

Breeder Responsibilities provided by the NJPBGRC

a. GRCA [and NJPBGRC] members who breed Golden Retrievers are encouraged to maintain the purpose of the breed and are expected to demonstrate honesty and fairness in dealing with other owners and breeders, purchasers of dogs and the general public. Owners of breeding animals shall provide appropriate documentation to all concerned regarding the health of dogs involved in a breeding or sale, including reports of examinations such as those applying to hips and eyes. If any such examinations have not been performed on a dog, this should be stated.

b. Breeders should understand and acknowledge that they may need to take back, or assist in finding a new home for, any dog they produce at any time in its life, if requested to do so.

c. Members who breed should sell puppies, permit stud service and/or lease any stud dogs or brood bitches only to individuals who give satisfactory evidence that they will give proper care and attention to the animals concerned, and who may be expected generally to act within the intent of the statements of this [the GRCA] Code of Ethics. Members are encouraged to use clear, concise written contracts to document the sale of animals, use of stud dogs, and lease arrangements, including the use, when appropriate, of non-breeding agreements and/or Limited Registration. Members should not sell dogs at auction, or to brokers or commercial dealers.

To Read more About a Breeder's Responsibilities please click on this link:

<http://njpbgrc.org/linked/grcacodeofethics.pdf>

This list is provided for informational purposes only; the NJPBGRC, Inc. does not guarantee the performance of any breeder listed, nor the health of any puppies purchased. Please learn all you can before making your decision on whether to purchase a Golden Retriever. Consider adopting a Golden from Rescue. If you decide to purchase a pup, carefully consider which breeder to purchase from. Purchasing a Golden Retriever is a life-long commitment of companionship and love. If you are not ready to make this commitment at this time, please postpone your decision.