

Dog Frequently Asked Questions:

Food And Nutrition Requirements:

Brand of dog food we recommend is Purina. Blue bag at Tractor Supply is called Purina PUPPY CHOW Large Breed. Next, we use Red bag Purina ONE Plus Large Breed Puppy Formula. Please note that this dog food is hard & soft and it can cause the puppy to choke so watch your puppy for the first 7-10 days as they transition to this puppy food. Once they are full size we use Red bag Purina DOG CHOW. All three dog foods can be purchased at a Tractor Supply store. We recommend feeding three times per day 7 am, 4 pm & 9 pm with puppies and they get up to 16 ounces per feeding. Our Baier & Beauty gained on average 18 pounds per month, so feeding the puppy properly is critical to their growth! When they hit their adult weight they will back off to 8 ounces traditionally twice a day like a black lab. Baier is our male and he weighs 120 as an adult. Our females all average around 75-95 pounds.

Kennel/Dog Cage:

We train all of our Dogs to be crated for their safety if needed. We buy from Tractor Supply the Xlarge wire crate for the puppies when their youth so they understand the cage concept. It's safer to transport puppies in the vehicles when we deliver them as well. They like an open crate to see out of not the hard sided crates which can cause them to feel claustrophobic.

Toys:

Toys for the Great Pyrenees are the Beneful hard chew toys & rope toys. They seem to help with teething and last a long time to help the dogs with any boredom.

Dog collars:

We recommend the Halo Advanced GPS technology.

Fencing:

We use Premier hot netting with our sheep & goats which the dogs can feel the electricity in them.

Recommended reading:

We recommend buying on Amazon is called *Great Pyrenees. A complete pet owners manual* with a special chapter on understanding your Great Pyrenees. It's a great read on the breed & things to always consider!

Wormers:

Sentry HC WormXDS liquid dog wormer for dogs at Tractor Supply. Removes large roundworms, and hookworms in puppies and dogs. Treats up to 120 lbs.