Dog Name: _____ Breed _____

DOG PERSONALITY PROFILE

Complete a profile for each dog to be enrolled in Canine Creature Comforts. Complete responses assist us in the interview process. There are no right or wrong answers as all dogs' are unique. Please type or print clearly. If additional space is required to answer a question, feel free to use the back of these pages.

1. Profiled Dog Information

If multiple Dog Personality Profiles are being submitted,
this is **Profile #** _____ **of** _____
(Please also be sure to insert your dog's name at the top of each of the following page, thank you!)

Dog Name:	**Breed:**
How long have you owned the dog? Years: Months:	
Where did you get the dog? □ Newspaper Ad □ Pet Store □ Breeder □ Shelter □ Rescue Group □ Friend □ Found as Stray □ Other_____	
If adopted, what knowledge do you have about your dogs' history?	

2. General Household Information

a. People in household

Total # of people living in your household?	# of adult males?	# adult females?
Children: # of male children in house?	Ages?	
# of female children in house?	Ages?	

b. Other Animals in Household

Dogs			
Breed	Age	Sex	Spayed or Neutered?
1.		□ M □ F	□ Y □ N
2.		□ M □ F	□ Y □ N
3.		□ M □ F	□ Y □ N
4.		□ M □ F	□ Y □ N
Cats			
Do you have cats? □ Yes □ No		If yes, how many?	

3. Health/Grooming

a. How often do you brush or comb your dog's coat?
b. How does your dog react to nail clipping?

Dog Name: _____ Breed _____

3. Health/Grooming cont.

c. Does your dog like to be brushed? □ Yes □ No If no, what have you tried to make it more enjoyable?
d. Please describe your dog's flea/tick control and prevention program:
e. Does your dog have any sensitive areas on his/her body? □ Yes □ No If yes, where?
f. Does your dog have allergies? □ Yes □ No If yes, please explain:
g. Does your dog have any physical disabilities? □ Yes □ No Please explain disability and cause: If answered yes, what restrictions need to be placed on your dog's activities or Movements? □ No jumping □ No running □ No hard play □ No contact with other dogs □ Other (please explain)
h. Where are your dog's favorite petting spots?
i. How frequently is your dog walked outside?
j. How long are your walks?
k. Indicate from the following the overall exercise that best describes your dog's routine: □ Couch potato, spends days sleeping, occasional walks and/or playtime with humans or other dogs □ Mild exerciser, spends days outdoors, short daily walks and/or regular playtime with humans or other dogs □ Moderate exerciser, long or multiple walks daily and/or regular playtime with humans or other dogs □ Athlete, regular jogs/runs and/or regular participation in a dog sport activity such as Agility, fly ball, Frisbee, etc.

4. Behavior

a. Relations with people and other animals
1. Indicate from the following the level of dog socialization that best describes your dog's Routine: □ None – no knowledge of other dog interaction □ Minimal – on lead encounters only □ Moderate – some off-lead playtime on occasion with visitor's/neighbor's/friend's Dog(s) □ Extensive – regular visits to dog social events, off lead dog parks, dog daycare, etc
2. Does your dog like children? □ Yes □ No □ Not sure
3. How does your dog behave around children?
4. How does your dog get along with other household animals?
5. Do any visitors bring their dog(s) to your house? □ Yes □ No If yes, how do they get along?
6. How does your dog react to a stranger coming into your home or yard?

Dog Name: _____ Breed _____

4. Behavior (cont)

7. Does your dog ever bark or growl at anyone passing outside your home or yard? □ Yes □ No If yes, please explain:
8. Are there any particular types of people your dog seems to automatically fear or dislike?
9. Are there any types and/or breeds of dogs that your dog seems to automatically fear or dislike?
10. How does your dog react to puppies?
11. How does your dog react to another dog approaching it in a park, at the beach or on a walk? a. On leash: b. Off leash:
12. If your dog currently plays with other dogs, please describe size, breed & temperament of other dogs: a. Both male and females □ Yes □ No b. Only males □ Yes □ No c. Only females □ Yes □ No
13. What kinds of games does your dog play with other dogs?
14. What kind of games does your dog play with people?
15. Has your dog ever shared his/her food or toys with other animals? □ Yes □ No If yes, how does your dog react to another dog approaching his/her food or toys?
16. Where does your dog sleep? □ Inside the house □ Outside the house □ Both In which room in the house does your dog sleep? Where in that room does your dog sleep? □ Crate □ Human bed □ Dog bed □ Other (please describe)
17. Has your dog ever jumped up on someone? □ Yes □ No Do you consider your dog's jumping an issue that needs to be addressed? □ Yes □ No
18. Has your dog ever growled at someone? □ Yes □ No If yes, what were the circumstances and how did you respond?
19. Has your dog ever bitten anyone? □ Yes □ No If yes, what were the Circumstances and how did you respond?

b. General Behavior

1. To the best of your knowledge, what does your dog do when you're not at home?
2. How does your dog act when you get home at the end of the day?
3. What does your dog do to show he/she is happy?

4. Behavior (cont)

4. Is your dog allowed on the furniture at home? □ Yes □ No
5. Has your dog ever climbed/jumped a fence? □ Yes □ No If yes, what were the circumstances?

Dog Name: _____ Breed _____

6. Is your dog frightened by thunderstorms? □ Yes □ No If yes, describe Typical behavior & what helps your dog's fear:
7. Is your dog frightened by any other noises? □ Yes □ No If yes, please Explain:
8. Is your dog frightened or nervous around anything else? □ Yes □ No If yes, please explain:
9. Does your dog play with toys? □ Yes □ No If yes, what kind of toys does your dog like?
10. Has your dog ever growled or snapped at anyone who has taken his/her food or toys away? □ Yes □ No If yes, what were the circumstances and how did you respond?
11. Does your dog have problems in any of the following areas? If yes, please Explain: a. Mouthiness □ Yes □ No b. Housetraining □ Yes □ No c. Barking □ Yes □ No d. Digging □ Yes □ No e. Ignoring commands □ Yes □ No

c. Communication/Training

1. Which commands does your dog know? (please check all that apply) □ Sit □ Stay □ Down □ Come □ Touch □ Heel □ Rollover □ Shake □ Other:
2. What kind of collar do you use to walk your dog? □ Buckle □ Nylon/Chain sliding ring □ Harness □ Head Collar □ Prong/Pinch □ Other (please explain)
3. Is it effective in keeping them under control? □ Yes □ No
4. Does your dog have a command to go to the bathroom? □ Yes □ No If yes, what is the command?
5. Does your dog have a command to be quiet? □ Yes □ No If yes, what is the Command?
6. Is your dog crate trained? □ Yes □ No

5. Other

a. Do you know of any reason that your dog might not like, or be able to use, agility equipment?
b. Other comments or information about your dog that you feel might be helpful?