracy of information received about the temperament habits or physical condition of dogs available for adoption. Wyoming Aussie Rescue is neither liable nor responsible for any damage, injury or accident resulting from the placement of this dog.

I will accept the responsibilities for the health, housing, feeding, training and companionship of this dog.

Dog's name \_\_\_\_\_ Description \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian's signature \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

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