



Blue Ridge Border Collie Rescue

Adoption Contract

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This Agreement is made and entered into on this _____ day of _____ in the year of **20**____, by and between Blue Ridge Border Collie Rescue Inc.(BRBCR) and the following individual(s), hereinafter "**Adopter**" :

Adopter	Dog
Name:	Dog's Name
Co-Adopter Name	Breed
Address	Sex
City	Age at adoption
State & Zip Code	<i>Color/Markings</i>
Phone	Spay/Neuter Status
Cell	Microchip #:
Email	
BRBCR Agent	
BRBCR Foster (if different than Agent)	

I, _____, attest to the facts stated in my submitted Adoption Application. I agree to adopt the Border Collie described above, now known as _____.

ADOPTOR AGREEMENT

The following Terms and conditions constitute a legal contract for the adoption of the dog referred to above (hereinafter referred to as "Border Collie" or "dog" regardless of age or sex) between Blue Ridge Border Collie Rescue (hereinafter referred as adopting agent) and _____ (hereinafter referred to as adopter). These terms and conditions are entered into and agreed upon by both adopting agent and the adopter and they acknowledge the legal worth of the contract.

To the best of the adopting agent's knowledge, this dog has no defects that would make it unsuitable as a family pet nor has the dog bitten or injured anyone.

Adopter agrees to all of the following terms of this contract and understands that non-compliance with the terms of this agreement gives adopting agent or their representatives the right to reclaim this Border collie without refund of the adoption fee.

Please initial if in agreement:

- _____ To contribute an adoption donation in the amount of \$350.00.
- _____ To immediately license, and place identification on the dog with tags and collar.
- _____ To provide shelter, fresh water, proper food and adequate companionship at all times.
- _____ To provide annual veterinary examination, heartworm preventative, vaccinations, rabies according to my state's Regulations, monthly flea prevention and dental care as determined by adopter's veterinarian.



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- _____ To follow positive training methods.
- _____ To notify adopting agent immediately if this Border Collie is lost, or stolen and to make every effort to locate the Border Collie.
- _____ If for any reason adopter is unable to keep this Border Collie, adopter will notify the adopting agent to work with finding an appropriate home for this Border Collie without refund of adoption fee. Appropriate homes to be determined by the adopting agent. Transfer of ownership of this Border Collie is strictly prohibited without prior authorization of the adopting agent.
- _____ To notify the adopting agent if the adopter moves and give the new physical address, phone number and email address.
- _____ The Border Collie is being placed with the strict understanding that it is going to a private home, to live as an indoor pet.
- _____ Adopter hereby agrees that by following the terms and conditions in this contract he/she will retain ownership and physical possession of this dog for the rest of the dog's life OR bring the dog back to BRBCR.
- _____ BRBCR makes no representations or warranties concerning the health, temperament and/or previous ownership of the dog. Adopter understands that BRBCR shall not be liable for any medical care or treatment of the dog. Adopter agrees to indemnify and hold harmless BRBCR and/or their representatives, for and against any and all manner of actions and causes of actions, suits, debts, dues, accounts, bonds, covenants, agreements, judgments, claims, and demands whatsoever arising out of or relating to the adoption, placement, and/or possession of the dog.
- _____ There will be a \$50.00 charge on all returned checks submitted by the adopter.
- _____ If the dog is intact the adopter will sign a Spay or Neuter Agreement with BRBCR and will pay an additional deposit of \$150.00. This deposit will be returned to the adopter when they send a copy of the medical bill indicating that the dog has been spayed or neutered to the BRBCR Treasurer who's address is listed on the Spay or Neuter Agreement.
- _____ Adopter hereby agrees that if at any time, ANY of the terms and conditions of this Adoption Agreement are violated, this will constitute a breach of contract and BRBCR has the right to terminate this Agreement, and to demand that the DOG be returned to them within 72 hours. Should the adopter fail to comply with request to return the dog within 72 hours, Adopter agrees to pay the minimum sum of damages to BRBCR in the amount of \$3,000.00 plus actual roundtrip travel costs incurred to return the dog to the state of Virginia. Failure of the adopter to pay the above described damages shall allow BRBCR to pursue any and all remedies of law available including damages for the time, paperwork, and hours spent investigating and pursuing the breach of the Agreement.
- _____ Adopter hereby waives any challenge to venue and agrees that the appropriate venue of this matter is the State of Virginia, and the County of Fairfax. Furthermore, Adopter agrees to accept service of process by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the address provided in the Agreement and the Adopter specifically waives any right to receive personal service of any legal action or otherwise.
- _____ The terms of this agreement shall survive the transfer of the Dog to the Adopter and said terms and conditions shall be enforceable for the life of the Dog and after the death of the dog if there is a reasonable determination that the Dog's death is due in part to the Adopter's violation of the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- _____ Changes, additions, or any other alterations of this contract **MUST BE IN WRITING** and signed and agreed upon by All parties involved.
- _____ I certify that I have never been convicted of animal cruelty, neglect, or abandonment.



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I have read this entire agreement, and do hereby understand it and agree to abide by it.

Adopter Signature

Date

Co-Adopter Signature

Date

Agent for Blue Ridge Border Collie Rescue Inc

Date

Agent for BRBCR Printed Name

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