

Obtaining a Sunnynook Large Munsterlander® Puppy

Thank you for your interest in a Sunnynook LM. Please complete the questions to ensure that the kind of dog we produce is a good fit for you as a hunter and for your family. We have successfully placed some 150 puppies with hunters over several decades of breeding.

When we ask about testing, we know that NAVHDA or VHDF-Canada tests can be few and far between. Feedback from a non-competitive test helps owners evaluate their training plan, it offers a training goal and a schedule to reach it. Dogs that are prepared for tests tend to become better hunting dogs.

We also ask about breeding or making males available. Maintaining a small gene pool such as ours has been possible only because other breeders and hunters 'gave back to the breed.' Qualifying males eligible to breed is relatively easy for hunters but we know, of course, that having a litter is not for everyone.

Please take a moment to respond to these questions. Feel free to contact us if you'd like clarification:

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Name:

Phone:

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What kind of bird hunting do you do? What species and how do you find them?

What kind of training experience do you have? ... access to training help, training birds?

How will your dog be housed? (House dog, Kennel dog, combination?)

Do you own another dog/s? (if so, what type, age, sex)

How does your family feel about a new dog?

Are you prepared to come and pick up the pup personally?

Do you plan to field test the pup in either VHDF or NAVHDA? Have you tested before?

Would you make your dog available for breeding if it passes and is free of hip dysplasia?

We'd love to see a picture of you hunting with or without a dog!