



# Lone Star Duck Tollers

## Puppy Buyer Questionnaire

Thank you for your interest in our dogs. Please answer the following questions so that we can more accurately select the right puppy for you.

All information is confidential. Thank you for your cooperation.

### Contact Information

Name:

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Street Address:

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Apartment/Unit #:

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P.O. Box:

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone #:

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Cell Phone #:

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Work Phone

#: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation:

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E-mail Address:

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How did you hear about us?

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For whom are you adopting this dog?

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Which family member will be primarily responsible for the care and supervision of the dog?

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Is everyone in the household in agreement about getting a Toller puppy?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

## Household Information

# Adults: \_\_\_\_\_

# Children: \_\_\_\_\_

Ages of any children: \_\_\_\_\_

# Pets, and what species:

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Is there anyone in the household with special needs? Y N

Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

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House Type: \_\_\_\_\_House    \_\_\_\_\_Condo    \_\_\_\_\_Apartment    \_\_\_\_\_Other

Do you: \_\_\_\_\_Rent    \_\_\_\_\_Own

If you rent do you have Landlord's permission to have a Pet?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Do you have a yard? \_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Is your yard fully fenced? \_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Describe the type of fencing:

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Where will the dog live?

- In the house  
 Outside  
 Kennel  
 Dog Run

Where will your dog sleep at night?

- In the house - loose  
 In the house - crated  
 Outside  
 Kennel

Are there dog-friendly parks or open spaces near by?

Yes  No

Do you live near/have access to a river or lake?

Yes  No

When are you hoping to get a puppy?

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What sex of dog do you prefer?

Male  Female  No preference

Who will take care of your dog when you are on vacation?

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## Previous Experience

Have you had a dog before?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Breed(s)\_\_\_\_\_

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What types of activities did you and your dog(s) enjoy (hunting, Frisbee, dock diving, obedience, agility etc.)?

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With previous dogs, why are they not with you? If deceased, what caused your dog(s) to pass?

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## Pet Health

Do you have a veterinarian near by?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Name and address of your current Veterinarian:

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\_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to vaccinate your puppy as suggested by the breeder?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Is Heartworm a danger in your area?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Will you use preventative measures for Heartworm?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Are you aware of the health issues specific to the Toller breed?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Are you interested in breeding your Toller or interested in owning a show/breed quality puppy?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

It is rare we will sell a dog without a spay/neuter clause to our contract. Will you be willing to spay or neuter your new Toller by the time he or she is two years old, and not before he or she is six months old?

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What do you plan on feeding your Toller? Why?

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If you for any reason cannot keep your dog, what would you do?

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Are you comfortable giving Lone Star Tollers first right of refusal (this means, if you cannot keep your Toller you must give him back to us, unless we both agree upon an appropriate new home)?\_\_\_\_\_

## Choosing a Toller

How did you learn about Tollers?

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What about Tollers attracted you to the breed?

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Do you realize Tollers are high-energy dogs?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

What energy level do you want in your Toller?

\_\_\_\_\_High    \_\_\_\_\_Medium    \_\_\_\_\_Low

How many hours exercise do you think a Toller requires in a day?

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How are you planning on accommodating your Tollers exercise needs?

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What types of activities do you plan on doing with your Toller?

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Are you aware that Tollers are high drive, and will overdo it and hurt themselves if you let them, especially as puppies?

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Tollers are typically a long lived breed, are you aware and willing to make a commitment that may last 12-15 years?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

## Plans and Preparation

Is anyone home during the day? \_\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_\_No

If no, how long will the dog be alone?

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Do you have arrangements for a dog-walker or someone to let the puppy out for exercise during the day?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Do you plan to crate train your puppy?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No

Are there other pets in the house?

\_\_\_\_\_ Cats \_\_\_\_\_ Dogs \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_ None

If you have other pets, do you have any concerns about adding a puppy to your home?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No \_\_\_\_\_Don't know

If yes, what, briefly, are your concerns:

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\_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to complete basic obedience classes with your dog?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes      \_\_\_\_\_No \_\_\_\_\_Don't know

Tollers can be shy if not socialized properly. Do you plan to socialize your dog

\_\_\_\_\_with other people \_\_\_\_\_ with other dogs \_\_\_\_\_ in other environments

## Activities

What are your plans for your Toller in regards to obedience training?

\_\_\_\_\_ plan to attend a class \_\_\_\_\_ plan to do it on my own  
\_\_\_\_\_ plan to have someone else train him \_\_\_\_\_ I have no plans for training

Have you ever attended or taught dog training classes?

\_\_\_\_\_ Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Taught \_\_\_\_\_ Neither

Do you have a specific training philosophy or opinion that causes you to be very firm in the methods that you use (ie. I only train using positive reinforcement, I only use a harness, I would never use a corrective collar because correcting a dog is cruel)

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What do you plan to do with your dog?

\_\_\_\_\_ Pet only  
\_\_\_\_\_ Agility or Flyball  
\_\_\_\_\_ Obedience Competition  
\_\_\_\_\_ Field Competition  
\_\_\_\_\_ Hunting Companion  
\_\_\_\_\_ Conformation Showing  
\_\_\_\_\_ Breeding  
\_\_\_\_\_ Other (explain below)

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Our Tollers excel in many facets of hunting sports, not only 'tolling' waterfowl, but hunting upland, blood tracking, ratting, even rabbit hunting. Do you plan on using your Toller for hunting? \_\_\_\_If so, What type of hunting will you be doing?

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Are you interested in showing or competing with this dog in the US?

\_\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_\_No \_\_\_\_\_\_Maybe

**Thank you** for your interest in a puppy from us. There are no right or wrong answers to these questions, your honest answers help us decide where each puppy belongs. If we accept your application, we will contact you with the next step to our application process which will include a \$500 non-refundable deposit. Again, thank you for your interest in reserving one of our quality puppies.

Also, we welcome visitors by appointment to come and meet our dogs and see our place.

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