

Statesman Welsh Springer Spaniels

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STUD SERVICE AGREEMENT

In regards to the use for stud service of the Welsh Springer Spaniel:

Name: _____
Owned by: _____
AKC Number: _____ Whelped: _____
Hips: _____
Elbows: _____
Eyes: _____
Thyroid: _____
Sired by: _____
Out of: _____

The stud fee for the above stud dog shall be \$1250 for a litter that results in 3 or more puppies or \$750 for a litter that results in one or two puppies. Of the stud fee, \$250 non-refundable shall be due to the stud dog owner at the time of breeding. If three or more puppies total are alive at the time when the registration papers are signed by the stud dog owner then a balance of \$1000 shall be due to the stud dog owner at that time. If one or two puppies total are alive at the time when the registration papers are signed by the stud dog owner then a balance of \$500 shall be due to the stud dog owner at that time.

The non-refundable fee of \$250 covers the actual service, pick up and drop off of bitch at airport (if desired by bitch owner), boarding of bitch for a maximum of 14 days (additional days will result in a \$10 per day boarding fee), transportation of stud dog to and from semen collection center in Atlanta (for those preferring chilled semen--maximum of three collections), and a health check of the stud (including a test for brucellosis). The owner of the bitch/breeder is financially responsible for all veterinary charges should the bitch require veterinary care while at the stud owner's residence. The owner of the bitch/breeder is responsible for all fees, in addition to the above fees, involved with the use of chilled or frozen semen for the breeding of their bitch.

A copy of the bitch's OFA hip certification and OFA thyroid test, or a current online printout from www.OFFA.org of the bitch's OFA hip and OFA thyroid test results, shall be provided to the stud dog owner prior to the breeding. CERF or ACVO examination report (not just the CERF certificate), negative brucellosis test results (test performed within 2 months prior to proposed mating), photos showing both sides standing, plus rear and front views of bitch must be provided to the stud owner prior to the breeding as well as a 3 generation pedigree and known health information of ancestors and their littermates.

The owner of the bitch agrees that all puppies produced from the breeding of their bitch to the above stud will be placed/sold with contracts. Pets are to be sold with limited registration. The contracts are to include the following minimum requirements:

A. the statement from the bitch owner/breeder (who signs below): "Should this puppy need to be rehoused for any reason, it is to be returned to the bitch owner/breeder."

B. the puppy and owners will attend and complete a puppy kindergarten training class which utilizes positive motivational training methods.

C. the puppy will receive all of its necessary vaccinations as indicated by their veterinarian (rabies shots must be administered by a licensed veterinarian).

D. the puppy will have its hips and thyroid evaluated by OFA between 24-26 months of age. All OFA test results, regardless of the results, shall be made public on the www.offa.org website. It is the responsibility of the owner of the bitch to notify and remind puppy owners of the need to get these done and provide necessary information (AKC name and number of dog, sire, dam plus date of birth) to assist owners.

E. inclusion of the following statement in the breeder's contract: "Puppy buyer agrees to care for this dog humanely (including adequate food, shelter, exercise, water, and veterinary care) and to license this dog in accordance with the laws in the jurisdiction in which the buyer resides. Buyer agrees to keep this dog as a housepet to be exercised in a fenced yard or on a leash and not to be free to roam unattended."

The owner of the bitch/breeder agrees to provide adequate and proper stimulation and socialization and health/sanitary conditions for the puppies as directed in the book "How to Raise a Puppy You Can Live With". The owner of the bitch/breeder agrees to provide each puppy owner a copy of the book, "How to Raise a Puppy You Can Live With" (Rutherford and Neil, ISBN #0-931866-57-X) or a comparable puppy raising book prior to the owner receiving the puppy. ALL new puppy owner(s) MUST read the book PRIOR to getting the puppy.

The owner of the bitch/breeder agrees to send a list of names, addresses, email addresses, and phone numbers of the owners of the puppies produced by the bitch and the above stud to the stud owner. The owner of the bitch/breeder agrees to maintain regular contact with the puppy owners (at least every six months) and to relay any and all pertinent information regarding health, temperament, training to the stud dog owner.

The stud dog owner assumes no responsibility for the quality (including mental or physical soundness) of the puppies produced from this breeding. In the event of a dispute over the terms of this Agreement, Georgia will be the state having jurisdiction over the matter and Georgia law will control the resolution of any dispute.

Signature below indicates that all parties are in agreement with the above statements regarding the breeding a bitch to the above named stud dog.

Stud owner signature

Date

Bitch's Registered Name

AKC Registration Number

Breeder/Bitch owner signature

Date

Breeder/Bitch owner's Address

Breeder/Bitch owner's phone number and email address