



IVY SANDS HEDGEHOGS, PEI

Hedgehog Ownership

Breeder: Olivia Ward

Buyer: _____

Location: 175 Norwood Rd, Charlottetown PE

Location: _____

Contact: (902) 213-5891 (Text or Call) /

Contact: _____

Ivy Sands Hedgehogs, PEI on Facebook

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Hedgehog Information and Price

Name: _____

Sex: Female / Male

DOB: ____/____/____

Color: _____ **Price:** \$ _____ (Inc. Deposit)

Parents, Pedigree and Health

Sire: _____ **X Dam:** _____

I, Olivia Ward, confirm that the parents of the hedgehog being sold come from healthy and ethical family lines.

All family lines were verified before breeding this pair. All baby hedgehogs are held every day to encourage a relaxed nature and are checked daily for any health problems.

Ownership

Ivy Sands Hedgehogs ***retains partial ownership of all hedgehogs sold***. When you purchase a hedgehog from us you are responsible for all care costs including housing, feeding, veterinary care, etc. However, if at any time you decide a hedgehog is not the right pet for you or circumstances change the hedgehog **MUST** be returned to us at buyer's expense/time. In a situation where returning the hedgehog isn't possible, you must contact Ivy Sands Hedgehogs PEI, so we can help with screening the new family. **You may not sell or give away your hedgehog without contacting us first!** Failure to comply with this condition can result in legal action. While this may sound harsh, we do this to ensure that the hedgehog we helped to create is always properly cared for and loved.

Reserving Your Baby

We will send you a message once we have babies to pick from. Babies will be approximately *21 days old*. We will give you

24 hours to choose and reserve your new baby hedgehog. Once chosen, you must pay a non-refundable deposit of \$50 to hold your baby until they are ready to go. The remaining cost will be due upon pick up.

You will receive a message at least **ONE WEEK** before the baby is ready to go with a specific date.

Boarding fees (\$5 per day, or \$25 per week) will be applied starting **14 days** after the "go-home message" is sent. Please note that while our deposits are non-refundable, they are transferable to the next litter.

Lastly, when purchasing a hedgehog from Ivy Sands Hedgehogs, you understand the care and needs of this exotic animal, and read the necessary documents provided to you. You must send a picture of the final cage set-up and food **7 days before** the pick-up date.

Ivy Sands Hedgehogs may reschedule your pick-up date if cage setup is incorrect or dangerous.

*If the customer isn't complying with us, we reserve the right to cancel the reservation, with **NO REFUND**.*

Return Policy

If a buyer decides for whatever reason, that a hedgehog is not the right pet for them or you changed your mind, we will partially refund you. These are **NON NEGOTIABLE**. ***The policy starts once the hedgehog is paid in full.***

- Within 7 days of the date of purchase = 75% of the sale price, minus the deposit
- Within 8-15 days of the date of purchase = 50% of the sale price, minus the deposit
- Within 16-30 days of the date of purchase = 25% of the sale price, minus the deposit
- 31 days After the date of purchase = No refund. Must inform us of the rehoming situation

Health and WHS guarantees

Ivy Sands Hedgehogs provides **ONE YEAR HEALTH GUARANTEE**. *The policy starts once the hedgehog is paid in full.* If your hedgehog passes during that guaranteed year, a **vet necropsy** (at the buyer's cost) **must** confirm that it was from

NATURAL CAUSES OR CONGENITAL PROBLEM. (Something they were born with, or a hereditary problem). If your hedgehog was neglected, escaped their cage, broke a bone, self-mutilated or any situation that would cause an unnatural death is not covered by this guarantee.

The **Wobbly Hedgehog Syndrome** is a very rare progressive, degenerative and neurological disease found in African hedgehogs. Most of this disease was bred out of our lines in Canada, as it's thought to be genetic. If your hedgehog becomes ill with WHS and passes, it must be confirmed by a **vet necropsy** (at the buyer's cost*) **must confirm that it was from Wobbly Hedgehog Syndrome**. A new hedgehog can be given once the certificate of death is given and a new litter is available.

Ivy Sands Hedgehogs will refund any necropsy confirming WHS

Non-breeding agreement

I, _____, confirm that I will not breed my hedgehog or offer stud services. I understand these babies are sold as pets, and that hedgehog breeding can be dangerous. If the hedgehog was bred, all guarantees are voided. *Failure to comply with this condition can result in legal action.*

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Hedgehog care information

Hedgehogs from Ivy Sands are only allowed to leave the nest starting at seven weeks old OR a weight greater than 175 grams. It is important to know that baby hedgehogs tend to have a nervous nature due to quilling. You are given a baby that is held every day to encourage a relaxed nature, and it is your duty to keep holding your new hedgehog every day. Ivy Sands Hedgehogs is not responsible for any nervous hedgehogs, as you need to handle them very often to create a bond.

Ivy Sands Hedgehogs is currently feeding **Nutro Indoor Cat Food** to their hedgehogs. It is your choice to change the food, but **all guarantees are voided if fed hedgehog labelled food, as it is not a recommended food.** More information on choosing an appropriate food can be found on our website.

Contact and Help

I, *Olivia Ward*, make myself available anytime the buyer needs information or help, and will respond to any contact attempt made by the buyer within a reasonable time frame.

As the buyer, I understand that Olivia Ward has a schedule and cannot always answer quickly. If an emergency occurs, Ivy Sands Hedgehogs recommends seeing an emergency veterinarian.

I, _____ have read and understood all the terms of this contract.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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