

Foster Family Personal Information

Date in Foster Home

05/25/2024

Hound Information

Registered Name

WW Legendary

Call Name

Legend

Date of Birth

05/25/2021

Gender

Male

Color

Black & White

Known Medical Problems

No

Heartworm Preventative Administered

July 1, 2024

Comes When Called

Yes

Understands "Good"

Yes

Plays With Toys

Yes

Understands "No"

Yes

Method of Correction

If we are not right next to him we will snap or clap to get his attention and then tell him "no," call him over and try to redirect his energy. If we are next to him we tell him "no" and redirect him to something else. If it continues we will form our hand like a beak and tap him like a mother dog would. Once he is redirected we praise him.

Small Dog Safe

Not Sure

Comments (Small Dog)

We have had limited experience with small dogs. He doesn't seem to mind them and no visible signs of him seeing them as "prey."

Cat Safe

No

Comments (Cat Safe)

We haven't had experience with cats. When we go on walks he doesn't seem to care if a cat is out.

Good With Young Children

Not Sure

Comments (Young Children)

Legend has only had experience with children 11+. He has done great in those situations and loves the attention he gets.

Turn Out Routine

He is pretty good about letting us know if he needs to go out by going to the door and sometimes scratching. We typically go out with him and our other dog and enjoy some time outside. If he doesn't let us know we usually try to go out every 4 or so hours unless we are out for the day. The longest he has waited his 8 hours (overnight).

Potty On Lead

Yes

Garbage

He is interested if a bag is left out.

Stairs

Does fine on our cement stairs up to our house and from our basement. He still has reservations with the wood laminate stairs in the house.

Floors

Fine with carpet and wood laminate. No experience with tile or other in home flooring.

Counters

He is a counter surfer if you aren't paying attention. He is tall enough where he doesn't need to jump, he can rest his head on our counters.

When is the hound crated?

- 8 Hour Work Day

How does the hound handle being crated?

He gets crated if we leave home. Currently one of us is almost home so his crating during the day has been minimal. He doesn't mind being crated, occasionally he is stubborn but if he sees our other dog go in his crate he will go in. We also have him eat in his crate if he is getting distracted while eating. If he thinks we are doing something without him when he is eating he stops eating and follows us. If we put the bowl in his crate he will finish it.

What does the hound enjoy?

He LOVES going on walks. We try to do two walks a day (morning and night). He gets very pouty if we don't go on our morning walk. Usually one of the walks is shorter so our other dog can go and then we try to do about a mile on the other. He will chase a ball in the yard but has not mastered bringing it back. He usually just entertains himself and throws it around. Legend loves squishy toys especially if they make some noise (crunching or squeaking). Legend is also a master sunbather and couch potato. He loves watching tv with us. His favorite shows seem to be Buffy the Vampire Slayer and West Wing.

Does the hound have any fears?

Fireworks made him hide in our bathroom. He calmed down when we brought him into the bedroom with his bed and a blanket. The second night we were outside when some went off. He went by our breezeway wanting to go in. When I let him in another one went off and he trotted back to the yard and barked at it tail wagging. One thunderstorm scared him, but he calmed down and sat with us. He DOES NOT like going outside in the rain.

What type of temperament does the hound have? (Shy, outgoing, confident, etc.)

He is extremely outgoing and confident. He can be very bossy and stubborn if he doesn't get his way. He is like a typical teenage boy. Legend is very curious and ready to learn.

How does the hound handle new situations?

We try to introduce him to situations he will encounter in his forever home. At first he will stay near us and observe but then he will relax and assimilate. Our first weekend with him was Memorial Weekend. My husband brought him down to the parade and he met 100 of my band students and marched with them in the parade.

What type of food are you currently using?

Kirkland Adult

Amount of AM feeding

2 cups

Amount of PM feeding

2 cups