



## ADOPTION APPLICATION

### DOG DETAILS

Dogs Name:			
Breed:		Age:	
Have you met this dog?			
How did you find out about the dog?			

### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Your Full Name:		Date of Birth:	
Address:			
State:		Postcode:	
Home No.:		Mobile No.:	
Email Address:			
Driver's License Number:			
Character Reference & Phone Number:			





**HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION**

PARTNER/PARENT/HOUSEMATE

Name:		Date of Birth:	
Mobile No.:		No. Of Children:	
Ages of Children:	Under 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Between 2 & 5 <input type="checkbox"/>	6 & 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Over 10 <input type="checkbox"/>
Have your children been around large dogs before?			
Number of adults in your household:			
Work Full time/Part time/Study/Work or Study from home?			
How many days and hours do you work/Study?			
Who will be the dogs primary care giver?			
How long will the dog be alone for?			
Any other Information?			

**ABOUT YOUR HOME**

Is your home Rented/Owned/Other:	
If 'other', please state what sort of housing:	
If Rented, do you have written approval to keep a dog (if yes, copy must be supplied):	
What type of fencing do you have?	
How high is your fence?	
Approximate size of yard:	
If you have a pool, is it securely fenced off?	
Have you ever had a dog with parvovirus in your yard?	
Any other Comments?	

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**CURRENT/PREVIOUS PET INFORMATION**

Do you have any other dogs?	
What sex are your other dogs?	Dog 1 – Dog 2 – Dog 3 – Dog 4 –
Are your other dogs spayed/ neutered/Desexed?	Dog 1 – Dog 2 – Dog 3 – Dog 4 –
Are your dog's vaccinations up to date?	
Do you have any cats?	
Do you have any chickens?	
Do you have any other pets?	
What other pets do you have? (Provide details here if applicable)	
Have you adopted from an animal welfare group or pound before?	
If yes, what animal welfare group or pound?	
Have you ever re-homed one of your pets or surrendered to a pound/animal welfare group before?	
If yes, what were the circumstances?	





**CARING FOR YOUR NEW DOG**

Where will the dog sleep?	
Where will your dog spend a majority of its time?	
If outside, how will you supervise your dog's activities or interaction with other pets?	
Do you plan to take an obedience class with your dog?	
What length of time will you allow your pet to take to adjust to their new home?	
Are you willing to work through your new pet issues, if any?	
Any other comments:	

**HAVE YOU CONSIDERED THE FOLLOWING?**

That a new environment can be stressful for your new pet, and they may exhibit uncharacteristic behaviour?	
That a large breed dog can take up to two years to mature? Is this something you are prepared for?	
Exercise: Majority of dogs require a minimum of 30 minutes exercise per day (in addition to play time), and that some larger breeds need more?	
Time: Basic needs take time, consider the time for training, grooming, veterinary care, exercise & playtime?	
Obedience: Chewing, digging, general obedience?	
Socialisation: Maintaining dog's socialisation skills (Dog parks, obedience classes etc)?	
The cost of a dog, including monthly worming, monthly tick and flea treatments, annual vaccinations, annual council registration, unexpected or emergency vet bills, pet insurance, toys, bedding, food, collars, leads, etc?	





## THE AGREEMENT

The purpose of this application is to ensure that both the animal and potential new family are matched for a long and rewarding life together. At Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue, we are committed to the safety and well-being of our rescued animals. We appreciate that all situations are different and will consider all applications equally. Submission of this application does not guarantee adoption of the stated animal, all applications are carefully reviewed, assessed and voted on by the FSDR team committee for the best interest of the dog and the future owner.

This can take time due to multiple applications and a decision is provided to the applicant as soon as practicable

By submitting this application I have considered all the aspects of responsible pet ownership including all associated vet care and associated costs and I am satisfied that I can provide a loving, forever home for this/these animals.

