



BLUE:

Blue has been calm and playful here. Also, very affectionate. We have not observed him being particularly jumpy or mouthy. We met Blue as a puppy and know that he grew up with children around. We know that there was also a cat in the household but we do not know if Blue had interacted with the cat.

He is 6mths old and weighs 32kg. He is a little cautious around new people, or at least men, but seems to warm up quickly especially if a treat is involved. He is gentle when taking the treats. BTW, his eyes are even more striking in person. If he was one of those dogs that you are supposed to avoid eye contact with, it would be very hard! He is a very handsome and so far, even tempered guy. We have a few dog-aggressive dogs here and when Blue accidentally approached their kennels, they went nuts but he was calm and cool. Nice guy!



Rosco:

He is an 80+lb bundle of love. However, intros to new humans and dogs needs to be slow. The same for other dogs. He has been with us, spending his nights with me, for a few months now. He is neutered. I can't say enough good things about this guy. Best suited to a home with only one or two adults. He handles wearing a muzzle, while walking public, just fine. He does like to sleep in a comfy bed, preferably while spooning with his best human friend(s). Rosco accompanies in the CARE van regularly - a solid co-pilot in the passenger seat. He is also fine with time-outs in the crate when needed.



Tiny:

Tiny looks great in her sweater. She just finished nursing her last baby, and she is dog selective. She has gotten along with some of the dogs here but others have rubbed her the wrong way and she lets them know (from the safety of her fenced kennel).

Ergo, slow, calculated intros are needed with other dogs and muzzled walks in populated places is probably best. She walks on leash like a dream. She loves her toys and chewing on things - we give her one of those stuffed bones to keep her happy.

We believe she is about 2 yrs old. She weighs 26kg or so.



Curt:

He is approx. 1-1.5 years old, 32 kg, male, and a medium to large dog. We assume that he is a Golden Retriever/Husky X?

He is affectionate and enjoys being with humans. He is cuddly and rather mellow in temperament. Curt will probably do almost anything for a treat. He learns quickly and wants to please his human. As he is food-driven we are certain that he will pick things up in no time. He is housetrained and received high praise from his foster fam.

Curt enjoys his walks and is great on the leash. These walks are usually 30 to 45 minutes in length twice daily. He is interested in small birds flying by, the occasional mouse darting through the grass but usually just watches them can be redirected and will continue walking.

Curt does not have a lot of interest in toys. However, a fluffy stuffed animal does not survive a night with him. :) He has not been tested with children or cats but we think that he should not go to a home with young children or cats at this point. Curt has been friendly and playful with his female dog friend here at the shelter. When he has met other dogs on walks (in a distance) he has not paid much attention to them and was redirected easily.



Tashi

Tashi is a 1 ½ to 2-year-old, mid-size Husky mix. She is a strong 65 lb, athletic dog who makes a great running partner and requires daily walks. Tashi is playful and the antics of her 8 pm zoomies are pure comedy. She loves to fetch and play tug and her playful nature comes out in the games she makes for herself, tossing and catching chestnuts on walks or tossing and catching her own toys.

This intelligent little girl loves to learn and you can see how much fun she is having when challenged. She knows "sit" and "paw" and she is working on commands such as "stay," "off," "leave it" "take it" "find it." She does great in fenced areas with a "chuck-it." Tashi would be a great dog with a job, something that offers her daily exercise - physically and mentally.

Tashi is very social and has so far enjoyed meeting people. The greetings and chatter she saves for her own people are endearing and joyful. She is learning to walk nicely on a leash. She wants to pull but catches on quickly to training techniques like fast turns and unexpected stops. Her biggest challenge when on-leash walking is passing by other dogs. Tashi does not like everyone. But hey, we think that is ok as we as humans also do not like everyone. However, her human needs to be capable to control the situation and redirecting her when needed. Tashi is very strong-willed and requires someone with patience and experience with high drive dogs. She also has a high prey drive.

As active as she is, Tashi is able to settle nicely and loves to keep her humans' toes warm while they are relaxing or working at the computer. She is affectionate but independent and will come and go for cuddles. She is crate trained. Tashi needs a home with undivided attention and would be best suited for a home without children and where she is the only animal.