



Welcome to our May Newsletter and apologies it is a little later than usual, but we have all been busy sorting homes for dogs whilst juggling events in our own lives. We would very much appreciate a lot more helpers to cover some of the many smaller jobs within the rescue. If you feel you could help with an online auction done through Facebook or any of the many admin tasks, we would love to hear from you. We thank you for your continued support and hope you enjoy reading this Newsletter. Don't forget to follow us on Facebook:

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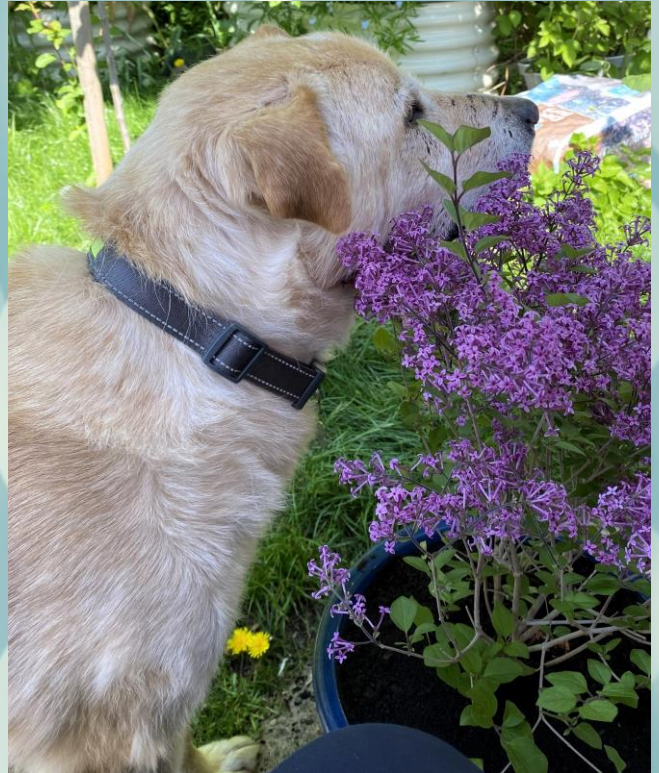
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STAN

(WAS LARRY)



Hi Sue,

Stan seems very content and is happy if he is left alone while out on our walks. It seems like he has been part of our family forever. Still a way to go but we have time. Looking forward to receiving the newsletter and will certainly keep in touch.

Kind regards,
Kathy



BELLE

(WAS CONNIE)



Hi Sue,
Hope you are well.

Belle is doing really well and has lost all the excess weight. She is the sweetest dog. I can't quite believe how lucky I am! Thanks to you.

Best wishes,
Clare

Please don't forget to carefully return our tag once you have your own made. Our stock frequently runs low, and they are quite expensive for us to replace.
Thank you!



RAY



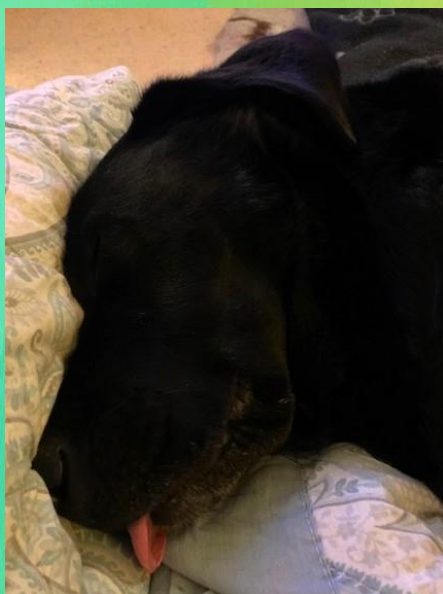
Hi Sue & Louise,

Last week we celebrated Ray's first anniversary with us. We hope he's had as fun a year as we have.

Since our last update we've had our first family Christmas with Ray, opening pressies and sharing some turkey. He had his 11th birthday, but we are still astonished by how active Ray is. He re-charges overnight and is all go from the moment he wakes up until the evening when he finally gives in to the deepest rabbit-chasing sleep. We've started giving Ray an interactive breakfast, so he gets some mental stimulation, and it occupies him a bit longer. And he really does seem to enjoy having to work harder for his food.



