

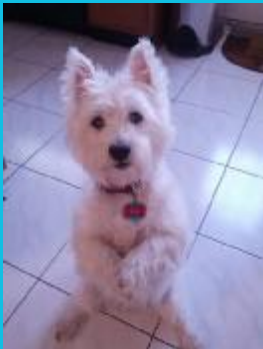
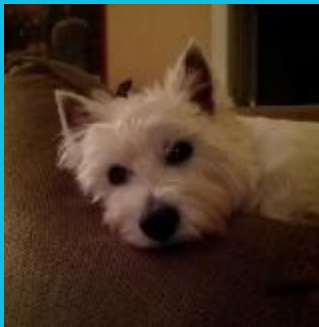
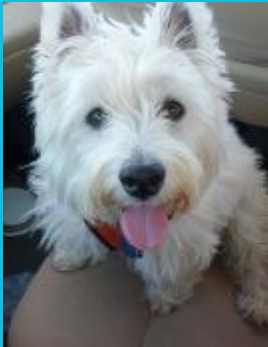


Maryland Westie Watch

The official newsletter of Maryland Westie Rescue, Inc.

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**415 dogs rescued
and counting!**



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The Latest News!

Lily's Adoption Story (pictured to the left)

It's been a little over a year since we adopted Lily (1/1/2014). Having never rescued a dog before, we weren't sure what to expect. Lily was a little nervous at first but from the very first day she greeted us with much affection and excitement whenever we returned home, even if we were only gone ten minutes. She has had some health challenges such as allergies and ear infections, but we seem to have gotten them under control, thanks to a new veterinarian. When Lily first arrived, we were told she didn't play and that was true on the first day. But on the second day, with a little encouragement, she was starting to play a little. Today, she plays all the time and loves to show us how fast she can race around the house (very fast!!). She has also become my "studio dog." I have a fitness training studio in our basement and Lily became the official greeter to all my clients right from the start. She takes the job very seriously by waiting at the door for their arrivals and greeting them with much affection. She received lots of treats and toys as holiday gifts from many of them this season! Many clients have told me that it makes their day to come in and see her sweet little face and get such a nice greeting. While we're still working on her "not-quite-so-fond-of-other-dogs" issue, she has gone from getting upset around children to being happy to see them on our neighborhood walks. It took some special reward training but she quickly turned her behavior around to a positive one. We continue to be impressed with how smart, well-behaved, funny, cute and sweet she is. We are so happy we made the decision to adopt her. She has brought us much joy and laughter and we absolutely adore her! Thank you Maryland Westie Rescue for all the work you do in helping these sweet dogs find their forever homes.

—Debbie and Joe Isaacs, N. Potomac, MD



Wine & Fleas '15 – Save the Date!

Our 2015 Wine & Fleas event at Barrel Oak Winery will be on May 17th! More details coming soon!



"Spotlight" Westie!

Maryland Westie Rescue features Gizmo! Gizmo is a four year old Westie-Jack Russell mix. Gizmo is very sweet and has some trust issues, but is making great strides on overcoming that while in foster care. He needs a calm permanent home where his people are willing to follow our trainer's guidance so he can continue to improve. Can you give Gizmo a go at a loving forever home?



How YOU can help MD Westie Rescue:

1. Provide foster care or transportation for a Westie in transition, or volunteer your time at one of our events.
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