

Kew Little Pigs

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SALE OF PIGS POLICY

Kew Little Pigs are happy to sell you our Minature pigs or piglets on the understanding that:

- 1. You have visited Kew Little Pigs Farm Ltd or have spoken to Olivia (MD) of Kew Little Pigs or a member of the Management Team. We only sell our pigs in pairs or more. Pigs are social animals and are meant to be in a herd, we do not sell pigs or piglets individually.
- 2. You have taken part in the "Comprehensive Guide to Pig Keeping" Course. Unless you have a proven pig experience and are fully aware of the legal requirements, Animal welfare and Pig keeping in general.
- 3. You have seen the parents of the pig or piglets and you are aware that piglets will grow into pigs. Although they are much smaller than average pigs, a Micro/Miniature Pig can range anywhere between 18 24 inches in height, the breeding process is still very much in its early years and there is always a possibility of genetic throwback, as Micro/Miniature pigs are mixtures of many breeds.
- 4. Micro/Minature pigs can live up to 15 years or more and once you have purchased a pig from us and you have had it delivered to your home, you are solely responsible for the pig for the duration of its life.
- 5. It is our company policy to deliver the piglets to all new customers, however in the rare case of adverse weather conditions, or problems with our transport or a prearranged agreement, you will be required to collect your pigs or piglets from us.

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- 6. If on delivery of your pigs or piglets your premises and the provisions you have made for your pigs is deemed unsuitable, we reserve the right of refusal to leave the pigs with you and we will return with them to our farm. We also reserve the right to retain the non refundable deposit, the transport costs, administration fees and any medical costs that were included in the sale of the pigs.
- 7. We will only approve collection of your pigs or piglets after we have seen proof of a suitable set up, correct provisions and a clean and safe environment for our pigs. In these circumstances you will become responsible for the transportation in line with animal health regulations and animal in transport laws to the holding address. You are obligated to provide you original CPH for your holding and it is your legal responsibility to confirm the Pig Movement within 3 days.
- 7. You must be aware of the 20 Day Standstill Rules on the movement of the pigs or piglets and of any other pigs or livestock on your holding.
- 8. You are well informed and up to date on DEFRA's rules and codes of recommendations of livestock.
- 9. You will be responsible for all paperwork and record keeping. This will include Medical, Purchase of Medicines, and Holding records which be provided to you on the completion of Sale.
- 10. You agree that you have informed and have the permission of land owners/property owners councils and/or housing associations and proprietors of any buildings you wish to keep pigs in.
- 11. You are aware of all husbandry needs and maintenance costs.
- 12. You must be over the age of 21 to purchase our pigs and if necessary provide photo I.D.

- 13. You must have suitable outside space, protective fencing and shelter for your pigs.
- 14. You are registered at a reputable Veterinary Surgery that deals with pigs.
- 15. You have proof of the original CPH letter for the holding where you will be keeping the pigs on delivery.
- 16. You have paid all fees including sale of Pigs, Pig courses, delivery and any agreed additional costs.
- 17. You agree that you have received the pigs and that they are in good health.

Kew Little PIgs Farm Ltd sell a limited number of pigs and piglets and we have been breeding our pigs with the utmost care and attention.

"Our Pigs are very special to us and we love every single one of them"

Purchasing form us means that you agree to love and care for your new pet pigs or piglets and if you ever felt unsure of your capabilities, or were struggling in any way, that you will contact us for help and advice Kew Little Pigs sell Pigs and Piglets as pets and are not for consumption.

We wish you every success and happiness for many years to come and that your pet pigs will be very much loved and will become a part of your family.

Please feel free to contact us with any questions you may have and update us on the progress of your pigs or piglets, as we love to see their progress and we wish to have a longstanding relationship with all or our Pigs Parents.

You can contact us by calling 01 494 726 993 Or Email: pigsales@kewlittlepigs.com or farm@kewlittlepigs.com