

STUD SERVICE AGREEMENT

Betsy Atkinson
Hearthside Australian Shepherds
1799 Rt.91
Fabius, NY 13063

This is an agreement between the owner, Betsy Atkinson, for services of the stud dog AKC/ASCA Ch **Hearthside Leave A Message "Memo"** and any/all owners,

_____ of the bitch: _____.

AGREEMENT:

1. The stud fee for this mating is \$1,000.00 payable in full to Betsy Atkinson prior to breeding.
2. If the bitch is being sent via airfreight, there is an additional charge of \$50 for pick up and delivery from the airport in Syracuse, New York (2 hours of travel time).
3. Prior to breeding, the owners/co-owners of the bitch must provide photocopies of the original documents for the following:
 - a. A current brucellosis test (negative), unless your bitch is being artificially inseminated.
 - b. A current culture (since it often takes several days for lab results the culture should be taken the first day of the heat cycle and should only be done during the heat cycle for an accurate test result), unless your bitch is being artificially inseminated. A copy must be made available for my files.
 - c. Current proof of rabies vaccination, unless your bitch is being artificially inseminated.
 - d. Eyes cleared by a canine ophthalmologist (within 12 months).
 - e. Hip X-ray with OFA rating or PennHip rating.
 - f. Registration certificates.
 - g. A progesterone test is highly recommended if your bitch is being bred via AI.
3. The owner/co-owners of the bitch are responsible for:
 - a. Sending/bringing the bitch to the stud dog for breeding and all expenses incurred in such travel.
 - b. Any emergency veterinary fees incurred for illness/injury of the bitch while being kept for breeding purposes.
 - c. Or, if being artificially inseminated, \$150 fee per collection to cover costs associated with collection and transportation of semen.
 - d. A boarding fee of \$20 per day after the first 5 days.
5. The owner or agent of the stud dog will take due care of the bitch, but will not be held liable for any illness/injury of the bitch while being kept for breeding purposes.
6. If a litter of puppies does not result from this breeding, one repeat stud service will be given to the bitch on her next heat,. The expense of travel time and or expenses related to artificial insemination will be applicable on the second breeding. Two live registerable puppies constitute a litter.

Owner of the stud dog

Date

Owner/co-owner of the bitch

Date

Owner/co-owner of the bitch

Date