

## <u>PUPP Newsletter</u> <u>April 2018</u>



Preston is in his forever home and loves his new Mom. He especially loves taking walks, eating and sleeping in bed with her. Visitors are being very respectful of his special need of no touch and Mom would like to thank those involved for training him.



Gus is adopted to a great family with another small dog for Gus to play with. The people were friends of the foster family. The two dogs played great with each other from the very first meeting. He is one happy boy as you can tell from his face.



Maggie lived with me for a month and recognized me so she crawled in my lap while I was driving home. She is still uncomfortable riding in cars though. You can see Maggie is not yet comfortable in this picture at the first meeting of adopters. Two senior ladies who are home a lot and have another little dog for her to play with. They also have neighbors with 2 spaniels who love to play and will be visiting each others' yards. Report after a few days is that Maggie is warming slowly.



It took Gavin almost a year to find his forever home. Some people returned him because they thought he was hypoallergenic and some returned him because he would not listen to them. He was even returned for stealing a pizza off the stove. But these adopters have written he is doing well in his new home. He loves chasing squirrels up the trees in the back yard and is a Momma's boy.



Moe went to a foster home with a retired lady who also has a 14 yr old lab. She made him a quilt and holds him at night in her arms where he sleeps while she watches TV. This pic is of him riding back after having sheath surgery and growths on his paw and neck removed. Foster Mom is going to adopt him now that he's all fixed up.



Moe sleeping on his Mom covered with a quilt.



We have had guite an ordeal with Bo's new home. This is the report from the owner: his first three days were rough...he doesn't realize how large he is..monday morning at 5 am we woke up to lots of crying by KD (their other dog) he had accidentally stepped on her nose and cut it open so there was blood everywhere and it took a few minutes to figure out what had happened. We went to the vet and he gave rx for flagyl an antibiotic for colon bacteria for 20 days and doing 1 week of prednisone with it and boiled rice and hamburger with his dry food. He stool is almost normal after 2 days of meds and rice combo. Peeing like a river! As my husband says he seems happy. He loves his snow ball squeak toy, that amazingly enough he has not torn apart and rope with the tennis balls on them. He enjoys running in the yard and jogging with my husband and KD. Food is still a little issue though it has gotten some better. No more growling at her when she's eating. He is very good with the cats. Needs to go back to school for leash walking at a slow pace- KD went one way and he the other and I went down on the side walk, a little scrapped up but we all survived. He has many good qualities and can be very sweet, just needs some work on obedience and leash walking which we can work on.



Scottie is doing well in a foster home and is getting some applications to adopt him. It won't be long before he is in a home.



Foxy was adopted a year ago and was returned recently because the owner is in stage four of cancer. She is in a foster home and foster Mom can't believe how smart she is.



Cooper is being re-homed because he attacked the cats in the home and they had to spend a lot of money to save them. They are keeping him until we find a new home.



Ellie Mae is having a very difficult time with the move to the foster home. She is howling, trying to get out of her cage and resisting the foster home. There are other dogs there but she is not getting comfort from them yet. We will probably try some anti anxiety drugs for her.

We are currently managing about 48 dogs including some puppies. That doesn't include some hospice dogs that are not adoptable. We appreciate your training efforts of our PUPP dogs. If you want pictures, make a list and I will send you pictures of the ones you have trained.