

GERMAN SHEPHERD RESCUE

Breed of Dog: German Shepherd Dog

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Information about the breed:

The German Shepherd Dog is a versatile and intelligent animal. Known for herding, guarding, agility, obedience, and protection work, amongst other things, the GSD is lesser known for its bed warming abilities and lap dog status. A constant companion and devoted to the last, the GSD is like no other dog.

Originating from the border country of Germany and France this breed was initially bred as a herd guarding dog and retains the stamina, intelligence, obedience and protectiveness it was originally bred for.

Although they are one of the most popular breeds around, the German Shepherd Dog is not for every person.

Ideal owners for this breed:

GSDs need committed owners who are willing to challenge their intelligence and bring them into their lives as part of the family. Younger GSDs are fantastic for growing families or any active person looking for a constant companion to brave strange new worlds with.



Older GSDs are ideal for people who are looking for a companion but who perhaps don't have the time for extensive training or who are not as active as they used to be (older GSDs aren't as active as they used to be either). That is not to say older GSDs are lazy; many owners have reported that their 10yr + dogs still enjoy long walks and an endless game of fetch.

How German Shepherd Rescue works:

German Shepherd Rescue predominantly lists dogs looking for homes, although we do foster occasionally. We help people find out more about their prospective new dog and help to arrange transport etc through the website.