

Update on Cookie and her puppies



Lorna (left) Just wanted to shoot you an email to update you on how Lorna is doing. She's growing like a weed! She is three months old. We have already trained her to sit, shake, and go fetch. Next we are working on not jumping on people. We take her EVERYWHERE! She gets in creeks, ponds, and lakes. She goes on hikes with us and even enjoys fishing. Every time we catch a fish she swims out in the water to get the fish before the fishes makes it on shore. And she's a cuddler too. She loves to give kisses to everybody!

Alexis Wilson

Cookie had her puppies under a deck on January 6 during the bitter cold spell when temperatures were in the teens. We could not get under the deck to get her puppies out to safety and even tried (unsuccessfully) to persuade a 5 year old neighbor to squeeze through a small opening on the side. Luckily, the homeowner, Mr. Smith, offered to take a saw to his deck and Cookie and her pups were brought inside to warm up.

Cookie and her pups (Lorna, Newton and Snickerdoodle) lived at the Humane Society until the puppies were 8 weeks old. After neutering and microchipping, the puppies went to their new homes. Cookie was transferred to a rescue group in Northern Virginia.

Newton went to West Virginia with his family and we've heard that he has outgrown several sweaters.



Snickerdoodle returned for a visit wearing her new spring dress.



Sugar and her Foster Puppies:

Rocky and Jake were brought to the Humane Society by their owner when they were less than 2 weeks old because their mama dog was not caring for them. Sandi has been bottle feeding them and caring for abscesses on Rocky. Sugar provides nurturing and lets the puppies nurse. Sugar has not had puppies for a year but her one year old puppy just went to her new adoptive home and Sugar missed her very much. Sugar was leaking milk after her puppy was placed.

Here's an update from **Foster Volunteer Sandi Feather** who rescued Sugar and her puppy and now is fostering Sugar, Rocky and Jake.: "The first few pictures are recent of Sugar..I have attached one of her and the pups. The first two pictures are Jake - He is the smaller of the pups and is little fluffier than Rocky. Both seem to be growing and doing well. They are totting around now, and they want to eat all the time. :) I have started them on mashed canned puppy food and their milk replacement. They go crazy. :)

Sugar is very devoted to these little guys. It amazes me how she has took them under her wing, and gives up getting personal attention and outside time to be with them. She is a little trooper. I think we should definitely keep her with them til they can be adopted. She is so attached. I really hate going on vacation now. She is such a devoted little dog.— Sandi N. Feather “

