LABRADOR RETRIEVER RESCUE SOUTHERN ENGLAND



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Autum has arrived, and our dogs are enjoying all the muddy puddles, but it's not such good fun for us! Lots of great news regarding our China dogs this month and we are still being kept very busy with the many stray and abandoned dogs that we are asked to help, and of course we do. There is hardly a day that goes by that we don't dream of owning our own kennels to be able to help more dogs but until a miracle happens, we battle on. We thank you for your continued support and hope you enjoy reading this Newsletter. Don't forget to follow us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/LRRSE



The efforts to bring home all our China dogs continues, with another 3 dogs arriving on October 16th.





We are pleased to confirm that 2 of the China dogs that arrived a few weeks ago are now enjoying life in their forever homes.



We have a gorgeous pair of Golden Retrievers (Hughie & Ruby), a black boy (Trevor) and our lovely Purdy from China awaiting their forever homes, and their best lives away from the meat trade.





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FUND

Fostering a dog isn't a lifetime commitment.

It's a commitment to saving a LIFE. We urgently need people that could join our small team of fosterers. If YOU would like to help, then please contact us PLEASE GET IN TOUCH WITH US IF YOU FEEL THAT YOU COULD OFFER A STARTING PLACE FOR ONE OF THESE VERY SPECIAL SOULS.

LOUISE.LRRSE@gmail.com Or SUE.LRRSE@gmail.com

If you are able to help by donating or joining our fundraising page or by simply sharing our posts, we would be very grateful.

Visit our donate page https://www.labrador-rescue.org.uk/donate.html for many simple ways to

donate.

Thank you

SCUDLEY

Hi Sue, Hope you are all well at LRRSE.

Scudley, at the beginning of June, underwent surgery for a ruptured cruciate ligament. He has a wonderful Vet and is much loved by all at the practice, who diagnosed the rupture and 4 days later Scudley had the surgery. It has been a long road of recovery for him, but he coped remarkably well and has now resumed his activities of a weekly visit to a large paddock and his monthly swimming session. As always, we are incredibly proud of him and often talk about the day, we came to get him from you in 2019 and we love his funny mischievous character.

A couple weeks ago we held another afternoon tea for family and friends. It was a fun filled afternoon with a raffle, guess how many sweets in the jar, name the Labrador toy, a quiz and a mystery parcel auction. Everyone had a nice time and was extremely generous towards the work you all do, We are pleased to inform you that we raised the amount of £420.00 which will transfer to the LRRSE account tomorrow. (Ed – a very BIG thank-you for your donation! Sounds like a very fun afternoon!)

Can you please let us know the address that we can send some items to you that Scudley no longer requires. Keep up the good work and take care,

Helen, Malc and Scudley







Miss Pip enjoying her 5th birthday on the beach. Loving life by the sea.

She's an absolute sweetheart xx

Thank-you, Tracy

FUND-RAISING AUCTIONS

Our October auction is kicking-off on **Monday, 16th October**.

Take a peek at some of our fabulous new items that have been donated to raise money for our dogs.











So please head over to our LRRSE Fundraising group on FaceBook for to grab yourself a bargain! https://m.facebook.com/groups/392487404917165/?ref

<u>=share</u>

GRACIE





Hello Sue, We are back from our stay in Devon. The weather was very, very hot. But we did manage to go to the beach in the early mornings so that Gracie could enjoy her holiday, have a paddle and a roam on the beach. I will attach a few photos so you

I have been to a few car boots recently and bought a few Christmas teddies that sing. I will try to get them off to you soon as I feel they will sell in your Christmas auctions.

can see how she was enjoying herself.

Hope you and your doggies are well and managed to cope with the hot weather. Lots of love, Jackie xxx







Please don't forget to <u>carefully</u> 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!



MIPPIG

Millie had a very good night, slept at the end of our bed, quiet as a mouse. She's had a nice long walk today, Thomas has done some lead training with her to help with the pulling. She is such a friendly dog, not a bad bone in her. Thanks again, will keep you updated.

Update:

Millie is doing great, walking better on the lead now. Still a bit over the top when meeting dogs on a walk, but overall, she's learning quickly. She has shed a bit of weight now, looking a bit trimmer and enjoying her walks. Comes home and has a good long sleep every day.

At first Millie was the one initiating play but now Lumi is initiating play, and they are getting along lovely and spending all their time together. They do love a run around together in the back garden or the lounge.

