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## We are BREEDERS 2

Our everyday is about dogs. While our friends are on vacations or have family meetings, parties, we are driving 1000 km to stud male for breeding, participating on dogshows, waiting for puppy delivery or taking care of litter and dogs. We haven't had real vacation for years! Because is really hard to trust our dogs to someone else. No one knows them better than we do. All our plans are made around heat dates, whelp dates, show dates and vet dates. Most of our friends are also breeders, because only they can understand that kind of life and support us. Before whelping starts we don't sleep for two or three days (sometimes even more), because we are supporting and taking care of future mommy. While every puppy is coming we pray they are healthy and strong. If something is wrong with puppy, we fight for his life for hours, days or weeks. Sometimes puppies also die in our hands. It is the hardest thing that can happen to a breeder. This breaks our heart on million pieces and this memories never dissapear. We sleep next to the litter box with mommy and puppies for one month or more, to supervise litter every minute...actually we don't sleep much that month. Our vets know us by first name and we have each others personal phone numbers. Not every person gets our puppy. Not at all. Puppies are our children and we want only the best homes for them. Every puppy that leaves us, takes one piece of our heart with him/ her. Our puppy owners are our family.

Money is not earned while sitting on our asses like most people think. Every euro we earn is earned with much tears, stress, blood and sacrifice. We don't work for 8 or 10 hours and then we go home to rest on the sofa and watch tv. Dogs need care 24 hours per day. Money is spent again for dogs and our kennel. It is a circle. Our house is not perfectly clean. Never. And our clothes are full of dog hair.

But this is our life and we would not change it for anything. We are breeders!

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