

# Schnauzer Rescue Cincinnati

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## Dogs to the Rescue... Again!

Whether you are pro or con a vaccination, if you are reading this, you are pro dog. So what if we told you that research has shown that canines have a "76 percent to 100 percent accuracy rate at detecting individuals with the coronavirus simply by smelling their sweat samples," according to a published study from Paris and Lebanon.

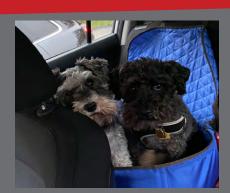
Picture this, you are walking through TSA and you see a pup employed to sniff out infected travelers.

This not a huge surprise since dogs have been known to accurately detect malaria, low blood sugar in diabetics, imminent seizures or cardiac issues, and even very early stage cancers. Is there anything our pooches can't do?

One hero with fur goes back to the 1990s, where a Florida dermatologist Armand Cognetta "enlisted military dog trainer Duane Pickel to see if dogs could be taught to find skin cancer. Pickel trained George, a standard schnauzer who'd previously worked in bomb detection, to sniff out test tubes containing samples of melanoma and rewarded him when he found them. Moving onto real patients, George correctly found a melanoma in four to five out of seven patients. Cognetta and Pickel theorized that the dog might have missed a few diagnoses due to 'olfactory distractions,' such as if a patient smoked or hadn't showered recently. Still, the research showed promise and inspired more scientists to unlock dogs' medical detective powers."



More on George: Source.



Newsletter Editors: Lexus and Moe (joined fur-ever home in 2017)

Lexus and Moe love going for rides in the car, but have been been fine staying at home with mom and dad.

#### Who We Are

We are active in: OH, KY, IN, MO and MI. We are always welcoming volunteers & foster homes.

Schnauzer Rescue Cincinnati is an Ohio based 501c(3) non-profit organization group established in November 2004 by Pat Miller. We are dedicated to saving the lives of Miniature Schnauzers and Schnauzer mixes.

Please consider <u>submitting a</u> <u>request</u> to foster and join us. You can also reach us by at (513) 399-6477 or <u>srcadoption@gmail.com</u>.

Our mission statement is: No Schnauzer Left Behind



#### Featured Rescue

My name is Rook.



I am a male terrier mix, about 18 lbs. I am vetted and looking for a nice home. I like other dogs, walks on a leash, and hanging out in my create.

I was found as a stray but I am very friendly and love all people. I have lots of energy yet still like to cuddle. I have a slight heart murmur, but take my meds and feel fine!

CLICK HERE to learn more.

All dogs are micro-chipped and spayed or neutered.

#### **What Day Is It?**

Keeping track of what day it is during a pandemic can get confusing.

Keeping a calendar has proven to help you:

- be more productive
- keep family informed
- ease anxiety
- see availability quickly
- and discover trends.



It is still early enough in the year that you can buy the 2021 Schnauzer Rescue Calendar.

This is a great calendar highlighting our schnauzers, featuring 28 pages, jam packed with SRC pups – schnauzers and schnauzer mixes. The calendar has pictures of this amazing breed with wonderful backgrounds showing off their true colors! Calendar purchases benefit the SRC Medical fund.

The price for a single calendar is \$20 and \$3 shipping.

They make great gifts; so order several for your schnauzer loving friends and relatives.

### Did you know:

Schnauzer grunt - or snort - can be due to many things like allergies or exacerbation, but it can be as innocent as a hum or sign. It's a way to expend energy.

#### Congrats ~ Adoptions are Happening.

Furever homes have been found. Yeah! May you snuggle in good health.









