

Application to Adopt a Bouvier

Introduction

To start your adoption application please provide us with as complete a picture as possible of the home that you would provide for a Bouvier - in - Need. Your responses to this self assessment guide will remain confidential to Bouvier Welfare and will not be kept on any electronic retrieval system.

We have no paid staff, but you will be visited by one of Bouvier Welfare's accredited volunteers, (experienced in the breed), before you are invited to adopt a Bouvier.

This is not an Order Form and it is not a Wish list, since we can make no guarantee as to when a Bouvier might be available, and although of course we take preferences into account, we are never likely to be able to fulfil any particular specifications.

Nor is this a test. There are no 'Right' or 'Wrong' answers, and this form contains no trick questions.

Feel free to complete it in any way with which you are comfortable, adding anything that will help US to find the Bouvier that needs YOU. So let's begin.....

Your Details:

Name	
Address	
Post Code	
Telephone(s)	

About you:

The Bouvier is a large, strong and heavy breed. Are you confident that you are sufficiently physically robust to manage a Bouvier?
Answer here:
Are there children resident or regularly visiting the home, and if so what are their ages?
Answer here:

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What experience have you of this Breed?
Answer here:
Do you currently own any other dogs?
Answer here:
Please give details of any other pets you have at home:
Answer here:
Some agile Bouviers can clear a 5 foot gate. Is the fencing to your property sufficiently secure?
Answer here:
Some Bouviers cope with being left alone better than others. How long would you expect a Bouv to wait for you and what provision would you make?
Answer here:
Are you able to help with transporting a Bouvier to your home?
Answer here:

Which of the following do you honestly feel **UNABLE** to cope with?

Please tick if **UNABLE** to cope with.

	↓ Put your tick here
Pulling on the lead	✓
Barks a lot	✓
Dislikes men	✓
Dislikes women	✓
Dislikes children	✓
Never been housetrained	✓
House training broken down	✓
Begs at table	✓
Stealing food	✓
Guards food/toys	✓
Scratching doors	✓
Escape artist	✓
Doesn't come when called	✓
Digs holes in garden	✓
Travel sickness	✓
Over sexed	✓

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Near to you.

Do you have the following nearby?

Veterinary Practice	Yes	No
Dog Training Club	Yes	No
Safe walking area	Yes	No

About the Bouvier

Are you looking to rehome a male or female?	Male	Female	Either
Would you be willing to take a dog with health problems?		Yes	No
Would you be prepared to take on an older dog?		Yes	No

Please return your completed form to:

Bouvier Welfare, 83 Melton Mill Lane, High Melton, Doncaster, BN5 7TE

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