

PAY IT FUR-WARD

ANIMAL DOSSIER — DAISY

Animal Status: Adoptable

Name: Daisy

Species: Dog

Sex: Female

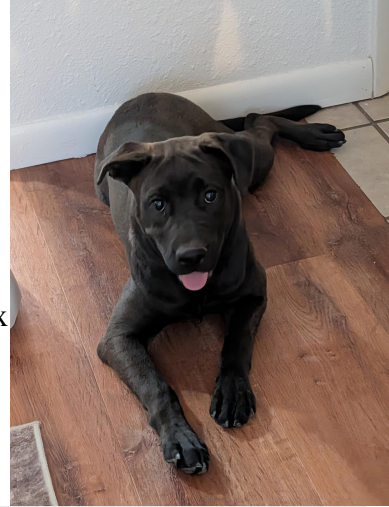
Age: Approximately 6 months

Breed/Mix: Labrador Retriever / Great Dane / Husky Mix

Color: Black

Spay Status: Spay Pending

Bite History: None reported



OVERALL PROFILE

Daisy is a young, sweet, playful puppy with a generally **calm but excitable personality**. She is affectionate and comfortable with people she knows, enjoys interacting with other dogs, and has shown appropriate curiosity around cats.

As a six-month-old puppy, Daisy still has plenty of youthful energy and can become rambunctious or overly excited at times. She will benefit from a home prepared to continue her training, provide appropriate exercise and enrichment, and reinforce the skills she has already begun learning.

TEMPERAMENT & SOCIAL BEHAVIOR

Known Adults

Response: Happy, comfortable, and affectionate.

Daisy is relaxed with familiar adults and enjoys attention and affection from the people she knows.

New People / Strangers

Response: Cautious but interested.

She may initially approach unfamiliar people with some hesitation but remains curious and interested. Allowing her to approach at her own pace is recommended.

Children

Response: Excitable and can become rambunctious.

Daisy enjoys interaction but may become overly enthusiastic during play. Because of her age, energy level, and expected adult size, supervision and continued manners training are recommended around children.

Dogs

Response: Very social, playful, and energetic.

Daisy loves other dogs and enjoys active play. Her play style can be rambunctious, so appropriate introductions and compatible playmates are important.

Cats

Response: Curious but calm.

Daisy has shown interest in cats without displaying excessive or inappropriate behavior.

HOUSEHOLD SKILLS

Potty Training

Status: Potty trained.

Daisy is fully potty trained and does very well with her normal bathroom routine. Because she is still young and can become **very excited**, she will occasionally have a small amount of **excitement urination** during especially stimulating moments, such as an enthusiastic greeting.

This is not considered a house-training problem. It appears to be associated with excitement and may improve as Daisy matures, becomes more confident, and develops better control over her excitement.

Crate Training

Status: Crate trained.

Daisy is familiar with and able to use a crate.

Known Commands

Daisy currently knows:

- Her name
- **Kennel**
- **Down**
- **No Bark**

Continued positive-reinforcement training is strongly recommended as she matures.

FOOD & RESOURCE BEHAVIOR

Food Aggression

Status: None reported.

Resource Guarding

Status: None reported.

No concerning guarding behavior involving food or other resources has been identified.

SEPARATION / ALONE-TIME BEHAVIOR

Separation Anxiety

Status: Present.

Daisy may struggle when left alone for extended periods. She has been known to become destructive, particularly with household plants.

Her future home should be prepared to work gradually on independence and alone-time training rather than leaving her alone for long periods immediately.

LEASH & OUTDOOR BEHAVIOR

Leash Training

Status: Good / progressing well.

Daisy walks well on leash overall.

Passing Vehicles

Daisy can become **skittish when cars pass nearby** while she is walking. Continued calm exposure, distance, reassurance, and positive-reinforcement training should help build her confidence.

Digging / Escape Behavior

Status: Management required.

Daisy enjoys digging and has previously **dug out of a yard**.

Because of this history:

- Outdoor time should be supervised.
- Fencing should be inspected regularly.
- She should not be left unattended in a yard for extended periods.
- Appropriate outlets for digging, exercise, play, and mental enrichment are recommended.

