

Oregon's Legendary Goldens

86291 Blossom St, Eugene OR 97405

Dam: \_\_\_\_\_

Sire:

Litter DOB:\_\_\_\_\_

Puppy Microchip ID:\_\_\_\_\_

## **INITIAL HEALTH GUARANTEE**

This puppy is guaranteed to be in good health, to the best of the seller's knowledge. Your puppy will come with veterinarian health certificate and a 30-day free subscription to Trupanion pet insurance and must be activated within 24 hours.

As of the "gothcha date", the puppy has received proper vaccinations, dewormings, and necessary veterinary attention due to date. OLG has instructed the buyer to have the puppy checked by a licensed veterinarian within three business days of purchase, the puppy will NOT need immunizations at this time. If the buyer fails to take this puppy to the veterinarian within the specified time, then the buyer agrees this puppy was in good health at the time of purchase. If the buyer's veterinarian finds this puppy to have any serious or chronic health issues, the buyer may immediately return the puppy along with the report and diagnosis issued by the veterinarian on company letter head referencing microchip ID, and to include copies of all tests. Puppy will be subject to a second opinion by a veterinarian of our choosing, and findings will be shared. At that time, the breeder will offer:

- A full refund of the purchase price less any shipping and/or vet fees.
  - Exclusion: This does not include the presence of parasites or diarrhea and does not apply to a health problem resulting from an injury or accident due to your negligence. All medical expenses are the sole responsibility of the buyer.
- A puppy of equal value (if one is available) from the next available litter, or a future litter of buyers choosing.

Viral, bacterial colds or infections such as Coccidia or Giardia (bloody stools) are a form of worms which are easily treated and are not covered in the health guarantee as they are natural things puppies can pick up. Umbilical Hernias also referred to as "outie" belly buttons and Cryptorchidism, also referred to in a male dog as an "undescended testicle" are also not covered in the heath guarantee. Puppies will be assessed by a licensed veterinarian prior to pick up and buyers will be made aware if any hernia or undescended testicles are present. Puppies are naturally at risk for coccidia or giardia or worms which is often brought on by the stress of a new home, new food, new people, or just a change in environment.

(Bordetella- a raspy cough may be signs of this) which is common when puppies are transported to their new homes and is usually caused by bacteria. Kennel cough is self-limiting and like the common cold, it must run its course. Full recovery is expected and kennel cough, coccidia, giardia on their own are not life threatening. All puppies are treated and vaccinated for distemper, parvo, coccidia, giardia, and worms before they leave our kennel. However, you need to be aware that



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these things can arise and that they are usually not serious (even though seeing blood in the stool appears serious) and are easily treated and we will not cover the treatment for them.

Buyer understands that OLG has instructed buyer not to take puppy to public places (including, but not limited to, airport pet areas, parks, neighbors, pet supply stores, puppy classes/training, etc.) frequented by other puppies or dogs until the puppy has received its final rounds of shots (to be determined by a licensed veterinarian, usually 16 weeks of age). This is for the health of the puppy and to avoid contact with areas where infected or un-vaccinated dogs may have been or may be present with such illnesses/bacteria/fungus causing parvovirus, giardia, clostridia, coccidian, etc. This is to protect the puppy and could save the puppy's life. Any illness contracted from the buyer's decision not to follow these guidelines will void this guarantee.

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Buyer agrees to feed their dog/puppy a high-quality dog food that does not have potatoes, sweet potatoes, peas, chickpeas, beans or other legumes in it..

- Buyer agrees to read the following information about Taurine Deficient Dilated Cardiomyopathy and to discuss this condition with their vet. If condition arises due to failure to feed proper high-quality food, condition will not be covered by health warranty.
- Taurine is an amino acid found in muscle meats. Most dogs can synthesize Taurine from other amino acids. Golden Retrievers, and a handful of other breeds, cannot and thus MUST get Taurine from their foods. Grain actually has nothing to do with Taurine... grain is a binder that makes kibble crunchy. When grain is removed another starch must take its place... Potatoes, peas, etc. are the starches that replace grain and it is these ingredients that you must avoid because they block Taurine absorption. You'll see many great foods with these ingredients will have added Taurine but don't be fooled by that. Those ingredients block all Taurine from being absorbed so adding more does absolutely nothing.

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#### LONG TERM 24 MONTH HEALTH GUARANTEE

24-months non-transferable health guarantee.

