PUPPY MATCHING FORM Timberidge Farms, Ltd.			
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Address:		Phone: (_)
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The following information will be considered during puppy temperament testing, which is conducted at 7 weeks of age. The more information you can provide the better! <u>Preferences:</u> <i>Please note: we consider temperament above appearance</i> Since these puppies have golden retriever mamas, they will all have loose, wavy, low maintenance coats. None of them will have tight, poodle-like curls.			
Color:	Lighter	Darker	No Preference
Gender:	Female	Male	No Preference
Coat Type:	Curly	Wavy	No Preference
Our medium puppies are estimated to mature to an adult weight of approximately 30lbs-45lbs. Do you prefer a puppy towards the larger or smaller end of this range? (<i>Please note: we cannot guarantee that a puppy will mature to a specific size</i>)			
Size:	Smaller is Better	Larger is Better	No Preference

Which preference is of the most importance to you?

Size Gender Coat Type Color

Puppy Description:

What are looking for in a dog? What personality traits do you picture your new friend having? Are you hoping for more of a lap dog or a running companion? Is high energy better or low energy? Are there activities you plan to do together? Describe what you are looking for in your new furry family member.

Do you plan to attend training classes? Are you aware that we require for you to attend at least one course of puppy socialization or training classes at a facility of your choice?

Do you plan to use this dog for therapy? If so, what type(s)?

Do you plan to earn any titles (i.e. AKC Puppy Star, Canine Good Citizen, etc.)?

About You/Your Family:

Do you have children? If so, what ages? Do they have experience being around dogs?

What is your lifestyle like? Do you work a lot or is someone usually home?

Describe your living situation. Do you live in a house, apartment or condo? Do you have a fenced in yard? Are there any dog restrictions in your place of residence (i.e. size restrictions)?

Goldendoodles benefit from daily exercise. In what ways do you intend to help your puppy receive regular exercise? (i.e. walks, dog park, puppy daycare, swimming, runs, etc.)?

Does anyone in your family have pet dander allergies? (*Please note: we cannot guarantee that a puppy will be hypoallergenic.* Since these puppies have a golden retriever mama, they are not the best option for those with significant pet dander allergies.)

Have you previously owned a puppy?

Is anyone in your household hesitant about or opposed to adopting a puppy?

Are there other pets in your household? If you currently own a dog, what breed, gender, and size is it? What is the personality of your current dog like (submissive or dominate, playful, etc.)? What is the state of health of your current dog?

By purchasing a puppy, you are agreeing to the following:

- 1) To attend at least one course of puppy socialization classes or basic obedience classes
- 2) Provide the dog with a place to sleep indoors at night
- 3) To have the dog spayed/neutered by 2 years of age

Are you aware that puppies of every breed require a good deal of time, energy, patience, training, and repetition? When you take your puppy home at 8 weeks old, your puppy likely will not sleep through the night and will not yet be housebroken. Puppies chew on everything, including people, when they're teething. Goldendoodles are friendly, so teaching them not to jump can take some effort. Your new goldendoodle will want to participate in everything you're doing and, like any puppy, may get into trouble if bored or left alone for long periods of time. You may need to acquire gates to partition off sections of your home when your puppy is young. Are you prepared for the challenges and rewards of raising a puppy?

Is there anything else you would like us to know?

Once you have completed the Puppy Adoption Application, please email it to <u>Goldendoodles@TimberidgeFarms.com</u>.