

# CAROLINAS BEARDED COLLIE CLUB

## APPLICATION TO ADOPT A RESCUE BEARDIE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you (check those that apply) own  rent  house  apartment  condo  mobile home

How long have you lived at the present address? \_\_\_\_\_

If less than one year in your current home, how long did you live in the home before that? \_\_\_\_\_

How many dogs can you legally have where you live? \_\_\_\_\_ Is there a leash law? Yes  No

Would you allow someone from Bearded Collie rescue to visit your home? Yes  No

If family members are either working or in school, how many hours a day would the Beardie be alone in the house? \_\_\_\_\_

How will you handle these hours? \_\_\_\_\_

How will you handle overnight or vacation absences? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you familiar with crate training/use of a dog crate? Yes  No

Will you be using a crate if/when necessary? Yes  No

How many hours will your Bearded Collie be crated each day? \_\_\_\_\_

List individuals in the household: \_\_\_\_\_

Names and ages of children living or visiting on a regular basis in the household: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever owned a dog before? Yes  No

If you answered yes, what happened to the dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever owned a Bearded Collie before? Yes  No

If you answered yes, what happened to the dog? \_\_\_\_\_

If you have never owned a Bearded Collie, have you researched the breed characteristics, temperament, personality, specific health needs, grooming, etc.? Please describe what resources you have read; have you gone to shows, talked to Beardie owners, been mentored by someone?

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\_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to devote the several hours a week that is required for proper training and grooming?

Are you aware of the dog training classes offered in your area? Yes  No

Does everyone in the family want a bearded collie? Yes  No

Please list any/all concerns your family may have about owning this breed. \_\_\_\_\_

Are there other pets currently in your household? Yes  No

Please describe. \_\_\_\_\_

Do they live inside  or outside ?

Are they spayed/neutered? Yes  No

Is your yard fenced? Yes  No

If yes, please give height & type of fencing. \_\_\_\_\_

If no, do you plan to add a fence in the future? Yes  No

When do you plan to add a fence? \_\_\_\_\_

If you don't have a fence at this time and don't plan to add one in the future, how will you handle the exercise requirements of a Bearded Collie? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you keep your Bearded Collie inside  or outside ?

Do you have a strong gender preference? Male  Female

Would you consider the opposite sex? Yes  No

Are you interested in:

An older dog     A young adult     An older puppy

Are you agreeable to returning the dog, should some unforeseen circumstances arise wherein you could no longer properly care for the dog? Yes  No

If there is other information about you and/or your family that would help us to select a "good match" for you, please describe.

Please list your veterinarian's name and a phone number where we can contact him/her.

Please give the name and phone number of a personal reference we may contact.

Thank you for taking the time to fill in this application. Your answers will help us to select the right dog for your family. Rescue dogs usually come with special needs and will require patience and commitment. Are you prepared to make that commitment?

Please return this completed form to one of the following:

**In North Carolina:**

Judy Howard  
2141 Moonstone Drive  
Concord, NC 28025  
(704) 723-6884  
[beardiebunch@gmail.com](mailto:beardiebunch@gmail.com)

Cindy Alspaugh  
5552 Polson Lane  
Iron Station, NC 28080  
(704) 574-0325  
[stonebaybeardies@yahoo.com](mailto:stonebaybeardies@yahoo.com)

**In South Carolina:**

Karen Drummond  
208 Greengate Drive  
Columbia, SC 29223  
(803) 736-2325  
[beardie-mom@worldnet.att.net](mailto:beardie-mom@worldnet.att.net)

Gail Romine  
113 Applehill Court  
Columbia, SC 29229  
(803) 865-6631  
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9823 Black Horse Run  
Fort Mill, SC 29715  
(803) 548-7190  
[bayshore@comporium.net](mailto:bayshore@comporium.net)

**The basic BCCA Rescue adoption fee is \$150.**

**In order to find a rescue Bearded that meets your needs your application may be shared with other BCCA rescue team members.**

**We try to keep applications current. If you have not adopted a rescue Bearded after six months we ask that you please re-apply.**

**Please note that foster families may be given priority in adopting a dog in their care.**