VEHICLE BEHAVIOR

Riding in a Car

Response: Positive.

Although Daisy can be nervous around passing vehicles while walking, she does well **inside a vehicle**.

GROOMING & HANDLING

Bathing

Response: Nervous but manageable.

Daisy is uneasy during baths, but grooming can be successfully completed with patience and gentle handling.

Nail Trims

Status: Not yet evaluated.

Her nails have not yet been trimmed, so her response to nail-care handling is currently unknown.

VETERINARY BEHAVIOR

Veterinary Visits

Response: Nervous.

Daisy is uncomfortable in the veterinary environment. Calm handling, positive reinforcement, treats, and low-stress veterinary techniques are recommended.

BEHAVIORAL CONSIDERATIONS

Strengths

Daisy currently demonstrates many excellent qualities for a young dog:

- Affectionate with familiar people
- Interested in meeting new people
- Social with other dogs
- Calm and curious with cats
- Potty trained
- Crate trained
- No reported food aggression
- No reported resource guarding
- No bite history
- Rides well in a vehicle
- Already understands several basic commands

Areas Requiring Continued Work

Her adopter should be prepared to continue working on:

- Separation anxiety
- Confidence around passing vehicles
- Appropriate excitement around children
- Puppy manners and impulse control
- Occasional excitement urination when highly stimulated
- Digging
- Yard escape prevention

- Grooming confidence
 - Veterinary handling
 - Continued obedience training
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IDEAL HOME PROFILE

Daisy would likely thrive in a home that understands that she is still a **large-breed adolescent puppy in training**.

Her ideal family should be willing to provide:

Structure and consistency — Daisy will benefit from predictable routines and clearly reinforced household expectations.

Exercise and enrichment — Her Lab, Great Dane, and Husky heritage combined with her young age means she needs appropriate opportunities to move, play, explore, train, and think.

Positive-reinforcement training — She is already learning and should continue building confidence and manners through reward-based training.

Calm greetings and excitement management — Because Daisy can become very excited and may occasionally have a small excitement pee, calm greetings and helping her regulate her enthusiasm will be beneficial.

Supervised outdoor access — Her history of digging and having dug out of a yard makes secure containment particularly important.

Patience with separation training — Daisy should gradually learn that being alone is safe rather than being expected to tolerate long absences immediately.

A home with another compatible dog may also provide Daisy with a wonderful playmate, provided introductions and play are appropriately supervised.

MEDICAL / ALTERATION STATUS

Spay: Pending

Daisy's sterilization requirements and veterinary care should be completed in accordance with Pay It Fur-Ward adoption and PACFA requirements prior to or following placement as applicable.

PLACEMENT SUMMARY

Compatibility Snapshot

Adults: GOOD

New People: GOOD — initially cautious

Children: GOOD WITH MANAGEMENT — excitable/rambunctious

Dogs: VERY GOOD — energetic player

Cats: GOOD — curious and calm

Potty Training: TRAINED — occasional excitement urination

Crate Training: TRAINED

Food Aggression: NONE REPORTED

Resource Guarding: NONE REPORTED

Car Rides: GOOD

Leash Walking: GOOD — nervous around passing cars

Grooming: NERVOUS BUT MANAGEABLE

Veterinary Visits: NERVOUS

Separation Anxiety: PRESENT

Escape Risk: PRECAUTIONS REQUIRED

Bite History: NONE REPORTED

PAY IT FUR-WARD ASSESSMENT

Daisy is a **sweet, social, affectionate young dog with a lot going for her**. Most of the behaviors currently requiring management are consistent with her age and can be addressed through structure, training, enrichment, confidence building, and maturity.

Her biggest placement considerations are her separation anxiety, digging/escape history, high-energy play style, occasional excitement urination, and the need to continue building confidence in unfamiliar situations.

With a committed adopter willing to continue her training and give her the security and consistency she needs, Daisy has excellent potential to become a wonderful lifelong companion.

Pay It Fur-Ward

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Internal Classification: Adoptable Dog

Animal: Daisy

Dossier Status: Active