

## North Island Bull Terrier Club members that breed DogsNZ registered Bull Terriers and Bull Terrier Miniatures



Buying a puppy is a big expense. You want to make sure that what you are purchasing meets your expectations and is as healthy as possible. You will see the breed you are interested in advertised on the internet, e.g., Trade Me and Facebook. Often words such as 'purebred', or the sire or dam have 'papers' are used. Unless the puppies come with DogsNZ registration papers, you cannot guarantee the puppy you buy will resemble the breed once it matures.

Responsible and honest breeders will be able to produce pedigree papers for their dogs, health documentation and will be willing to answer your questions. They will be knowledgeable about the breeds development, use and history. They will question you as your suitability to own one of their puppies, not just ask how soon you can pick one up.

All Pedigree dogs (and crossbreeds) carry diseases which can be passed from sire and dam to the pups. These are called hereditary diseases.

There are six hereditary diseases of concern to the Bull Terrier and Bull Terrier Miniature: Hereditary nephritis, Polycystic kidney disease, Deafness, Heart disease, Luxating Patella (kneecap) and the Bull Terrier Miniatures Primary Lens Luxation.

The Club strongly suggests that you purchase only from breeders who can supply the tests results for these diseases on a veterinary letterhead.

*[This webpage also contains important advice when buying a pup; https://www.northislandbullterrierclub.co.nz/buying-a-puppy.asp](https://www.northislandbullterrierclub.co.nz/buying-a-puppy.asp)*

**The following breeders are club members that are registered with Dogs NZ (formerly NZKC)**

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*<https://rufflyspeaking.wordpress.com/2009/04/26/puppy-buyer-etiquette/> is a useful article regarding buying puppies.*

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