If the puppy is diagnosed with a genetic or congenital disorder that is life threatening or greatly diminishes the dog's quality of life and that is identified within 24 months from the puppy's date of birth, buyer will have no obligation to return the dog and will have the option of receiving:

• If available, a replacement puppy from a future litter of buyers choosing; or,



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- Monetary reimbursement, up to 50% of the purchase price of the puppy/dog,
  - Said refund to be paid no later than from the next subsequent litter bred by seller, at seller's discretion.

Request and submission of documentation shall be submitted to OLG by buyer within 30 days of diagnosis. Explanation of diagnosis and testing shall be submitted on vet letter head, indicating microchip ID #, and copies of all testing. Proof of spay/neuter by 12 months old must accompany any request for warranty reimbursement. The original dog does not need to be returned, but if the buyer desires to rehome the dog, then it must be returned to the breeder. Dog will be subject to a second opinion by a veterinarian of our choosing, and findings will be shared.



#### What is Covered

Basic warranty: OLG guarantees your dog for 24 months from the date of birth for:

- Genetically-caused hip or elbow dysplasia, providing the puppy has not been overweight, exposed to unhealthy environmental conditions, trauma, abuse, or had any physical injury or issues whose cause is unknown or may have an environmental link.
- Eye Disorders. Any congenital or genetic defect of the eye causing progressive blindness in one or both eyes and/or requiring surgery or ongoing medication, as diagnosed by a Veterinary Ophthalmologist. Proof is to include copies of diagnosis and treatment documentation from a Board Certified Veterinary Ophthalmologist.
- Cardiac (heart) Any genetic or congenital heart disorders requiring surgery or a heart disorder requiring life-long medication diagnosed by a Board Certified Canine Cardiologist.
- Von Willebrand Disease (vWD) (blood disease) (proof submission to include verification by • using a DNA test for vWD)
- A hereditary/congenital disorder that is life threatening or greatly diminishes the dog's quality of life, diagnosis to be verified by a lab or expert with knowledge in the field, and proof submitted to Seller.

### What is not covered

This warranty does not include viral illnesses, infections, improper bites, hernias, hypoglycemia, worms, giardia or coccidiosis. It also does not include any illness due to the ingestion of foreign objects, food, plants, chemicals or other items, physical injury or issues whose cause is unknown or may have an environmental link or illnesses from unknown causes that are not preventable by genetic pre-screening including but not limited to cancerous growths. Not included in this quarantee are health problems arising from trauma, abuse or failure to maintain general health care of this dog, including allowing the dog to become overweight. Also not included is injury to joints or bones from over-exercise. Since current veterinary science shows that dysplasia is more a product of nutrition and environment than genetics, dogs that are at any point overweight or



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that incur injury to bones or joints from over-exercise or exposure to improper or harsh environment are explicitly excluded from warranty of hip or elbow dysplasia. Veterinary records must be provided to seller if requesting refund or replacement. Under no circumstances shall the seller be liable to the buyer or to any third party for a dog that has been subjected to abuse, accident, negligence, or misuse. Also, under no circumstances shall the seller be liable for any consequential, incidental, or special damages resulting from or in any manner related to this dog. All refunds are cumulative and once the full purchase price of the puppy has been refunded to the buyer, for whatever cause, the warranties expire, and the seller has no further monetary obligation to the buyer.



• Take the puppy to a licensed veterinarian within 72 hours of leaving our property for a wellness puppy check. No vaccinations will be needed at this visit as OLD has our puppies vaccinated by the age of 8 weeks. In the puppy pack buyer will be made fully aware of vaccination schedule at the time of pick up and will be made aware of when the next series of vaccinations are due. If the puppy receives a repeat vaccination at the puppy wellness check it will void out any health guarantees as over vaccinating a puppy can cause a health risk and lead to death.

• Provide routine preventative health care including, but not limited to, inoculation, parasite control, monthly heartworm prevention, and other preventative medication

• Feed quality food and provide fresh water at all times. Puppies should receive puppy food until 12 months of age and be fed large breed quality food thereafter.

Not allow the dog to become overweight or over-exercise

• Not subject the dog to harsh environmental conditions, including, but not limited to, sleeping on concrete or other hard surfaces or prolonged exposure to extreme temperatures or extreme weather conditions.

- Not be kept outside overnight
- Provide at least minimum basic obedience training
- Spay or neuter the dog by 12 months of age
- Not to rehome the dog without first contacting the seller
- Never turn the dog over to a shelter or rescue

I hereby state I have examined my puppy and he/she appear to be in good health. I understand the conditions and responsibilities stated above







Buyer



Seller