

PARKRIDGE GOLDENDOODLES





WHY BUY A PARKRIDGE GOLDENDOODLE?

At Parkridge Goldendoodles we raise well-bred, health-certified, and temperament-tested dogs. We believe that the healthiest and happiest puppies reflect the environment in which they are raised. What sets a Parkridge Goldendoodle apart is our commitment to exceptional one-on-one training and care. Purchase your pup with the confidence of knowing that we support you and your puppy throughout your journey.

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS

Our puppies' forever families are important to us, so we ask you to take the time to fill out our puppy purchase and selection application fully and carefully. Once the application is submitted, we will send you a link to set up a call with us. We want to get to know the people who purchase our precious pups so that we can match you well and care for you, just as we do our pups.



After our conversation, we will send you an invoice for your (non-refundable) deposit of \$400.

Deposits are payable via cheque, e-transfer, or PayPal.

We want you to feel connected to the Parkridge experience every step of the way, beginning before the puppies are born. We will touch base with you to let you know when the breeding has taken place, and once again with the news that our Goldendoodle mom is successfully expecting. We post a live birth announcement for each puppy on Facebook (facebook.com/parkridgedoodles) so that you can share in this exciting time. Our professional photographer takes photos every two weeks, and we share these with our forever families by email. When our puppies reach seven weeks of age, it is time for you to come to our Open House to visit and select your puppy. The following weekend, when the puppies reach eight weeks, will be pick-up and delivery day. We provide you with the specific dates once your puppy is born. Your final payment of \$4,350 is due at the seven-week visit.



WHAT'S INCLUDED IN THE COST?

A Parkridge Goldendoodle Puppy Package is \$4,750, All-Inclusive

WHAT DOES ALL-INCLUSIVE MEAN FOR YOU?

At Parkridge you are receiving more than just a puppy, our package includes:

TRAINING

All of our puppies go through our Enriched Training and Socialization Program from birth - eight weeks. This program was uniquely developed for Parkridge by our professional trainer Darcy Jennings. Darcy has years of experience working specifically with doodles. This has allowed her to tailor a program geared toward the Goldendoodle temperament. In addition Parkridge is proud to be the only professional and experienced Goldendoodle breeder in Canada to raise just one litter in a home at a time. Our Enriched Puppy Program Includes:



FULL TIME CARE

Caring for your puppy is our full time job. Your puppy will spend over a thousand hours in our care, which includes being available to nurture your puppy day and night.

SOCIALIZATION

Puppies have a narrow window of socialization from 3 - 12 weeks. We take special care to introduce your puppy to various sights and sounds in a positive way. This includes:

- Surfaces (ie pool noodles, pans, different flooring)
- Sounds (ie vacuum, loud toys, weather noises)
- People & Animals (ie Veterinarian, children, babies, elderly, cats, dogs, birds)
- Environments (ie rooms, car rides, drive - thru)
- Grooming (regular baths followed by a blow dry and other grooming tools)

EARLY LEARNING

Neurological Stimulation

House Training (puppies are taught to keep their sleep environment clean, and taught the command potty)

Collar & Leash

Crate Training

Sit & Recall

Stairs





TRAINER SUPPORT

selection

From the moment you meet your puppy you will have the support of our professional trainer. Our trainer will guide your selection process by providing a temperament test. This in combination with our puppy progress and personality report, will give you in depth knowledge of your puppy from the first meeting.

training class

We want you to feel prepared to bring your new puppy home. During our Open House weekend, in a private training facility in the Cowichan Valley, you will spend an hour with our trainer. In our experience this is an invaluable time to bond and set in motion, the relationship you will have with your puppy for years to come. This is a great time to ask any training questions you may have in real time with your puppy at your side.

phone support

We are here to support you during the transition of bringing your new puppy home. Our trainer will arrange a one hour consult call with you. This will give you another opportunity once puppy is home to ask those pressing questions. Having the guidance of a professional trainer who has met your family and knows your dog is invaluable.



CARING FOR YOUR PUPPY

At Parkridge Goldendoodles we send you home with what we believe are the essentials for creating the best early experience for you and your pup. These high quality products have been tested by us and earned our confidence. We don't want you worrying about the size of the crate or the nutritional value of the dog food. As experienced Goldendoodle breeders for more than seven years, we want to supply you with the essentials.

INCLUDED PUPPY ESSENTIALS

- Canadian-made artisan collar and leash
- Grooming supplies: natural organic shampoo, wire tooth comb, slicker brush
- Travel crate and blanket with mom's scent to soothe your puppy
- 6lbs of premium dog food, and a bag of premium dog treats
- Our favorite training book mailed to your door before puppy pick-up or delivery





VETERINARY CARE

Your puppy will come to you with his/her first vaccines, deworming, veterinary exam & registered microchip.

We have been working with the team at Cobble Hill Animal Hospital in Cobble Hill, BC for over five years. Dr. Ian Keery is our primary veterinarian and can be reached at 250-743-4322. We recently extended our veterinary care to include Chase River Veterinary Hospital in Nanaimo, BC. They can be reached at 250-591-4050.

HEALTH TESTING

The health of our dogs is supremely important to us. We invest in breeding dogs from the best breeders in North America and Europe. Our dams are never bred before the age of two, and they have just one litter a year. All of our breeding dogs must pass a full range of health testing including for hips, heart, eyes, knees, thyroid, and blood disorders.

HEALTH WARRANTY

We stand behind the health of our puppies with a 3 year health warranty. What sets our warranty apart is that all serious genetic illnesses are covered (not just a few). We don't require you to return your puppy, and the length of our coverage is one year longer than standard.

