LGD Training Checklist

A checklist for training livestock guardian dogs to bond with and protect stock. Use it with puppies or new dogs in the first months. Check each item in turn and keep the completed page with your other farm records.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

ITEM	OK	FIX	N/A
Dog placed with stock early	☐	☐	☐
Safe enclosure for young dog	☐	☐	☐
Basic voice commands taught	☐	☐	☐
Fence respect established	☐	☐	☐
Supervised time with stock	☐	☐	☐
Boundary and gate training	☐	☐	☐
Behavior problems noted	☐	☐	☐
Veterinary checks kept up	☐	☐	☐

NOTES / REPAIRS NEEDED

TIP Remove the dog from stock if it chases or plays rough, and seek advice from experienced guardian dog owners.