She is such a good girl, and has been very well-behaved indoors, she is an absolute joy and a wonderful dog. She loves everyone she meets. She has fitted in so well and we are very grateful to you for letting us adopt her, she is very much loved by us all.

It must have been very hard for her old owner to make the decision to give her up, but please let her know that she is happy, content, and we love her.



Kind regards, Gill



PUMPKIN SPICE & PEANUT BUTTER SPOOKIES

- 1 Sweet Potato
- 1 cooking Pumpkin
- 140g wholewheat flour
- 140g doggie peanut butter (Xylitol free and no added salt)
- Pinch of Cinnamon

Pre-heat oven to 200 deg Celsius. Peel & puree the pumpkin. Peel & chop the sweet potato. Boil sweet potato until soft & let cool before mashing Add peanut butter, flour, pumpkin & cinnamon Roll out flat and cut into shapes Place on baking tray and bake for 15-20mins Once out the oven, place on wire rack to cool, before giving them to your dog.

Attention!!! When buying Winter Jackets, keep your Eyes oben.

These are the most Common names for Winter Jackets with Real Fur

GAE -	Dog	Genotte -	Cat
Gubi -	Dog	Genette -	Cat
Sobaki -	Dog	Serval -	Cat
Kojah -	Mink	Maopee -	Cat
Sami -	Mink	Caraccal -	Lynx
Saelkanin -	Rabbit	Nutriette -	Rabbit
Feh -	Squirrel	Ljaguschka	- Squirrel
Kidus - Cross between Sable and Pine Marten			





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The donations we received from Pets at home buy food – treats – bedding – toys etc for our rescue dogs. Please join their VIP club and make sure you choose Labrador Retriever Rescue Southern England as your chosen charity...details on how to do this are below...this won't cost you anything and will really help another rescued dog.

Pets at Home

By joining their VIP club and choosing us as your chosen charity, every time you make a purchase in their store a donation is made to us. Over the past months we have been able to purchase dog food, bedding, treats and toys for the dogs in kennels and in foster with the vouchers we are sent from this brilliant scheme. So, please sign up today and help us, help more beautiful dogs.

> use the VIP club app for all things Lifelines

Do you have our app? **Download today!** It's the easiest way to get the most out of the VIP club, including: • Quick access to your VIP club card

BARNEY





Hi Sue,

After walk in forest, then trip to Mole Valley stores, we stopped at the local pond in the forest & all 3 loved it!

Barney also played with a black lab who was also enjoying the pond. Photos are not the best but you get the gist of playtime!

We met a lady who adopted a Choc Lab from you years ago, the doggie is almost 12, sorry didn't get names. Take care.

All the best to you, from us all





MR BARLEY BOBBINS





So, it's now 6 months since this whirlwind landed on our doorstep. And what a 6 months it has been!

What can I say about Mr Barley Bobbins.? He has to be THE funniest dog we have ever owned.

He is a creature of habit. He loves his walks, he sleeps on the bed, he absolutely loves water, and he loves to play. Oh, and he loves having zoomies around the house!!

He has taken to our canal boat exceptionally well and managed a whole 5 minutes on it before he was in the water!

Needless to say, we now have to keep a really close eye on him when on it. He has his set play time after his tea and sits in front of me waiting for me to get on the floor with him - he is not gentle, and my bruises show this.

When I say "ow", he takes off on the zoomies.

We would love to bring him to visit you all sometime so you can see the beautiful boy he has become. He is still timid of humans and takes off barking upstairs when we have visitors - but if that is his safe space, we let him go.

He has a best friend, Molly. When they are together it is chaos - a good chaos as he is happy!!

He is brilliant.

He is happy, funny and a total doofus.

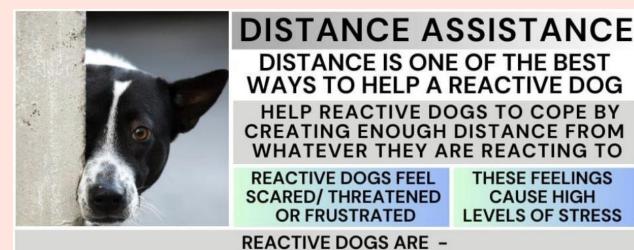
He brings us so much joy and laughter and we see changes in him daily! Thank you for all you do with these gorgeous pooches as without you, we would never have



had him here today!