- I agree that this dog is being adopted as a companion pet. That the dog will be provided with proper food, water, shelter, exercise and necessary veterinary treatment. That the dog will be given a loving home and not be kept solely in the yard without interaction. This dog is not a gift, working animal or to be trained as a guard dog.
- I agree that this dog is **NOT** to be used for any hunting purposes.
- I agree to maintain the dog (at my own cost) and keep up to date with all immunizations and worming treatment.
- Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue will provide copies of the dogs vaccination, microchip, spay/neuter and heartworm test (if dog is over 6 months of age) on completion of the adoption and once the adoption fee has been paid in full.
- I understand that there will be a two week trial period, within this time should the adoption prove unsuccessful, the adoption fees as stated below will be returned in full. I agree that within this trial period, the dog shall not be let off lead at any time.
- I understand that, after the two week trial, the adoption fee is non-refundable.
- I understand that the dog's microchip is to stay in the name of Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue until the adoption fee has been paid in full.
- If payment has not been received in thirty days of adoption, unless agreed between both parties otherwise, Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue are allowed to seize the dog back in to their care.
- If the animal is currently under veterinary care, I confirm that I have been notified of any current medical Conditions as far as Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue has been made aware and have been provided with one course of medication that the dog is currently taking. I understand that any veterinary problems that now may arise with this dog, including serious illnesses requiring emergency care or surgery are now my responsibility, and I will bear all related costs and will provide the proper veterinary care to the animal in a timely manner.
- I understand that in the event that I can no longer keep the animal, due to injury, illness, accident or any other reason and are unable to fully care for the dog, I will notify Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue immediately and will work with them to place the dog in an approved home.
- In the case that I do have to surrender the dog back in to the care of Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue, I agree to keep the dog in my care until they have found a suitable foster home or adoptive home.
- I confirm that I understand that this dog may not be sold or given away without the express written permission of Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue.



- I understand that Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue may reclaim the dog back if, in their opinion, any of the above conditions are not met, or the dog is being mistreated or abused. I understand that I will be liable for any fees and costs incurred by Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue out of the enforcement of this agreement. I agree that in the event that the dog is demanded back due to non-compliance with this agreement, I forfeit all rights to the dog and no compensation shall be provided
  
- I agree to register my dog with my local council and maintain current dog registration on reaching 6 months of age as per the "Companion Animals Act NSW 1998" or applicable regional legislation. I agree to provide a copy of this registration to Forgotten Souls Dog on receipt; I agree that I shall maintain this registration through the life of the dog.
  
- I agree to get the dogs microchip put in to my name, once I have received the change of ownership form from Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue, and will supply them with proof of this change once it is complete.
  
- I understand that once the adoption has been completed I release Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue and their estates from any and all liabilities and/or damages by fault of this dog after the time of adoption. These damages include, but are not limited to, destruction of property and/or physical damage to any person or group of people. In the event that the adoption is occurs interstate, the point of transfer of responsibilities occurs at the delivery of the dog to transport company (i.e.: Airport / Courier).

**I understand that I am entering into a binding agreement between myself and the Trustee for Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue for adopting this animal. I confirm that I have read this entire agreement carefully and fully understand all aspects before signing.**

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT**

Print Name:	
Signature:	
Date:	

*(A typed or signed signature is accepted. Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue requires proof of identity, a scanned copy of driver's licence is required.)*

**Please remember to include the following when returning your application:**

- Copy of your Drivers Licence
- Written approval from your landlord to keep a dog on the premises (if renting)
- Photographs of your backyard
- Photographs of your fencing
- Photographs of where your dog will sleep(if they are to sleep outside)

**Payment Terms & Conditions:**

Upon successful application full payment is required prior to the picking up of dog. We will accept half upfront and the remaining balance to be paid with Seven (7) days thereafter. In special cases (e.g. pre-adoptions) a non-refundable \$150 non-refundable deposit is required for an animal to be placed ON HOLD. If these terms are not met, animals will be relisted as available and applications will be terminated. Applications are Valid for a period of Two (2) Weeks from time of approval only.

