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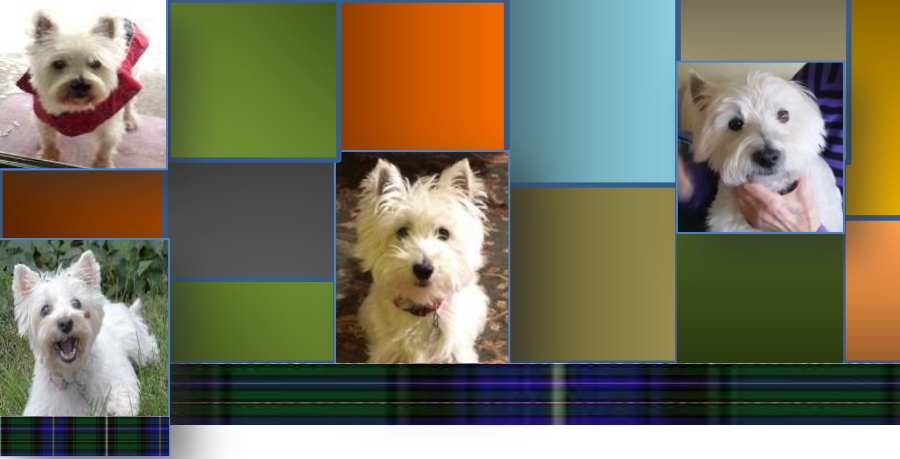
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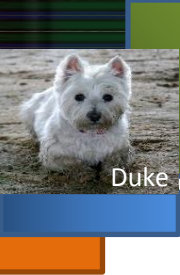
## **Sammie: 2 Great Homes, 2 Great Pet Parents**

Sammie is an incredibly well behaved 10 year old little girl Westie who was first rescued at age 1 ½ and again, just this year. You see Sammie was rescued at an early age by a wonderful women whom she grew to have a very tight bond with. Then as it often happens , her pet parent became ill and found that as the years went by she could no longer care for Sammie. In fact, Sammie had not been to the vet for a check up for years. Her pet parent passed away and Sammie soon found herself being fostered in a new home with her new temporary pet parent; Ann.



Ann immediately took Sammie to the vet and learned that she had several health issues. She was severely underweight, had allergies and was diagnosed with Cushing's disease. Ann was able to get Sammie on the proper medication and put her on a regular feeding schedule with a healthy balanced diet. Within months, Sammie's issues began to improve. Today, she is healthy and as active as a 5 or 7 year old.

Sammie was a little stand offish at first, but it didn't take her long to bond with Ann and Ann with Sammie. Ann chose to adopt Sammie about a month ago. "She is such a little love" says Ann, "Sammie loves to take walks, play endless fetch and is always up for a quick chase with Gracie our cat, and she even watch's TV." Sammy is happy, healthy and has found her forever home.



Duke

## *WRN Welcomes Our Newest Board Member: Sarah Doud*

WRN is so very pleased to announce that Sarah Doud has agreed to join the WRN Network Board of Directors. Sarah Doud is an Air Force Veteran with 6 years of WRN foster experience. She is originally from Rochester, NY, but graduated from Kent State University, OH, with a degree in Criminal Justice and Sociology. She was commissioned in the Air Force where Sarah was stationed in California, Montana and Colorado in the Space and Missile career field. Sarah fell in love with her dog, Duke, and has passed that Westie passion on to her husband Mike, son Mike II and, especially, her daughter Kennedy. Sarah and her family have fostered and placed 10 Westies out of their home. Additionally, Sarah has dedicated countless hours behind the scenes getting the word out as a WRN TV personality, Facebook administrator and amateur Westie photographer. You can see Duke featured on many of WRN's Facebook posts.

Initially, Sarah will be focused on managing intake (dogs surrendered) activities. She is very compassionate and understands how to work with those who for one reason or another want to give



Sarah with Family  
Mike, Mike II and Kennedy  
& Duke

their Westies a better life. So if you know someone who needs to give up a Westie, Sarah can be contacted at [sarahdoud111@hotmail.com](mailto:sarahdoud111@hotmail.com).

Please join me in welcoming Sarah to the Board of Directors of WRN. We could not be happier with her appointment and look forward to her contributions in the years to come.

