



Christina Carter

Basset Hound Puppies Contract

AKC Registered · DNA Health Tested · Home Raised with Love · Wylie, Texas

Thank you for choosing a **Christina Carter Basset Hound Puppy** to join your family. Please read this contract carefully — it outlines expectations that protect both you and your new puppy for the entirety of their life.

1. Buyer Information

Full Name	_____	Partner's Name	_____
Physical Address	_____		
Mailing Address	_____		
City	_____	State / Zip Code	_____
Primary Phone	_____	Secondary Phone	_____
Email Address	_____		

2. Puppy Identification

AKC Name	_____	Call Name	Up to New Family
Breed	Basset Hound	Sex	_____
Color	_____	Date of Birth	_____
Sire	_____	Sire AKC #	_____
Dam	_____	Dam AKC #	_____
Microchip Number	_____		

3. Deposits & Payment

\$2,200

Purchase Price
AKC Limited Registration

\$500

Non-Refundable Deposit
Applied to total at pickup

By placing a deposit the buyer agrees to the following:

1. The deposit is **non-refundable**.
2. If puppies are not yet born, **\$250** may be paid to join the waiting list; the remaining **\$250** is due once puppies are born.



3. The complete purchase price is **\$2,200 USD** for Limited AKC Registration.
4. If your puppy becomes ill or passes while at the breeder's home, the deposit transfers to another puppy from the same or a future litter.
5. The breeder reserves the right to refund the deposit and decline the sale if it is not in the puppy's best interest.
6. The puppy must be **paid in full before leaving our home**. No exceptions.

4. AKC Limited Registration

1. Your puppy is sold as a **pet only** with Limited AKC Registration — never to be bred or shown without prior written consent.
2. The buyer agrees to **spay or neuter between 12–18 months**. AKC certificates are withheld until vet documentation is received. Do not alter before 12 months.
3. AKC registered names start with the same letter assigned to each litter. The call name does not need to match.
4. The breeder agrees to pay for and register all puppies with the American Kennel Club.
5. If this dog is bred intentionally or accidentally, the buyer agrees to pay a **\$2,000 penalty per puppy produced**, payable when those puppies are 8 weeks old.

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5. Caring for Your Puppy

Vaccination & Worm Treatment Schedule

Puppies leave no earlier than **8 weeks of age**. Your puppy has been vaccinated for Distemper/Parvo at 8 weeks. The buyer completes the 2nd set at 12 weeks and the 3rd set at 16 weeks (including rabies). All puppies are wormed every 2 weeks from birth with Pyrantel. A vaccination booklet is provided.

<p>NuVet Plus[®] — Required for Health Guarantee</p> <p>The buyer must keep their puppy on NuVet Plus for the first two years of life. Cold-processed to retain all nutrients — an immune system builder. Our hounds are on it daily. Health guarantee contingent upon NuVet Plus use.</p>	<p>Order Code</p> <p>28269</p> <p>nuvet.com/28269 1-800-474-7044</p>
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Feeding Requirements

Feed **LARGE BREED puppy food only**. Litter raised on **Purina Pro Plan Large Breed Puppy Kibble**. Switch to adult food at 6–8 months. Rapid growth causes PANO. Do not authorize elbow or hip surgery without consulting the breeder first.

Microchip Policy

Your puppy is microchipped with BUDDY ID. Breeder is primary contact; buyer is secondary. If the buyer fails to claim the dog within 48 hours of being notified, the breeder may retrieve the dog and AKC ownership reverts to the breeder.

6. Health Guarantee

Your puppy will leave **Christina Carter Basset Hound Puppies** with a veterinarian health certificate confirming the puppy is healthy and free of communicable diseases. Any known health findings will be disclosed in this contract.

72-Hour Money-Back Health Guarantee

1. Take puppy to a licensed vet within **72 hours** of receiving, or this guarantee is void.
2. If dissatisfied, return the puppy for a refund of purchase price *less the \$500 deposit*.
3. All transportation costs are the buyer's responsibility.
4. No cash refunds after the 72-hour period.

Two-Year Genetic Health Guarantee

To qualify: order NuVet Plus code **28269** and give 1 wafer/day from 10 weeks to 2 years old.

If a **life-threatening genetic defect** is confirmed by two separate licensed vets, the breeder will replace the puppy at no cost.

The breeder may choose to refund the purchase price (minus \$1,000) in lieu of replacement. **No cash refunds.**

Not covered by either guarantee:

1. Conditions normal for the breed: Cherry Eye, Entropion, Skin Allergies, Bloat, Ear Infections, Panosteitis (PANO), Pyometra.
2. Normal puppy maladies: Parasites, worms, ear infections, ringworm, giardia, coccidia.
3. Minor defects: navel/inguinal hernias, uneven bites, undescended testicles, non-life-threatening heart murmurs.
4. Environmental factors: poor temperament from lack of training, weight issues, autoimmune disorders, starvation, neglect, etc.
5. Contagious diseases: Parvo, Distemper, Coronavirus, Kennel Cough, mange, or scabies.



7. Lifetime Open Door Policy

If you can no longer keep your Basset Hound for any reason, at any age, we will happily welcome him or her back — no questions asked.



All Christina Carter Basset Hound Puppies will ALWAYS have a home here. We require that all health records and AKC paperwork return with the dog. Please contact us immediately if rehoming becomes necessary — we have a large network of resources and regularly connect dogs with perfect homes.

Transferring ownership to a family member still requires notifying the breeder with the new owner's full contact information.

At **Christina Carter Heritage Basset Hounds** we have devoted years to learning and perfecting our program. We want every family to receive a healthy, happy Basset Hound that becomes a cherished member of their family for life. **Thank you for choosing a Christina Carter Basset Hound Puppy!**

8. Signatures & Date

We the undersigned have read this entire contract (3 pages) and mutually agree to accept it as legally binding.

Breeder: Christina Carter

Date

Buyer(s)

Date

Buyer's Printed Name

Date



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