

Hamish and Suzy came into Rescue in June 2014 aged 10 Years old. You will have read their story on this website. Originally we thought it would be difficult to rehome them but that was before we met Angus and Katie, who have adopted and welcomed them into their home with their pack of rehomed dogs. Here is an **update** story of their **big adventure Moving house.** **Frances**

Do you think that if you are about to move house then you can't rescue an older dog?

Think again!

We have seven rescue dogs, four of whom are Cairns. **Hamish and Suzy are both 11 yr old CTRF doggies** and are pictured right. Suzy was extremely nervous when we got her and as you can see, she seemed to be quite relaxed even when the removals lorry was imminent. Hamish is hiding just in the picture and as he is blind was a little more perturbed as his radar was out of sync with the new furniture layout. All our other dogs have moved once before with us so were able to calm these two down in the run up to the big day.



On arrival at their new home, everyone piled in as though they'd been there before. They particularly revelled in their new garden. Nice and Terrier proof with fencing all around. It is terraced with three flights of steps up to the top level. Even Hamish has ventured up there! Here he is with Fudge (5) our youngest and cheekiest cairn and Daisy(6) our Westie.

Also in the garden is an old apple tree that this year seems to have produced an awful lot of fruit. Needless to say, all that can get to the bottom of it, do so and then go daft at the thought of free illicit food. Until they are spotted that is.

Here is Suzy caught in the act! Even Hamish has made it round to that corner.



We think the mild weather and climate and the wonderful variety of walks has helped them all acclimatise. Beach walks at Findhorn and forest walks in Culbin Forest seem to be the favourite.

All have been registered at their new very helpful and professional vets, all their micro chips have been updated and all have shiny new dog discs to tinkle away on their way round the walks.



Fudge didn't take long to cotton on that lurking under his favourite throw was a brand new cream sofa overlooking his new domain. Best vantage point in the house to spot any feline trespassing. However as you can see, he much prefers the colour of the sofa underneath to the throw on top!

Suzy was previously so timid even the sight of a camera or phone in hand sent her scurrying away from any photo opportunity, however this morning she granted us this pose!

Proof that older dogs can embrace big changes and new adventures even with a disability like blindness.

**Angus, Katie & the doggies
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