**Bingham’s Bulldogs LLC**

**Our services are mainly by referral. We can accommodate emergencies in some situations. The care and well being of the puppies and dam are our number one priority. We realize you may not have the facility, time, or experience to whelp your own litter. We have 10 years of whelping experience. You can rely on our expertise to handle the most stressful and emergent situations.**

**All litters are whelped in our home. Your bitch’s temperature will be monitored and recorded 3 times per day one week prior to her first due date and until she delivers. After the puppies arrive, her temperature is also recorded 3 times per day. Puppies are weighed at birth and then twice a day until they are 7-14 days old. All of this information is recorded and copies are available to you or your buyers.**

**We also have 24 hour access to veterinary care if an emergency situation should arise.**

**Our payment is due up front unless we have made other arrangements, such as us keeping a puppy or more for the fee.**

**Please complete the attached questionnaire and contract and return to Julie Bingham. Email:** binghamsabs@gmail.com**. Cell: 352-418-7867.**

**You can visit our website as well to see our beloved bulldogs at** [www.binghamsbulldogs.weebly.com](http://www.binghamsbulldogs.weebly.com)

**Bingham’s Bulldogs**

**Home of the 2016 Puppy of the Year (American Bulldog)**

**Home of the 2017 Dog of the Year (American Bulldog)**

**Home of the 2017 Kennel of the Year (ABRA)**

**Home of the 2017 Bitch of the Year (OBBA)**

**Home of the 2017 Dog of the Year (OBBA)**

**Home of the 2018 Breeder and Kennel of the Year (AMA)**

**Bingham’s Bulldogs Whelping Contract**

For the purposes of this contract Julie Bingham and Bingham’s Bulldogs LLC are the same entity.

- I, Julie Bingham owner of Bingham’s Bulldogs agrees to whelp (dams name) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and raise her puppies owned by

(owner’s name) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ until puppies are weaned (4 weeks) at which time the dam will be picked up by the owner. All expenses must be paid and puppies picked up by the age agreed within this contract. By signing this contract you also agree that you have no other contracts with another whelping service or agreements in place with a co-owner that would not allow you to use a whelping service.

**Custom Whelping includes:**

* Care of your pregnant bitch for at least 1-2 weeks prior to scheduled whelp date of the puppies***.*** Your bitch and puppies will be isolated from other dogs and any human visitors. You may visit your bitch and puppies but we ask that no more than 2 people visit at any time. You will be asked to leave your shoes in the front room and sanitize. If you have visited the vet office, been exposed to Parvo, or been to a dog event in the last 10 days, please do not visit. This is in the best interest of your puppies and our own personal dogs.
* Your bitch and puppies will be given clean blankets and bedding 2-3 times per day. Access to food and water 24/7 for the dam while nursing and the puppies are fed 3 times per day during weaning.
* Once the puppies are weaned, we do separate their area to a potty area, feeding area, and sleeping area. They will be introduced to lots of sounds and stimulation. If you have any special exercises or requirements please note it in the questionnaire attached.
* Administration of any drugs or supplements during the bitch’s stay, which is to be provided by the owner/owner’s veterinarian.
* Whelping the pups. If complications arise and trips to the vet are necessary, the bitch’s owner pays for the vet services. Any drugs used in the whelping process are to be provided by or paid for by the owner.  This includes but is not limited to emergency C-sections, oxytocin, and calcium supplements. Owners can hand deliver or use delivery service.
* Trip to the vet for dew claw removal, initial puppy checkup, and post whelp checkup of bitch, normally 1-3 days post whelp. These vet costs are the responsibility of the owner. We normally use Sumter Mobile Vet for health certificate visits for puppy well checks at 8 weeks old and they charge approximately $75 per puppy for the well check and first vaccination, fecal, and certificate. Additional visits due to protozoa or parasites are the expense of the dam owner.
* Trip to vet for 1st round of puppy shots. These vet costs are the responsibility of the owner.
* Administration of de-worming and de-protozoa medicines.  Some of these medicines we use keep the pups free from parasites throughout the time they are at Bingham’s Bulldogs LLC. Medicine is paid by the bitch’s owner. Tolturzuril for Coccidia prevention is roughly $100 per bottle. Safeguard or Panacur is roughly about $27 per bottle. Pyrantel Pomoate is about $1 per dose and included in the whelping package. It is given to Dam and puppies at 2 weeks of age.
* Weaning of puppies around 4 weeks of age.  The cost of the puppy food is to be paid for by the bitch’s owner.  Puppies are fed Fromm Large Breed or regular puppy food, unless other food is requested by the bitch’s owner.  The bitch will be fed the same food during her stay. Please bring her current food with her so we may mix it or have a service like Chewy.com deliver the food to our home address.
* Staying at Bingham’s Bulldogs, LLC until they are 7 weeks old. During those 7 weeks, pups are well socialized and are introduced to neurological stimulation, and puppy culture type stimulation. We also can administer the Volhard test if you wish at 7 weeks old. We will keep notes on the puppy’s progress each week and note anything we feel is important.

 **Whelping Services Options:**Custom Whelping Options are for any sized litter. 1 puppy constitutes a litter. If for some reason your puppies would not be born alive the whelping package will be refunded at 50% of the amount paid as long as the bitch was here 1-2 weeks prior to whelping. Others are case by case. A holding fee of 25% is required to hold your dates and must be given 30 days in advance of your whelp. We only take one client dog at a time so this holding fee in non-refundable. Balance of the whelping services is due when the dam is dropped off at Bingham’s Bulldogs LLC. No exceptions. The bitch’s owner also must have a credit card on file with the local vet clinic in case of emergency C-section at time of drop off. A pre-whelp exam may be required to establish your bitch as a patient and that exam is the responsibility of the bitch’s owner.