RAY continued



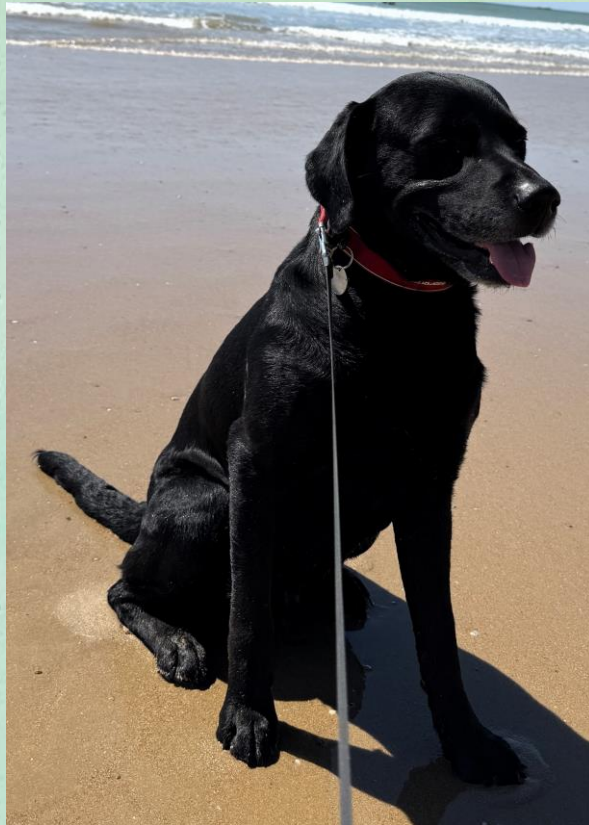
Ray has learned a lot in the last year. He figured us out straight away. He's learned to be less overbearing when meeting other dogs, and that he can walk away if he doesn't want to engage. He's figured out kissing gates and managed his first squeeze- and step-stiles (just low ones). He now knows that fords are great to cool off in on a hot day. He's also learned that carrots are nice too. We took a short trip away before Easter. Ray had a great time on some lovely walks, and he enjoyed all the rivers. His favourite thing however was the pub where he was given his own sausage for breakfast!

We've had a great first year with Ray and we're very lucky that he has come into our lives. Thanks for bringing us together.

Jacqui & Guy



ALBERT



Hi Louise and Sue,

Just a quick update about Albert. We have just come back from a month in France, his first long distance journeys in the car, and he managed really well – a little discombobulated when we arrived at the house but was fine within 24 hours! Very similar on the return journey, but I'm sure he will get used to it. He has had lots of lovely country walks, and a couple of trips to the beach. Unusually, I don't think he is going to be a dog who loves swimming but is very happy to paddle away – especially in streams on our walks!

Overall, he has settled in brilliantly and is very much our dog now, we are working hard on his recall as he can be distracted somewhat, usually by the entrance to woods where he loves to disappear into, but he always comes back within a couple of minutes. He loves meeting other dogs, but doesn't tend to play for too long, he is just loving life! Thank you once again for Albert, he is just what we needed after losing Milo so suddenly.

Best wishes,
Roddy & Penny

CHASE



Chase settling into his new home

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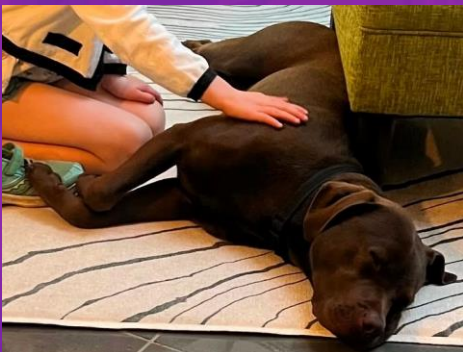
Hey Sue,

Hope you are well? The promised update re Fudge. He's been an absolutely superstar, he's settled in super well is showing no signs of stress or discomfort. He sleeps at the foot of my bed and is very content there, he goes out 2/3 times a day for 45 min to an hour.

He was a bit slow eating the first day but he's wolfing his food down now and drinking fine. We've started his work on recall, taking him out with a long lead and giving him treats when he listens to commands. He met my nieces briefly and was brilliant and calm with them.

