

Rocky Bottom Ranch Rescue

Helping Equines, Cane Corso &
Corso Mixed Dogs



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Adoption Application

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone Numbers (with area codes)

Home: _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____ Fax: _____

How long have you lived at the present address? _____

If less than 5 years please list previous address:

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

OPTIONAL: Driver's License No. (with State): _____

Date of Birth: _____ Marital Status: _____ Spouse's Date of Birth: _____

Occupation: _____ Spouse's Occupation: _____

Employer's Name: _____ City, State: _____

Employer's Telephone No.: _____ May we contact employer? Yes No

Names and relation of other adults in household: _____

Names and ages of children living and/or visiting in household on a regular basis:

If no children, planning on children? _____

Do you currently own dog(s)? Yes No How many? _____

Name(s), Breed(s), Sex (whether spayed/neutered), and ages of dogs owned:

Other Information: _____

Would you be interested in breeding your Rescue Mastiff? Yes No

Do you currently own any other type of pets?

Yes No How many? _____

What kind? _____

Are you interested in: Male Female Either

Age: Puppy Adult Older Adult Any

Color: Black Blue Formentino with Brindling Any

Type of Residence: Apt/Condo Townhouse Trailer Single Family Farm

Other: _____

Own Rent Rural Suburban Urban

If rent, please provide landlord's name and telephone number: _____

If rent, please attach written authorization from landlord stating it is permissible to have a rescue Cane Corso or Corso mix, living in the rental home.

Approximately how large is your yard? _____

Fenced yard? Yes No Type of Fence: _____ Height? _____

If no fence, how do you plan to exercise your Corso? _____

Where will the Corso live? Inside Outside Kennel

Other (specify): _____

If the Corso will live outside, describe the type of shelter: _____

While the Corso is outside, will the Corso be?

Fenced Tied or Chained Free to Roam

Do all adult family members work outside the home? Yes No

Approximate hours: _____

Hours during the week the Corso would be alone: _____

How many hours will you be able to spend with the Corso daily? _____

Where will the Corso be kept when you are home? _____

Where will the Corso be kept when it is alone? _____

Where will the Corso sleep at night? _____

How will the Corso be cared for on overnight absences or while on vacation?

What type of vehicle do you have for transporting the Corso? _____

Have you ever owned a X-Large breed of dog before? Yes No Breed? _____

What happened to previous dogs: Ran Away Stolen Sold Given Away
(reason) _____

Given up to Rescue or shelter (reason) _____

Euthanized (reason) _____

Died (cause of death) _____ Age: _____

What did you like the best about your past dog(s)? _____

What did you like the least about your past dog(s)? _____

What do you like the best about your current dog(s)? _____

What do you like the least about your current dog(s)? _____

Are you familiar with the characteristics and temperament of a Corso? Yes No

What made you choose the Corso breed? _____

What books/websites have you read about the Cane Corso? _____

Selecting the Right Cane Corso for You

Here are a series of important questions. Answering all carefully will help in selecting the right Corso for you and your family.

Why do you want a Cane Corso? **1 = Most Important** **8 = Least Important**

Guard Dog: ____ Companion: ____ Watch Dog: ____ Therapy Dog: ____ Prestige: ____

Child's Friend: ____ Obedience Prospect: ____ Other: (list) _____

What aspect of a Cane Corso is most important to you?

1=Most Important 8=Least Important

Appearance: ____ Agility: ____ Temperament: ____ Easy care coat: _____

Quiet companion: ____ Friendly attitude: ____ Size: ____ Other: (list) _____

If you have other dog(s) how would you describe his/her temperament?

Check all that apply.

Dominate **Mild tempered** **Submissive** **Aggressive** **Shy** **Hyper** **Natural leader** **Follower** **Friendly** **Aloof** **Easy going** **Laid back** **Afraid of Storms**

Other (list): _____

What type of temperament would best suit your family? And why? _____

What is your family's activity level? **Athletic** **Moderate** **Medium** **Low** **Retired**

Other (list): _____

What activities do you intend to do with the Corso? _____

Do you subscribe to any dog related publications? **Yes** **No** **Which ones?** _____

Will you take the Corso to Obedience Classes? **Yes** **No** **Why or why not?** _____

Are you prepared for the financial responsibility of owning a Cane Corso? **Yes** **No**

How much do you think it will cost per month to feed and care for your Corso?

Name of the primary caregiver of the Corso? _____

Will all family members be involved with the care of the Corso? **Yes** **No**

Explain: _____

How many dogs can you legally have where you live? _____

Is there a leash law? **Yes** **No**

What made you decide to adopt a Cane Corso or Corso mix from a Rescue Organization?

Have you applied with any other Rescue Organization to adopt a dog? **No** **Yes**

Which one and what was the outcome? _____

Would you be willing to help with transporting your Rescue Mastiff to your home?

Yes **No** Distance or time? _____

Are you interested in providing foster care to a Corso while awaiting the Corso of your choice? **Yes** **No** **Reasons:** _____
(Foster families may be given priority in adopting the Cane Corso in their care)

Please list your current veterinarian:

Name: _____
Clinic Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Please list your previous and/or alternate veterinarian:

Name: _____
Clinic Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Please list one personal reference:

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____

Please list one personal reference (non-relative)

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____

How did you learn about our Cane Corso Rescue? _____

Do any family members have allergies to hair, dander, or dust?

Yes **No** **Non-applicable**

Please list any other information/comments you feel may help us in placing a Corso in your home: _____

I certify that the information contained in this application is true and correct and I understand that prior to the placement of a Rescue Cane Corso in my home, the information will be verified. I also agree to a personal interview to determine the suitability of my facilities to care for a Rescue Cane Corso or Corso mix.

I understand that **UPON PLACEMENT of a Rescued Corso Corso in my home there is a donation of up to \$750.00***

Applicant's Signature	Date
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*Rocky Bottom Ranch Rescue is under NO obligation to adopt an animal to any individual. Unless otherwise noted, an adoption donation of \$150 - \$750 is expected when you receive your dog or puppy.

**Please note that some insurance companies may cancel your homeowner's insurance if you own a Cane Corso, Bandogge, Mastiff, or Molosser mix. It is the responsibility of the adopter to check with their agent prior to adopting one of these breeds to make sure doing so will not adversely affect their policy.

Please be advised that we are volunteers. We all have full-time jobs, families, and animals of our own. Some of us work more hours doing rescue work than we do our full-time jobs. While we make every effort to process applications and return phone calls immediately, this may not always happen. Please be patient with us. Emergency medical calls and calls about the safety of our animals take priority. Application processing time averages 2-4 weeks depending on the volume of applications received.