



**"Getting to Know You"
PRE-ADOPTION QUESTIONNAIRE
Show Tyme *Shih Tzu***

(Please print & fill out as much as you feel comfortable sharing!)

Date _____

Name: _____

Street Address _____

How long have you lived at this address? _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

City: _____ County: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

Occupation: _____ Work Phone: _____

Spouse/Partner Name & Occupation: _____

Cell Phone: _____

In order to be considered for an adoption, you MUST:

- ◆ *be 18 years of age or older*
- ◆ *have identification showing your present address*
- ◆ *have knowledge and consent of landlord/homeowner (if applicable)*
- ◆ *be able and willing to spend the time and money necessary to provide grooming, training, medical treatment and proper care for a pet.*

The questions here are asked to assure this pup goes to a good permanent loving home.

1. For whom are you adopting this pet?

Self children family gift other pet other

2. Why do you want to adopt a dog/puppy?

3. Who will be primarily responsible for the care and supervision of the animal? _____

4. Do you live in a:

House Townhouse/condo Mobile Home Apartment

Do you: Rent Own Live w/ Parents

If renting, do you have the Landlord's permission to own a dog? Yes No

What will happen to this dog if you move?

5. Please list the name of all household members. Include ages for household members under 18:

6. Does anyone in the household smoke? _____

If yes, where does the smoking take place?

7. Are you prepared to accept the cost of a dog in a home?

No Yes Not sure

8. Do you have a veterinarian for your pet(s)? No Yes

Name and phone number of veterinarian: _____

9. I understand that grooming costs will run about \$50.00 every 4-6 weeks _____

10. As an adult, have you owned a dog? No Yes

If yes, what breed(s)? _____

11. How active of a dog do you want? Circle one of the three:

- Fly ball/Agility
- Running/Walking Companion
- Companion

12. Do you plan on attending training classes with your new dog?

No Yes Maybe

13. How many hours each day will your dog be left alone?

14. How will your dog be confined? _____

All dogs are sold with Pet or Limited AKC registration, and will not be eligible for breeding, unless otherwise contracted in writing with Breeder.

15. Do you plan on breeding this dog? _____ If so, why? _____

16. Do you plan on spaying or neutering your puppy when it is 5/6 months old?

17. Please list all pets that you have had in the past five years, both current and those you no longer have:

Breed/Type	Age	Sex	Spayed/Neutered	How long owned?	What happened to him/her?

18. Have you ever returned a pet to the breeder? _____
If so, what were the circumstances?
19. Have you ever given a pet away? _____ If so, what were the circumstances?
20. Have you ever taken a pet to the pound or shelter? _____ If so, what were the circumstances?
21. Have you had experience with a small breed before? _____ Have you had experiences with a Shih Tzu/Imperial Shih Tzu before? _____
22. Do you have a fenced in yard? _____ If yes, What kind: _____
23. Where will your dog sleep? _____
24. How do you plan to house train? _____
25. What is the name of the puppy or upcoming breeding you are interested in? _____
26. Are you looking to adopt a puppy: now, 1 - 3 months, 3 - 6 months, or 6 - 12 months?
27. At what age would you like your puppy to be at time of adoption?
28. Do you have a preference on the sex of the puppy? _____
If so, would you like a male or female?
29. What size (weight range) of puppy are you looking for?
Why? _____

30. Is there a specific color you are looking for or prefer? ____ If so, which color(s)? _____
31. Have you considered an older dog instead of a puppy?
32. How much do you expect to pay to adopt the dog of your choice? _____
33. Are you planning on picking up your puppy, having it shipped, or meet half-way?
34. What questions or expectations do you have of the Breeder? _____
35. Have you read and do you understand and agree to the terms in our contract? _____

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE. I agree that Show Tyme Shih Tzu will be notified first if I am no longer able to keep my dog for any reason. Breeder will approve any new home for my dog, or help me to find an appropriate home. This dog will never be sold or turned over to a pet shop, laboratory, auction, wholesaler, dog pound or humane society. Show Tyme Shih Tzu can/will care for the dog until a new home can be found if necessary.

(Over 18 years) Signature:

_____ **Date:**

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Fax or mail this form to me.

Subject Line: Pre-Adoption Questionnaire

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Thank you for investing this time in your search for a new puppy. We will be in touch with you soon!

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