We'll keep you updated in the coming weeks and months with his progress regarding his training, but I don't think we'll have too much trouble!

Many thanks,
Conor



MAX



Hello Louise,

It's coming up to Max's gotcha day in May, so seems a good time for an update.

He'll be 11 in August but still going strong. A little stiff when getting up, but still happy to trot round the woods for a couple of miles. We think YuMove is helping him. Apart from that, he seems pretty fit and very happy. Loves his food, of course! We are managing to not let him get too fat, much to his disgust.

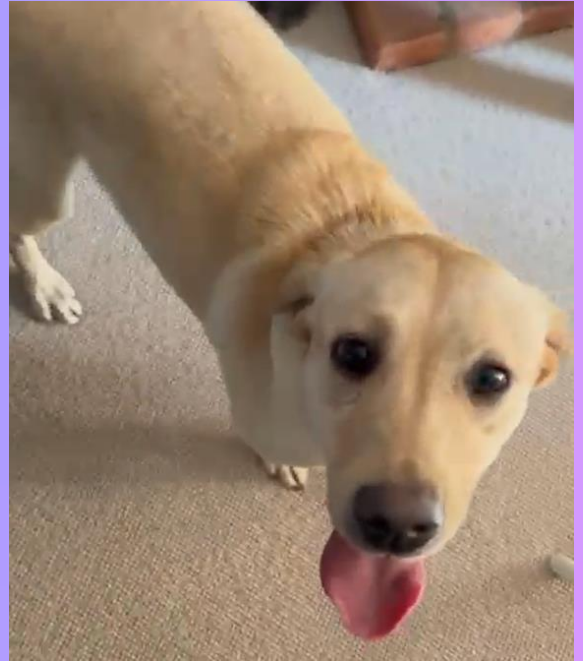
He is sooo patient with our visiting grandchildren. It's chaos when they're all here (there's 4 of them, and the oldest is 4) but he takes it all in his stride and mostly chooses to be in the room where we all are.

All in all, we couldn't wish for a better dog and consider ourselves lucky to have been matched with him. Thank you so much for him, and all the good work you do.

Best wishes to you all,
Pam and Dennis



WILLA



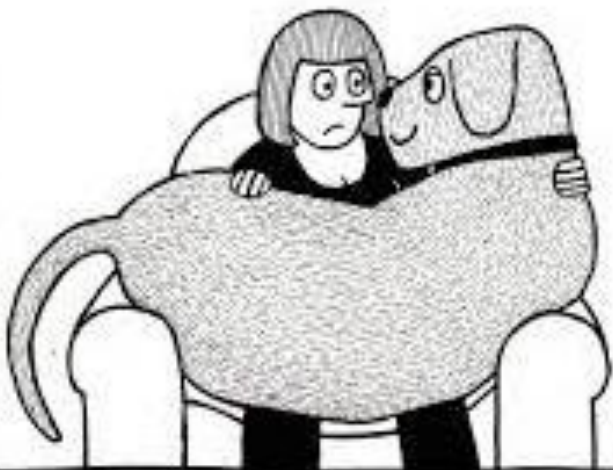
Hi Sue,

She doing really well! We have nearly cracked house training - she has stopped barking when we go upstairs and is super confident/happy at home. She is still a bit nervous going on different walks/meeting new people, but it will just take time. I am seeing a trainer to help me with recall next week.

Hope you have a lovely weekend,

Sarah

FAMOUS DOG MOTTOS



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TO BE A LAP DOG"

RF



Does your dog have bad breath? Add a little fresh parsley to his food. It will clean his teeth, too!

2020



Hi Sue

A long overdue update!

We've had Zuzu for about 8 months now and he's very much a part of our family.

He is always happy and ready for a game of any kind. We had some training advice for him with regards to pulling on the lead, and we are now at a point where we can let him off the lead on the common or in the park. He LOVES his ball so will either chase that or go off to explore a bit but comes back when we call him.