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## *News From:*

# *West Highland White Terrier Club of Greater Denver*



Westie Rescue Network (WRN) was formed by the West Highland White Terrier Club of Greater Denver (WHWTCGD, aka the CLUB) in 1990 with Martha Smith as the first Rescue Chair. Over the years, and to this day, many CLUB members have donated their time and financial resources to help WRN. Because of our affiliation with the CLUB we are a member of the National Rescue Committee (NRC) of the West Highland White Terrier Club of America. In fact, WRN is the only Westie rescue recognized by the NRC as a full member in the area covered by the states of Montana, Wyoming, North and South Dakota, Colorado, Utah and New Mexico. I am proud of the fact that WRN meets the highest standards for Westie Rescue as defined by the NRC. Going forward we plan to add a column to our newsletter to keep you apprised of CLUB activities. New CLUB President, Elaine Thompson, has made it clear to me, all their events and meetings are open to not just members but to **all Westie lovers!** So, let it be noted that you are invited to any/all of the following upcoming events/meetings.

The CLUB will hold their annual specialty show on Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, in conjunction with the Rocky Mountain All Terrier Club dog show at Island Grove Regional Park, Greeley, CO, time to be determined. Westies come



from the local and surrounding areas to compete in conformation to the breed standard.

It is always fun and interesting to walk around the grooming areas and meet these beautiful Westies. If you can't make the Friday show, most of the Westies will participate in the Evergreen Kennel Club dog show on Saturday and Sunday, at the same location.

**You're invited** to join CLUB members for dinner on Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm, at Kenny's Steak House, 3502 W. 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Greeley, CO. Cost is \$25.00 per person. If interested in attending, please contact John McKnight, [johnamcknight@yahoo.com](mailto:johnamcknight@yahoo.com).

The next CLUB meeting will be held on Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 9:30am-12:00pm, at the Lone Tree Library, 10055 Library Way, Lone Tree, CO. As noted, all lovers of Westies are welcome to attend.

Mark your calendar to attend the CLUB's annual Christmas Party on December 4<sup>th</sup> at White Fence Farms, Lakewood, CO.

If you are interested in learning more about the CLUB, their website is [www.whwtcgd.com](http://www.whwtcgd.com).

Best personal regards,  
Gene Bourque  
*President*  
*Westie Rescue Network, Inc.*





# Homemade: *Fall Peanut Butter Dog Treats*

By [Brittany Mullins](#)

<http://www.eatingbirdfood.com/homemade-peanut-butter-dog-treats-recipe>

*Making homemade snacks for your four-legged friend is a breeze with this simple peanut butter dog treats recipe. Pups will love the peanut butter flavor!*

Author: Brittany Mullins

Serves: 120 mini bones

## Ingredients

- 1 cup whole wheat flour
- ½ cup creamy peanut butter
- ¼ cup unsweetened apple sauce or ¼ cup mashed banana
- ¼ cup vegetable, chicken or beef stock
- bone shaped cookie cutter

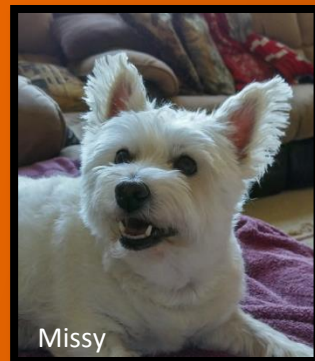


## Instructions

Preheat oven to 350°.

Combine flour, peanut butter and apple sauce (or mashed banana) in a large mixing bowl. Add stock and stir until well-combined. The dough will be thick. Once combined use your hands to press the dough into a ball. Place dough ball on a flat surface (with a sprinkle of flour if needed) and roll out evenly with a rolling pin. Dough should be about ¼ inch thick. Use a cookie cutter to cut the dough into desired shape and place on ungreased baking sheet.

Bake for 18 minutes or until golden brown. Store in an airtight container.



Missy

Missy was a breeder dog that was rescued from a puppy mill last year. She spent most of her time locked in a cage and was used to sleeping sitting up. Never knowing what green grass or snow was, she now delights in running in the back yard and giving herself snow baths in the winter.

Thanks to the Westie Rescue Network, Missy now has a wonderful home, loving pet parents and a zest for life.

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