

CANINE CARE INFORMATION

Congratulations on your new Alapaha Blue-Blood Bulldog puppy! Understanding proper nutrition and health care is essential to having a great experience with your new puppy.

NUTRITION & FEEDING YOUR NEW PUPPY

Nutrition is the most basic of necessities in bringing up a quality animal, of any purpose. The foundation of your pup's diet is raw meat and bones. It is our experience that a raw diet is absolutely essential for a working dog to thrive. At least 50% of your pup's diet needs to be raw. We believe that no more than half of your dog's diet should be processed kibble. To be honest, the less kibble the better, but by no means do we believe that a dog's diet needs to be 100% raw for that animal to be in perfect health. Raw feeding includes a variety of raw meats especially organ meats, raw bones, raw dairy (yogurt, eggs), some vegetables and even fruits.

Your pup's diet from birth to four weeks consists only of its mother's milk. At four weeks of age we begin the weaning process by gradually removing the mother and introducing solid food. The transition to solid food begins with a mixture of raw ground beef, steamed bone meal and sea kelp. The pup is fed this mixture from four weeks old up to six weeks. At six weeks of age your puppies begin a feeding regiment of 50% raw/50% kibble. Our raw diet consists mostly of whole chickens, beef organ meat and soft boiled eggs with the shell on. This is the age we also begin to introduce kibble. The kibble that we feed and recommend is Kirkland Signature Super Premium Chicken, Rice & Vegetable Puppy Formula and/or Natures Domain All Natural Grain Free Salmon Formula. Both are only available at Costco Wholesale. We have found a 50/50 mix of these two kibbles to work extremely well for our dogs of all life stages.

As a final note on nutrition, a brief summary about supplements. For the most part all natural supplementation is a great idea. The main product lines we use are Doc Roy's and Breeders Edge both are distributed by Revival Animal Health. Another feed/supplement line we use and recommend is Solid Gold, which is available at your local feed store or Petco. The main products in raising your pup that we use and their recommended purposes are:

- Vitamin C:** Antioxidant, Ester-C is your best immune support and anti-inflammatory. **Highly Recommended!**
- Sea Kelp:** A superfood and complete source of all micro-nutrients.
- Salmon Oil:** Cardiovascular health, skin and coat enhancement.
- Enzymes & Probiotics:** Gastrointestinal health helps in the absorption of nutrients.
- Glucosamine, Chondroitin Sulfate & MSM:** Joint health and recovery, reduces tissue inflammation and swelling.
- Bee Pollen, Garlic, Brewers Yeast, Bone Meal and Cranberry Extract:** All used to holistically treat a variety of deficiencies and ailments, also promote the overall health of your pup.

All of these products can be found at either your local feed store, Costco Wholesale or online at Revival Animal Health and Lambert Pet Supply.

FEED YOUR NEW PUPPY 2-3 X'S A DAY

NEVER FEED YOUR PUP AROUND CHILDREN OR OTHER ANIMALS!

CARE & TRAINING OF YOUR NEW PUPPY

Please understand that the Alapaha Blue-Blood Bulldog is a true working bulldog, it is unlike any other breed . At the various stages of your puppies' life, we have subjected it to rigorous health screening, positive psychological imprinting and extensive temperament evaluation to make sure that it will be a loyal companion and worthy protector of you, it's new owner. Be aware that the Alapaha Blue-Blood Bulldog that you now have is fully capable of excelling at Personal Protection Sports, Athletic Events such as Weight Pulls and many other Activities including Competition Obedience, Companion Therapy, and even Scent Work.

GIVE YOUR DOG A PURPOSE AND LET IT SHOW YOU WHAT THE ALAPAHA BLUE-BLOOD BULLDOG IS REALLY ALL ABOUT!

From this point on it is up to you what your dog will become, you will need to understand the basics of obedience training. An invaluable resource for us is Leerburg Enterprises Inc. They are a great place for high quality articles, videos, and training equipment. You will also need an expert in the breed to mentor you. When buying a pup from us you receive life time support. Don't be afraid to use it! There are also many other reputable breeders that will be happy to help you out along your way. To get you started here is our list of mandatory training **DO'S** and **DON'TS**:

DO feed your Bulldog a Raw diet

DO NOT feed your Bulldog in stressful situations ie. around children or around other animals

DO crate train your Bulldog in your home and vehicle

DO NOT let your Bulldog become bored and destructive ie. get fun toys!

DO socialize your Bulldog with your immediate family and **ALL** pre-pubescent children

DO NOT let adult strangers touch your Bulldog

DO reward your Bulldog with praise and all natural food treats when he pleases you

DO NOT be afraid to give your Bulldog a strong physical correction when he displeases you

DO buy your Bulldog the highest quality training equipment and toys available

DO NOT wait to use them!

DO register your Bulldog with the Alapaha Blue-Blood Bulldog Association (ABBA) and attend the ABBA Regional Shows to get your Bulldog Conformation & Temperament Titles!!!!

DO NOT support the EVIL organizations of HSUS, PETA and SPCA, which seek to enact BSL laws and make owning so many great working breeds useless and illegal!!!!

CANINE HEALTH RECORD

Name: LINGREN'S
Breed: Alapaha Blue-Blood Bulldog
DOB: / /
Sex:
Color:
Microchip/ID #
Sire:
Dam:
Breeder: Thomas R. Lingren Sr.
Ph: (760) 221-3148
Email: thomaslingren@gmail.com
Web: www.ancientmolosser.com

We use and recommend the following de-worming products:

- Nemex-2 (Pyrantel Pamoate)
- Panacur C (Fenbendazole)

We use and recommend the following vaccines:

- NeoPar by NeoTech
- Vangaurd Plus 5 by Pfizer
- Vangaurd Plus 5/CV by Pfizer

2 week: Dewormed (Pyrantel Pamoate)

4 weeks: Dewormed (Pyrantel Pamoate)

6 weeks: Dewormed (Pyrantel Pamoate) Vaccinated (Parvo)

8 weeks: Dewormed (Pyrantel Pamoate) Vaccinated (Canine Distemper, Adenovirus type 2, Parainfluenza, Parvovirus)

12 weeks: Dewormed (Fenbendazole) Vaccinated (Canine Distemper, Adenovirus type 2, Parainfluenza, Parvovirus, Coronavirus)

All inoculations given by Breeder are High-Titer (MLV). Based on your geographic location and exposure to other animals your pup may need to be vaccinated for Rabies, Bordetella, Leptospira, Lyme and/or Heart Worms. Follow your local Veterinarians recomendations .