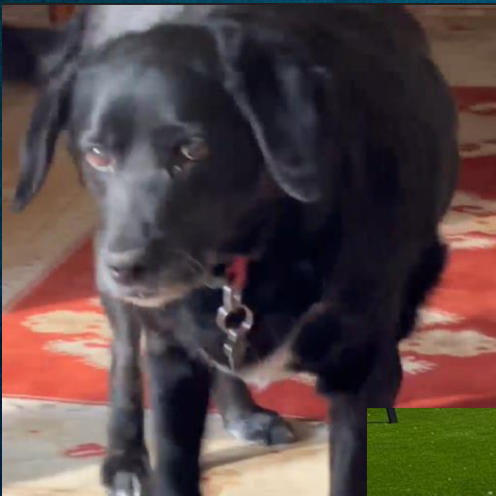
We went abroad for a few weeks last month, and he stayed with a family nearby. He appeared to cope with this well and seemed happy to be home again when we got back.

We're very grateful for such a loving, joyful dog!

Karen



TOLLEY, MARLEY AND MOLLY & RODNEY



Tolley



Marley - where's that squirrel??



Molly & Rodney enjoying their new garden.

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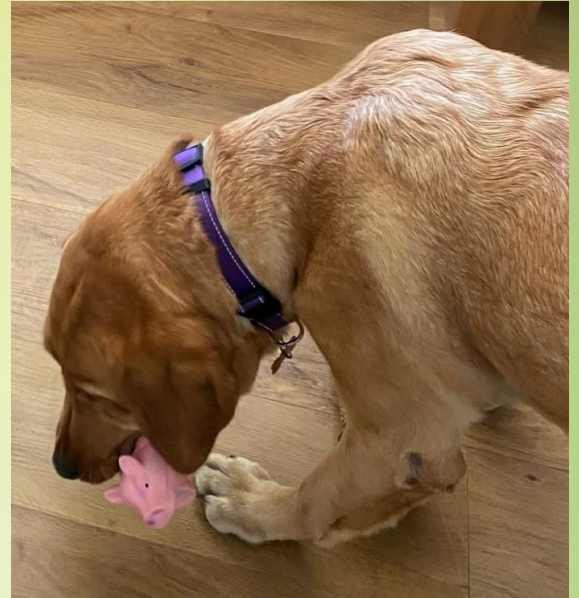
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MOLLIE



Hi Sue,

Mollie is doing really well. I got up to her once in the night as she was whining slightly (I waited till she went quiet to go to her) just to check she didn't need to go out. She's had a few nervous wees when we come back downstairs as she's not allowed upstairs but otherwise, she has been exploring and enjoyed chasing the ball.

She has clocked the chickens and ducks but seems unbothered which is great. She's been good meeting other dogs on a little walk. She is a bit cheeky and is pretty quick when things are dropped but we are encouraging her to drop with a toy or treat. She likes her food! Overall, we're really pleased with her first day. Thanks again and please say a big thank you to her previous family, we already love her, and we will take good care of her.

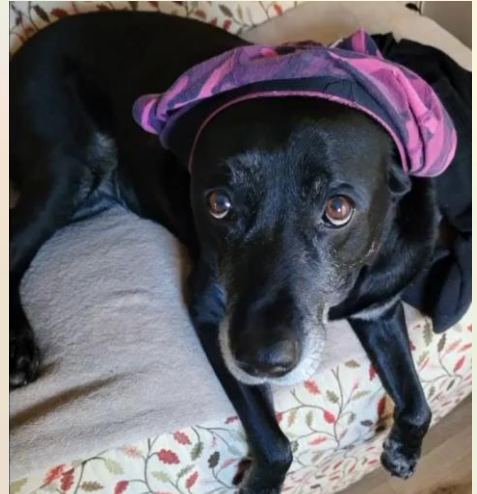
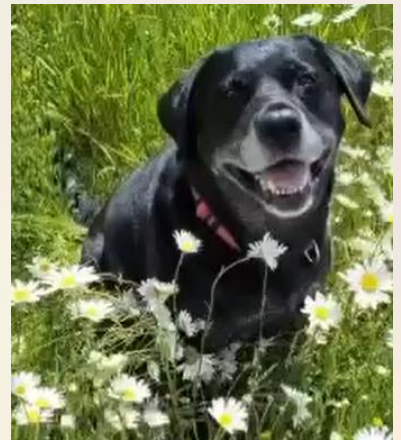
I'll keep in touch.

Thanks again,
Penelope



IN MEMORY OF LACEY

(WAS MOLLY)





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