**Compelling Collies**

**Puppy Questionnaire**

This is to help me learn more about you and to make sure my Collies are right for you!

Please attach this document in an email to me at:

[**marwagenaar@yahoo.com**](mailto:marwagenaar@yahoo.com)

so I can get in touch with you soon!

Date:

Name:

Home Address:

City/State/Zip:

Phone number (an emergency back-up one too please):

Email address:

What about Collies makes you want one? What do you like most about them?

Please list all the members of your family who will be living with the new puppy:

If any members of the family are children, please list their ages:

Have you had a dog previously?

If so, please tell me about the dog(s): Breed, still living, how old were they when they died and from what, or things you liked or disliked about them.

Do you have any other pets in the home?

Who is your veterinarian currently?

If you do not have one currently, who do you plan to go to for care of this dog?

Who will be the main caregiver of the dog? Who else will help?

Where will your dog spend their days and nights?

Which sex do you prefer and why? Color preference?

What personality traits do you look for in a dog?

What kinds of activities do you plan to be involved in with this dog?

Will you use a crate for your dog?

Have you met Collies before?

Do you have a fenced yard?

Do you know and obey your local leash laws and city/county ordinances (if any) for licensing/vaccinating your pets?

Do you plan to spay/neuter this dog? At what age?

Have you attended canine obedience classes in the past? Will you do so with this puppy?

Do you live in a house or apartment?

Do you own or rent your home?

If renting, please provide your landlord’s name and contact information.

Does anyone smoke inside the house?

Are you willing to keep me informed of any changes in your address for the life of the dog, so that I am able to hear updates on how the dog is doing?

Socialization is very important for a growing puppy of any breed, especially the friendly, intelligent Collie. How do you plan to socialize your puppy, and do you plan to continue doing so even when the puppy is older?

Collies require regular grooming, particularly in the summer when they are shedding. Their coats can become matted and unruly if not cared for.

* Do you plan to groom this dog yourself or use a groomer’s services?

Collies also require daily physical exercise, whether it be a walk, jogging, playing at the park, playing with other dogs, etc.

They also need mental stimulation, including obedience training, time to smell and investigate outside, and opportunities to go new places and experience new things.

* Do you feel you are prepared to provide these things for a Collie?

Are there any questions that I can answer for you??? Please don’t hesitate to ask!!