PHOTOGRAPHY

birth - eight weeks

At Parkridge Goldendoodles it's important to us that you feel connected to your puppy every step of the way. Imagine receiving puppy updates via email that include professional photos of this precious time in your puppy's life. We hire the best photographers on Vancouver Island to document your puppy's journey from birth to eight weeks

family photo session

Nothing is more exciting then announcing your newest addition to friends and family. Parkridge Goldendoodles helps you do this by providing a family photo session with your puppy on our Open house weekend. We will capture you with your Goldendoodle puppy.

for keeps

To save you the hassle we will sort through all the photos to save just the pictures of your chosen puppy. These photos along with your family photo will be stored on a USB for you to keep.





FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHERE IS MY PUPPY RAISED, AND IS S/HE PROPERLY SOCIALIZED?

We raise our puppies in the centre of our homes. We believe that puppies cannot receive proper socialization and care if there is more than one litter being raised in a home at a time. It is our goal for our puppies to be at the centre of the family experience so that they can easily transition into your family. We follow an enriched socialization program created exclusively for Parkridge Goldendoodles by our professional trainer.

HOW DOES PUPPY SELECTION WORK?

We consider each family's specific needs and preferences and work with you to select a puppy at the seven-week Open House. Since our puppies are raised in our home, we get to know their personalities and preferences well, aiding us as we make recommendations for homing each puppy. In addition, we provide professional temperament testing at seven weeks, allowing us to assess a puppy's individual needs. Selections are made in order of reservations. We keep all families in mind when recommending a puppy for you.

WHEN CAN I VISIT MY PUPPY?

On the Saturday nearest your puppy's seventh week, we invite you to an Open House where you will visit with, and spend one hour of family time (including selection) with, your puppy. We invite you to attend a one-hour training session with your puppy on the following day to learn everything you need to know about taking your new puppy home. A professional family photo with your puppy will be taken prior to the puppy training session. Due to the effort necessary to prepare for this weekend, and because our puppies are not vaccinated until they are seven weeks old, we are not able to take visitors prior to this date. The following weekend, once your puppy is eight weeks old, s/he will be ready to go home.

ARE GOLDENDOODLES HYPO-ALLERGENIC?

Allergies are typically caused by dander and shedding. Goldendoodles that are more poodle than golden retriever will be better for those with allergies. This is because poodles shed very little hair or dander. We do not guarantee our dogs as hypo-allergenic, but individuals with allergies have adopted our F1b Goldendoodles (a Goldendoodle bred with a poodle) without any problems.

CAN YOU HOLD ONTO MY PUPPY LONGER?

We want our families to make their puppies a priority. We let you know the date your puppy will be coming home two months in advance. There is a narrow window of socialization for puppies, and eight weeks is the optimal time for your puppy to transition into his/her new environment. We do, however, understand that things may come up, so if you need us to board your puppy longer there is a fee of \$50 per day for the first week and \$100 per day thereafter. Puppies staying with us longer must be picked up from our home. Delivery by air is available in some instances (shipping fees apply).

WHAT SHOULD I PURCHASE FOR MY PUPPY?

It is our priority to take excellent care of you and your puppy throughout the Parkridge Goldendoodle experience. We understand the frustration of trying to find the right products in a sea of items at the big box stores. We have carefully curated a package of locally-made, top-quality puppy essentials. These items are included with your puppy purchase.

WHAT IS THE COST?

The cost of your puppy is \$4750, all-inclusive. We stand behind our price as we hold ourselves to a high standard regarding not only the puppies, but the entire breeding process for the first eight weeks as we care for, raise, and usher these pups into the world. We believe in offering you an experience your family will trust, and a puppy you will love.



ABOUT US

Parkridge Goldendoodles is the joint effort of Lynn and Lina. We have partnered to ensure that each puppy is raised as one of our own before finding their forever homes. We believe that each dog should have their own family and that kenneling breeding dogs is inhumane. Each of our breeding dogs lives with us or a family in the community. They are forever homes to our breeding dogs who come back to us when it is time to whelp and raise a litter. We call these families our guardian families.

LYNN TAIT

**co-owner, manager of customer
care, specialist
in canine midwifery**

Lynn is a Vancouver Islander through-and-through. She started at Parkridge as a guardian and became a partner in 2017. Lynn's caring and compassionate nature are ideal for Parkridge. Aside from being an excellent puppy mom, Lynn is a mom to four beautiful (human) children whom she homeschools on her property in Nanaimo, BC. Lynn is the administrative manager for her husband's business and worked in a veterinary practice prior to starting her family. Lynn values the art of slow living. In her free time, she grows a large vegetable garden, keeps bees for honey, and knits clothing.



LINA NEUFELD

**founder, co-owner, head of
operations, experienced breeder**

Lina purchased her first Goldendoodle 13 years ago when she was in University working toward a Bachelor of Science degree. At that time, she was in the Lower Mainland and dreamt of country living and raising her very own Goldendoodle puppies. Seven years ago, Lina was able to turn that dream into reality, and she hasn't looked back since. Her first litter was raised to earn money for charity, and giving back to the community remains an important part of Parkridge Goldendoodles. Parkridge sponsors autism service puppies through National Service Dogs.

Lina has a particular love for the science and genetics behind breeding, a fact that sets Parkridge apart from other breeders. Her husband, a professional Engineer by training and practice, is also an important part of the Parkridge Team. He created Parkridge Goldendoodle's whelping system and continues to develop techniques to help in the rearing of Parkridge puppies. Lina also creates natural soaps, and bath and body care products. You can view her work at [Instagram.com/cobblehillsoap](https://www.instagram.com/cobblehillsoap). Lina and her family live on an acreage in Cobble Hill, one hour north of Victoria, BC.

