

# RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK CLUB (WA) INC.

## RESCUE QUESTIONNAIRE

Please help us to match you to a R.R. by answering the following questions.

The information given on this form will only be used in assisting us to find a suitable dog for you.

### YOUR DETAILS

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (h) \_\_\_\_\_ (w) \_\_\_\_\_ (m) \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you owned a dog before? As a child:  As an adult:  No:   
Are you employed? Yes:  No:   
Are you retired? Yes:  No:   
Are you planning any of the following? A baby:  Moving House   
Impending Holiday:  Change of working hours:  Change of address

### YOUR NEW DOG'S LIFESTYLE

How much daily exercise can you give your dog? Weekdays: \_\_\_\_\_ Weekends: \_\_\_\_\_  
How active are you? Very:  Reasonably:  Not very:   
How many hours will your dog be left alone without company? \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you have other dogs? No:  Yes:  Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ M  F   
Do you have other pets? No:  Yes:  Cat:  Bird:  Other:   
Where will you keep your dog? Inside:  Outside:   
Where will your dog stay at night? Inside:  Outside:

### WHAT AGE OF DOG ARE YOU LOOKING FOR

Puppy:  Less than 2 years:  2-5 years:  5-6 years:  Not important:   
Gender of dog: Male:  Female:  Not important:

### YOUR HOME

Do you live in a? House:  Villa:  Flat:  Other:   
Do you Own:  Rent:  Lease:   
Minimum height of your fence? 1 metre  1-1.5 metres:  Higher:   
Minimum height of your gates? 1 metre  1-1.5 metres:  Higher:   
What type of fence? ) \_\_\_\_\_

### OCCUPANTS OF YOUR HOME

Who lives at home? Adults  Children:  Their ages: \_\_\_\_\_  
Any visiting children and their ages? Annually:  Monthly:  Weekly:  Daily:

Do all members of the household agree to have a dog? Yes:  No:

**PLEASE TICK THE FOLLOWING THAT APPLY**

I would like my dog to be:	Very Important	Important	Not Important
Good with children	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Good with cats	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Good with other dogs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Good with other animals	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
House trained	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Like travelling in a car	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Some (not all) rescue dogs, because of past experiences, carry “baggage”/ Please indicate your possible reaction to these behaviours.

	Manageable	Not manageable
Not housetrained	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Digging	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jumping up	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Barking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chewing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Some RRs need obedience training, Please tick any statement with which you agree:

I need a dog that has already been trained

I am a first time dog owner

I have trained a pet dog before

I would enjoy training a dog

I am an experienced owner and could train a difficult dog

**PLEASE READ AND TICK IF YOU AGREE**

You understand that the dog **will** be rehomed as a house pet and **is not** to be kept **kennelled** or **chained up outside**. The dog will be rehomed to you as a **companion** not as a **guard dog**. The Rhodesian Ridgeback Rescue will at all times reserve the right to reclaim the dog if it feels he or she is not being fed, housed or cared for to its satisfaction. For this reason, and from time to time, the Rhodesian Ridgeback Rescue may make house visits to check on the welfare of the dog, without necessarily making an appointment. Should the dog ever leave your care, the Rhodesian Ridgeback Rescue is to be given first option of rehoming the dog. I agree:

Full liability for any veterinary fees incurred at any future date are the new owner’s liability I agree:

Although the Rhodesian Ridgeback Rescue has informed you of all that we know of the dog, we do not always have a complete history and therefore cannot guarantee behaviour, etc. I agree:

It may take up to 6 months for the dog to settle in. Rhodesian Ridgeback Rescue is available for advice. I agree:

If you live in rented accommodation, we do require written consent from the landlord to keep the dog. I agree:

Please supply the names and contact information of at least three references. Do not list more than one family member. (Attach separate list)

