

Basenji Breed Network Australia LTD (BBNA)

BBNA Basenji Legacy Bequest Program



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BBNA provides Basenji owners with an opportunity to register their beloved Basenjies in its bequest program so they can have peace of mind in the event they are no longer around to care for their Basenjies.

While even registering can be a difficult step to take, BBNA will assist you to plan ahead and give you long-term security knowing that your Basenji(s) will be properly looked after and continue to receive human attention and affection for the remainder of their lives.

Basenjies also grieve like many animals that lose their loved ones, so managing Basenjies in these circumstances need carers who know and understand the breed. Collectively BBNA has years of experience with the Basenji breed.

About BBNA

The Basenji Breed Network was established 9th April 2013. It is a company registered with ASIC as a Special Purpose not-for-profit organisation. While it is a relatively new club, the Founding members have been a part of the Basenji breed community for many years within Australia and overseas.

BBNA is a Basenji breed club that is interested in undertaking all things Basenji, meaning; Exhibiting, Breeding, Rehoming, Training, Basenjies Therapy program, Lure Coursing, Agility, and really any other activity that a Basenji could do.

Our club plays a significant role in the education and communication of information on the Basenji breed and, it operates a number of Basenji Socialisation Playgroups in Australia: *Tasmania, Townsville, Gold Coast and Logan City*. Basenji Playgroups were established to provide an opportunity for Basenji owners to exchange information and tips with other Basenji owners and, to also socialise their Basenjies, as BBNA believe it is important for Basenjies to be good canine citizens by learning how to get on with each other.

The founding Directors and members of BBNA have a heartfelt concern for the Basenji breed and continually work to ensure that BBNA operates solely for the preservation and protection of the breed. Also BBNA operates a rehoming and rescue program to care for and re-home Basenjies who are unfortunate enough to be surrendered or who need to be rescued.

Types of Bequests

When making a will it is important to seek advice from a Solicitor or the Public Trustee. Generally the types of bequests that can be made are:

Specific amount: this means the exact amount of your estate that you wish to leave to BBNA.

Residue-whole: this means after you have made specific bequests the residue or remainder of your estate will be left to BBNA.

Residue – percentage: this allows after you have made specific bequests, a percentage of the residue or remainder of your estate will be left to BBNA.

Reversionary Amount: this allows a surviving partner to benefit from your estate during his or her lifetime and then for the balance of the estate to be paid to BBNA on their death.

Specific item(s): this means that you may wish to leave a specific gift for example; real property, shares, art, or antiques.

This is example of a typical bequest statement in a will:

"I give and bequeath *[insert here the type of bequest eg the residue of my estate]* to Basenji Breed Network Australia Limited (BBNA) of the registered office 10 Martha Street Paddington 4064, in the State of Queensland, Australia to be used to care for *[insert names of Basenjis or to care for Basenjis]* and for its general purpose. I declare the receipt of the Secretary, Treasurer, or a BBNA Director of the Board of Basenji Breed Network Australia Limited (BBNA) shall be a good and sufficient discharge to my trustee/s who shall not be obliged to see the application thereof."

Why Make a Will and leave a Bequest to BBNA?

By making a will you are giving clear instructions to your relatives and friends on what you want to happen to your estate and how to provide for your Basenjis. In some cases your family and friends may not have the experience, ability or facility to take care of your Basenji(s) in your absence, so it is critical to ensure that you plan ahead for them as well by making a will and leaving a bequest to BBNA who can care and look after your Basenjis.

In completing and returning this form you are providing important information for the future care and placement of your Basenji(s). BBNA will to the best of its ability, meet your instructions and ensure ongoing care of all Basenji(s) listed. Please complete Part A and Part B forms and, complete Part B form for each Basenji that you want to register with the program.

Part A - BBNA Basenji Legacy Bequest Program Registration Form	
<i>(Please complete both Part A and Part B to register your Basenjis in the program)</i>	
Owner's Full Details (Please Print)	
Given Names:	Surname:
Address:	
	Postcode:
Telephone:	
After Hours:	Business Hours:
Mobile:	Fax:
Secondary Contact Name:	
Name:	Phone:
Executor Details:	
Executor's Name:	
Address:	
	Postcode:
Ph. Business Hours:	Ph. After Hours:
Number of animals registered in this program:	
Authorisations:	
I/we declare that my/our will includes specific provision for Basenji Breed Network Australia Limited (BBNA) to take ownership of and care for the Basenji(s) I own at the time of my death. I also declare that I have made financial provision for the ongoing care of these animals as requested.	
Copy of will (or relevant section signed and dated) enclosed: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>	
Print Name:	
Declared at:	
Signature:	
Date in Full:	
Please return completed form and relevant documents to:	Basenji Breed Network Australia Ltd BBNA General Secretary PO Box 1060 Spring Hill QLD 4004 0402 580 898 basenjibreednetworkaustralia@gmail.com

PART B – BBNA Basenji Legacy Bequest Program Registration Form

(Please complete Part B for each animal registered in the program)

Details of Animal:

Name: _____ Age: _____

Sex: Male Female Desexed: Yes No

Colour: _____

Distinguishing Marks: _____

Veterinarian Details:

Veterinarian Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____ Phone No: _____

Care Requirements:

Current Medical Issues: _____

Current Medications/Treatment: _____

Diet Requirements: _____

Exercise Requirements: _____

Behavioural Requirements: _____

Other Requirements: _____

Please return completed form and relevant documents to:

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All information on this form will remain confidential to BBNA.

BBNA appreciate your support and thank you for advising us of your intent to leave a bequest in your will to BBNA. This assists us in planning to look after Basenjies that need our future care.