

Name: Roxy Ruthenberg

Nickname: Roxs, Roxs-a-roo, Roxy puppy

Breed: Rhodesian Ridgeback

Age: 2 years      Birthday: April 30, 2022

Favorite thing to do: Getting pets and ripping up toys

Best Friend: Rosie Dicello (Her biological cousin) and Roco

Best at: being the best dog ever

I know that my dog Roxy is the number one dog for many reasons.

First she is so cute and makes people feel better when they are sad. Roxy makes everybody smile because she is very pretty and what she does is super cute. Also she can tell when you are sad because she will come up to you and give you a kiss or lay her head on you. Sometimes she even brings one of her toys over.

Secondly, she helped my family make friends with one of our neighbors. This is the story. One day we were walking Roxy and there was a puppy out and Roxy loved playing with him. His name was Roco. Then they started taking walks and seeing us outside so they started letting Roxy and Roco play. My mom and dad became friends with their owners and I became friends with their kids. Now every time we see them Roxy gets so excited, so do I. The reason I decided to write about it is because without the help of Roxy, we probably would not have been friends with them for a while, maybe even never.

Third, she has many different personalities. For example, one second she could be crazy, then ten seconds later she stops and lays down. The reason I love this about her is because she is not always crazy or annoying or lazy. It's like having more than one dog I love so much. This reason is because my mom doesn't want another dog. So this is one of the best things about her.

Finally she has lived through many medical problems and surgeries. Earlier in her life she had a bunch of UTI (urinary tract infections) and the vet said it was getting worse. It happened twice and she did not like it. They kept changing her food and running blood tests, and it felt like we were there every day. She was doing so good with it even though it hurt her. She was on all these medicines. But then we changed vets and we told them what happened. They said she didn't have much of it left and the other vet shouldn't have changed her food multiple times. Then later that year she ate mushrooms and had to go to a dog emergency room. She was there for 2 days. Then she had to get spayed and have a cone and it was a torture for her. She had to wear it for 2 weeks but my mom found a solution so that she could wear a shirt. But now every time she has to go to the vet, she has to take medicine which is okay because she's used to it.

This is why Roxy is the best dog ever!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

By Avery N. Ruthenberg



Her Ridge