* **Full Whelp plus 1 week** (*2 weeks - 1 wk. pre-whelp and 1 wks. post whelp). $2000*
* **Full Whelp*plus 2 weeks****(3 weeks - 1 wk. pre-whelp and 2 wks. post whelp). $2500*
* **Full Whelp and Litter Package** (*8 weeks - 1 wk. pre-whelp and 7 wks. post whelp). $3000*
* ***Full Whelp and Litter Package plus marketing and selling package*** *(10 weeks-1 wk. pre-whelp and 9 weeks post whelp plus photographing, and marketing on social media, Hoobly, breed specific pages) Also, will coordinate shipping and puppies leave to their new homes from here. Any puppies remaining after 9 weeks of age must be picked up by the owner. $3600 plus 30% of each puppy sale (owner sets pricing). This also includes puppy packets to go home with each puppy. We cannot guarantee the sale of any puppies but will not get additional monies if they do not sell as this is a % fee. Any puppies you personally sell we also do not take a % but you must arrange all the shipping etc.*

*Please note: Puppies may not leave until all expenses are paid in full. A charge of $50 per day per puppy will be assessed for each day over 7 weeks of age or date agreed upon in this contract. To avoid issues with medication and dog food bills we recommend you use a delivery service and have the food and medications delivered and paid for ahead of time. Any leftovers will go home with you when you pick up your puppies.*

**Additional Services and Expenses:** Vet trips are included as long as they are within a 20 mile radius of our home address.

Sumter Mobile Vet, Sumterville, Monday-Friday regular office hours

Cares Low Cost Vet Clinic, Alachua-M-F, Sunday some emergency hours

Leesburg Emergency Vet-after hours only

If you have a veterinarian of choice please put it on the questionnaire attached.

This is our deworming and de-protozoa schedule:

* 2 weeks of age-Dam and Puppies given Tolturzuril and Pyrantel Pomoate
* 4 weeks of age-Puppies given Tolturzuril and Panacur or Safeguard
* 6 weeks of age-Puppies given Tolturzuril and generic Drontal

\*estimated cost is Tolturzuril $100, Safeguard/Panacur $27, puppy exam and vaccine $75 per puppy. These are subject to change based on current cost.

**Whelping Services do not include:**
Litter Registation(s) (example AKC, UKC, ABRA,ABA, NKC)
Buy/Sell agreement for pups and or marketing the sale of puppies
Dog food or additives
Veterinary assistance or well care in breeding, delivery, or post-delivery or health clearances for any pups or the Bitch.
Copies of applicable proof of clearances for sire and dam, titles or registrations on sire and dam, guarantees for pups

**What to bring with you when dropping your bitch off:**
Proof of current vaccinations.
Food that she is currently eating (Need 1 weeks’ worth so we can mix with the Fromm and transition to this food)
Any supplements and medicine
Bedding or other item that belongs to her.

The completed questionnaire if not emailed prior.

- Puppies can remain in Bingham’s Bulldogs, LLC care until 7 weeks of age or less if you choose a lower package. This includes being picked up by the owner or additional charges will be added. Any extra days after the package arrangement will be charge $50 per day per puppy. Please see the options above for whelping packages.

-The owner of the female is required to provide food for the female and the puppies.

- Bingham’s Bulldogs, LLC agrees to take excellent care of the female and her puppies. Using every precaution available to insure they are all healthy and happy. They are cared for just as our own whelping mothers are cared for. However some things are unpreventable no matter how well they are taken care of. The female and puppies will have access to 24 hour Vet service (emergency care at Leesburg Emergency; and the owner will be notified immediately of any situation that should arise. Any charges that occur during this time will be paid in full by the owner upon receipt from the Vet.  Bingham’s Bulldogs, LLC will not be responsible for any injuries, sickness and or death that occur while under the Veterinarian's care.

- Bingham’s Bulldogs, LLC will not be responsible for any injuries, sickness and or death that are considered a normal and unpreventable occurrence when whelping puppies.

By signing below you are agreeing to the terms stated in the contract above.

(Dam Owner)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_    date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Julie A. Bingham for Bingham’s Bulldogs, LLC\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_    date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Bingham’s Bulldogs, LLC Whelping Services Contract Questionnaire**

Please return this with the signed contract as it is part of the contract.

We use the following Veterinarians in this order:

1. Cares Affordable in Alachua, Sumter Mobile Vet, Leesburg Emergency (last resort emergencies due to cost)

Do you agree to the use of the above? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If no, what veterinarian(s) do you want your bitch and puppies taken to for routine care?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_for emergencies?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Dew claws are removed before 5 days of age. Do you want them removed?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you want ALL tails docked?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you want any broken or kinked tails docked?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you want an initial puppy exam and post whelp exam done even if all the pups and dam appear normal and healthy?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1/10 of a cc of Dexamethasone if given orally to any puppies born that has aspirated fluid at birth. Do you agree?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Calcium is given via Tums or oral Calcium Gel during whelp and until the dam weans. Do you agree?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Oxytocin is given as a clean out injection after 4 hours of no signs of labor. Do you agree?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Fromm Gold Puppy or Large Breed Puppy is our kibble of choice for the Dam and puppies. Do you want to be billed for the dog food?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Or will you have a delivery service deliver the dog food to our door or personally drop off?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ If you want a different dog food, what dog food will we be using?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you wish to have necropsy done on any stillborn puppies?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you wish to have a necropsy done on any puppies that pass away from day 1 and on?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\*please note there will be a mileage charge of .60/mile for travel to the state lab in Kissimmee.

For bottle or tube feeding, we use the Leerburg. Com milk replacer recipe. Yogurt, Karo syrup, evaporated goat milk, egg. Do you agree?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_If no, what formula will you be providing?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_