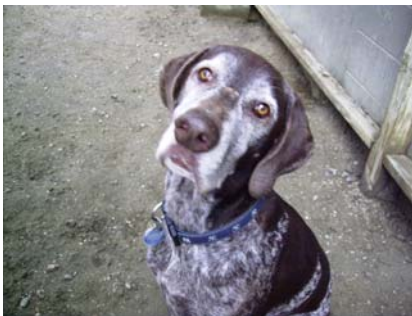




Gulliver's Corner

Okay, I'm a little annoyed that it is getting colder already. I am a sensitive guy. Even though Mom keeps putting my coat on (a Dane has very little insulation) I'm still chilled on my morning potty breaks! Good thing I have a second layer for when the snow flies. I am not the only one sporting extra "fur." Olivia the pit has a bright red fleece, and some of those little dogs come in looking like the kid in the Christmas Story movie. Their parents are making sure they stay toasty when they play outside! Preparations are being made to accommodate all my friends over Thanksgiving break, my most favorite holiday. (Who doesn't like Turkey?) I'm looking forward to meeting new dogs and hanging out with old friends. The staff has plenty to do to keep up with our shenanigans, but they keep things interesting with that certain Gulliver's silliness.



Little Dogs, Big News

Hi Everyone! This is Levi reporting from the little dog group. October flew by so quickly, but we enjoyed spending our days outside watching the leaves turn colors (one tree even turned purple out front!). I'm pleased to report that we have some new additions to our lil dog crew. Tasha Melrose, who I love to wrestle with, Carlos the Daschund puppy, Cleo Bailey the Mini Poodle came back to hang out, Moon brought her new brother Koda the Mini American Eskimo, Lexi Copen brought her new sister Holly the wild Westie, and we have two new Boston Terriers



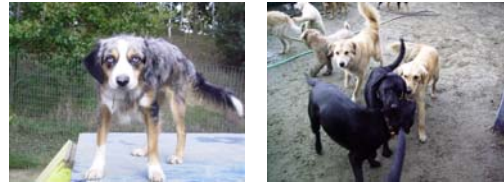
named Lucy! Penny Lane Pollard even made a special appearance while visiting from Chicago where she has been taking care of her sister. She told me that while living in Chicago, all of the local children love to borrow her and take her for walks. We also have quite the Puggle crew going on. Puggles are the new "Designer Dogs" which are Pug and Beagle mixes. We have Zamie, Wilber, and Jake. Wilber brings his little firecracker Peek-a-Pug brother Arther and Jake brings his Mini Poodle brother Louie. The weather is starting to get a little chilly, so we all cuddle up for a nice warm afternoon nap together on the doggie cots inside. It's almost time to start dressing in our finest warm winter attire. Bring on the snow!!

Tails from the Goofy Group

It's me, Schu! For those of you who are new around here, that is short for Schumacher. I've been telling the tales of the goofy group for quite a while now. So I've seen and frolicked with many a goofy dog! Just last week I got a day off from training (I am a sled dog.) I was bouncing around with the likes of Sophie, Jetson, Lily, Kokomo, Pedro, Zoë S., Zoë B., Xena, Alfie, Honey, Kya and Sootie. What a day we had! It was a bright, Sunny afternoon. We chased leaves and Alfie. Alfie is faster and harder to catch than most leaves! Jetson is a pretty new guy in the Group, so I spent some time showing him how to play a game of tag around the big blue play tire. Kya can be a little bossy sometimes (geesh, girls!) but she's very good at tag, so she took over when I went home to rest up for training. Next I want to show Jetson how to leap over labs. My personal record is four labs (one yellow and three black) it gets harder when they start moving, but Jetson seems to have some pretty good springs, he'll be a good student, I'm sure!



Alfie: faster than a speeding leaf!



Reminders

TICKS are very active and desperately hungry this time of year. Please check your dogs daily and make sure their preventatives are current.

Hunters are in the woods; make sure your dogs (and you) stay visible with bright colors!

As Gully mentioned, the air has a chill to it lately. If your dog is low on insulation too, we suggest bringing a coat for him or her. A coat can help them stay comfortable during outside play time. (Please note: playtime can get coats dirty...)

Gulliver's T-shirts are here! They make great gifts for any Gulliver's Doggie parent! Ask at the front desk!

Our newest, much anticipated stickers are also in. Designed by Noah Greer, they are a wonderful addition to our traditional Play Like a Dog sticker!

Classes

With the holidays quickly approaching, all classes have wrapped up. They will resume again at the beginning of the New Year. You may sign up now to reserve your spot, classes fill quickly. If you have problems, Questions or need a little help, feel free to email Amanda@doggiedaycare.com. Private lessons are still available by appointment.