

Newsletter

Autumn 2019



**Eddie and Boris,
two fiv cats who
met in foster care
and watch out for
each other**

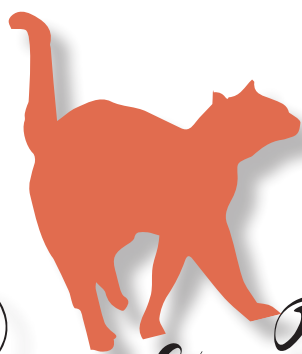


During the summer we again had too many kittens and too few homes, for even the combined resources of all the rescue groups to adequately deal with, If you have friends or neighbours who intend to let their cat have “just one litter” with the promise of good homes from friends and family, remind them that each kitten they produce takes a home away from a needy stray. Needy strays that never have, or should be, if only people just got their cat neutered. If you know anyone who has an un-neutered, stray or feral cat, please remind them of the C4 free neutering scheme which is available for people feeding a stray cat(s) or on a low income.

A BIG THANK YOU!

Linda and her daughter Sam have had a very busy summer with a steady flow of mum cat and kittens. Some kittens have come in on their own as no mums were around so a lot of dedicated hand feeding took place. Some survived but sad to say not all of them but they were in warm and secure environment where tender, caring hands fed them, cuddled them and made them feel loved in their short time with us. Others were sent away happily to new homes carefully checked by Sam and Maria, all whilst doing a full time job! Thank you.

Souls of the cats who would love new homes



IAN

Ian is a very friendly happy boy who is waiting for his new home. He is around 2-3 years of age and is full of fun and enjoys playing with his toys, catnip is his favourite. A big cardboard scratcher is another favourite and he sits on top of it to claim it as his own. A delightful boy with beautiful green eyes.



EGG

Egg is a petite little lad who loves to play and is also very friendly. A dirty, scruffy little urchin when he arrived but is now a sparkling white with a few black patches. He takes great pride in his appearance now he is in foster care but would still like a home of his own.



AMELIA

Amelia (above) is about 2-3. She had a home once, but her

owner moved out and left her behind. Despite being abandoned she is a very happy friendly girl who enjoys going out and investigating what's going on, so a safe garden area is what she would need.

Garden Warriors

These garden warriors have all tested positive for the FIV virus. Here are some of them from this years crop of strays so far, all needing new homes.



Fergal (left) is a beautiful tabby with a very sad face. He hasn't got much to smile about at present as he is still waiting for his new home. Although still shy he is getting better and will sit on your lap for hours on end so if you have lots of time on your hands this is the cat for you.

We estimate his age about 3yrs.



Peter (above) is quite a young lad and very handsome with beautiful green eyes. Mostly white with a bit of tabby on his head and body. He was a filthy dirty street cat when we found him but now is a very smart looking cat indeed. Again tested FIV positive but has a nice nature and would make a good addition to any family. We estimate his age about 2yrs.

Kevin (right) is another poor but gentle soul who has had to fight many battles. He has had to have his right eye removed and many teeth and his jaw is a little droopy on one side due to battle damage. He is a lovely friendly boy who is waiting for someone to take on this little gladiator. We estimate his age about 7yrs



Clive (left) is rather shy, but once he gets to know you just loves attention and cuddles and will be happy to just sit on your lap. His ears are very tatty that shows scars on the outside of the battles he has fought.

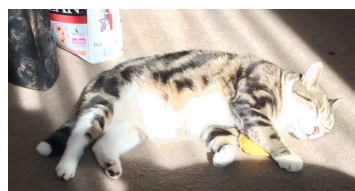
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Shaun (right) came to us as another garden stray who had a bad eye. Unfortunately it showed he was blind in that eye but the vet said it did not need to be removed. After a nervous start he has now turned into a friendly cuddly boy who would enjoy a family of his own again. We estimate his age about 2yrs.



Pie (above) is a very cute cat indeed. He is a funny, playful and like a little dog who follows you around wagging his tail. He was called Pie as he had a fat tummy and at first thought he was a pregnant female until we noticed his rear end. We estimate his age about 2yrs.

Memories of Louis



Remember me

GRANVILLE was a garden stray who was in a terrible state when we were finally asked to help this garden warrior. With too much wrong with him it was time to say goodbye.

MORRIS was about ten when we were asked to help with this stray lad. He had lived outside for most of his life so his health was not the

best as the cold winters, hot summers and damp weather had not been kind to him. He had a good few months with his foster mum who made sure he had good food and a warm comfortable bed before his health failed him.

BOWIE who was another stray with a bit of a character was much

loved by the family who fostered him and he had a happy last few years with them. He fell into his last sleep surrounded by his family and other cat friends. A gentle soul who is still missed.

MALCOM was returned into our care when his owner died. He was lucky to be looked after by Liz who cared for him and made him happy again for his last two years. Failing health meant she had to say goodbye to him a bit too soon