Kind regards Suzanna and Tim





- struggling to cope in a situation
- want the scary thing to go away
- need more space / distance
- feel anxious / scared / frustrated
- need help to move away
- don't know how else to react

Creating sufficient distance from where a dog is not reacting results in -

- lower stress levels
- allows dogs to process information
- dogs learns to respond in a better way

Reward with treats/ praise/ games when dogs see a trigger at a distance & don't react Walk where there are less likely to be triggers

Walk at quieter times

This builds confidence as dogs start to form positive associations with that trigger

With time, patience & consistency, reactive dogs may be able to get closer to a trigger without a reaction



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SAFFI





Dear Sue and Louise,

We collected Saffi from you 6 years ago on 30th September. Where has that time gone?

She was an immediate hit with family and friends. All of whom fell all to easily for the "I'm starving, please feed me" look of a Labrador.

Saffi has just celebrated her 11th birthday. Although she is now a little slower and spends more time sleeping, Saffi is in very good health. She frequently gets mistaken for being a puppy due to both her short stature and very friendly nature, especially when there is the possibility of treats being on offer.

Saffi particularly enjoys getting out and about whether it be visiting family, walking in woods, going to football matches or on holiday.



With friend Rumour on Beach

All good wishes to you both, Helen & Alan



A very happy Saffi and friend Lara ready for a walk

HOW MANY DOGS DOES IT TAKE TO CHANGE A LIGHT BULB?

- GOLDEN RETRIEVER: The sun is shining, the day is young, we've got our whole lives ahead of us and you're inside worrying about a stupid burned out bulb?
- BORDER COLLIE: Just one. And then I'll replace any wiring that's not up to code.
- DASCHSHUND: You know I can't reach that stupid lamp!
- **ROTTWEILER:** Make me.
- **BOXER:** Who cares? I can still play with my squeaky toys in the dark.
- LABRADOR: Oh, me, me!!!! Pleeeeeeeeze let me change the light bulb! Can I? Can I? Huh? Huh? Can I? Can I? Pleeeeeeeeze, please, please, please!
- GERMAN SHEPHERD: I'll change it as soon as I have led these people from the dark, check to make sure I haven't missed anyone, and make just one more patrol around the perimeter to see that no one has tried to take advantage of the situation.
- SACK RUSSELL: I'll just pop it in while I'm bouncing off the walls and furniture.
- OLD ENGLISH SHEEPDOG: Light bulb? I'm sorry, but I don't see a light bulb.
- **POINTER:** I see it, there it is, there it is, right there...
- GREYHOUND: It isn't moving. Who cares?
- POODLE: I'll just blow in the Border Collie's ear, and he'll do it. By the time he finishes re-wiring the house, my nails will be dry.
- THE CAT'S ANSWER: Dogs do not change light bulbs. People change light bulbs. So, the real question is: How long will it be before I can expect some light, some dinner and a massage?

HARRY

Harry relaxing at home





PEPPER







I've sent the tag and some other bits we didn't need to you this morning.

Pepper is doing well, I think she's bonded with us well. She's had a clean bill of health from our vet and met some of our neighbours on our walks.

As we can't let her off the lead yet, we've been using a local secure field, which has been wonderful as she can have a proper run without any worries that she can run away or chase something without us being able to get her back!

We've booked a trainer to start 1:1 with us this weekend, so I'm hoping we'll get some good advice from her.

She's a real treasure and makes us laugh a lot 🗑

Best wishes, Sue





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This is a lovely store with exceptionally nice staff and well worth a visit...with your dog of course!

ELVIS AND ROXY



Great relaxed first night they slept like logs. They had a long walk this morning and breakfast too. Very happy doggies and humans x



DEXMER

I'm sure Dexter is supposed to be in the bed... not under it





Please Remember Us In Your Will

Charity No 1105955

Including us in your Will is an incredible way of remembering the dogs that have given you so much love and pleasure during your life and continuing to help many other dogs in the future.

We will also care for your dog/s should the need ever arise and writing your wishes into your Will, will ensure that your pet/s continue to be loved and cherished for the rest of their lives.

LRRSE does not have any paid workers, so every penny we receive is spent on saving another dog.

We are only able to carry on our work by receiving donations and legacies. Please remember LRRSE in your Will.

Made Your Will Yet?

You have probably worked all your life for everything you own

Without a Will government rules decide who inherits it all

The impact of Care Fees, Tax and other issues could also reduce your loved one's inheritance

With the "Right" Will and good planning you CAN help ensure as much as possible goes to your chosen loved ones...not to 'unintended' others

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