



# 2025

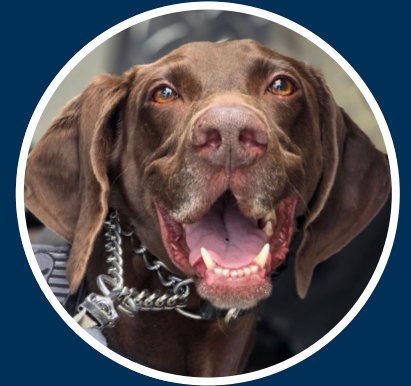
TSA Canine Calendar

2024 TSA Cutest Canine Winner,  
Barni from San Francisco International Airport (SFO)





# Beny



**Male**

**Birthdate:** August 29, 2017

**Breed:** German Shorthaired Pointer

**Handler:** Brandon D.

**Location:** Boston Logan  
International Airport (BOS)

**Favorite spot:** Although Beny loves the airport, his favorite place is following around his handler with unwavering devotion.

**Favorite treat:** Beny would do just about anything for a Greenies™ treat.

**Favorite toy:** His favorite activity is playing tug-of-war so naturally, a tennis ball on a rope is high on his list of treasured toys.

**Don't let that serious face fool you! Peep at his goofy grin after chasing snowflakes. Beny is paws-itively delighted by all things snow.**

# JANUARY 2025

● New Moon    ◐ First Quarter    ○ Full Moon    ◑ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY   | MONDAY   | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY                             | THURSDAY                                       | FRIDAY                     | SATURDAY   |
|--|--|---|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--|
| <b>DID YOU KNOW?</b><br>The National Explosives Detection Canine Team Program trains and deploys both TSA-led and state and local law enforcement-led canine teams supporting day-to-day activities that protect the transportation domain. TSA trains canine teams to operate in the aviation, multimodal, maritime, mass transit and cargo environments. |  | December 2024<br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4 5 6 7<br>8 9 10 11 12 13 14<br>15 16 17 18 19 20 21<br>22 23 24 25 26 27 28<br>29 30 31 | 1                                     | 2  | 3                          | 4  |
|  |  |   | New Year's Day                        | K9 Bruno's Birthday<br>(Featured on last page) |                            |  |
| 5  | ◐ 6  | 7   | 8                                     | 9  | 10                         | 11   |
|  |  |   |                                       | K9 Smokie's Birthday<br>(Featured in May)      |                            |  |
| 12   | ○ 13   | 14  | 15                                    | 16   | 17                         | 18   |
|  | National Sticker Day                           |   |                                       |  |                            | <i>With TSA PreCheck®<br/>you can keep your shoes,<br/>belts, and light jackets<br/>on during screening.</i>             |
| 19   | 20   | ◐ 21  | 22                                    | 23   | 24                         | 25   |
| National Popcorn Day   | Inauguration Day<br>Martin Luther King Jr. Day | Squirrel Appreciation Day   |                                       | National Pie Day                               | National Peanut Butter Day |  |
| 26   | 27   | 28  | ● 29                                  | 30   | 31                         | February 2025<br>S M T W T F S<br>1<br>2 3 4 5 6 7 8<br>9 10 11 12 13 14 15<br>16 17 18 19 20 21 22<br>24 24 25 26 27 28 |
|  |  | K9 Dodo's Birthday<br>(Featured in April)   | Lunar New Year<br>(Year of the Snake) |  |                            |  |



# Birdie



**Female**

**Birthdate:** February 6, 2021

**Breed:** Labrador Retriever/Vizsla

**Handler:** Zack B.

**Location:** Milwaukee Mitchell  
International Airport (MKE)

**Favorite spot:** Birdie's keen nose and  
unstoppable energy makes her a natural  
at screening vehicles and aircraft.

**Favorite treat:** She keeps her teeth shiny  
and bright by chewing on Greenies.™

**Favorite toy:** When the squeaker ball is  
thrown her way, Birdie becomes a furry  
tornado of joy, bouncing around, ready  
for playtime.

**Birdie works hard at the  
airport and is a real paw-er  
napper! Her loud snores are  
proof she's recharging for  
another great work day!**

# FEBRUARY 2025

● New Moon    ◐ First Quarter    ○ Full Moon    ◑ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY   | MONDAY                        | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY          | THURSDAY                                    | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |  |  |
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| <p><b>DID YOU KNOW?</b></p> <p>TSA has trained more than 1,000 canine teams that work at airports and mass-transit facilities across the country. There are two types of explosives detection canines used by TSA—conventional explosives detection canines and passenger screening canines. Conventional explosives detection canines are trained to detect explosives odor in stationary objects such as vehicles and baggage. Passenger screening canines receive extra training to detect explosives odors carried by people. Although TSA's canine partners are sociable, they are working dogs and should only be touched and fed by their handlers.</p> |                               |         |                    |   | <p>January 2025</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>S</td><td>M</td><td>T</td><td>W</td><td>T</td><td>F</td><td>S</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td><td></td><td></td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td><td>11</td> </tr> <tr> <td>12</td><td>13</td><td>14</td><td>15</td><td>16</td><td>17</td><td>18</td> </tr> <tr> <td>19</td><td>20</td><td>21</td><td>22</td><td>23</td><td>24</td><td>25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>26</td><td>27</td><td>28</td><td>29</td><td>30</td><td>31</td><td></td> </tr> </table> |  | S | M | T | W | T | F | S |  |  |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |    |    |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Groundhog Day  | National Golden Retriever Day |         |                    | K9 Birdie's Birthday (Featured in February) |   |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |  |  |
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| National Pizza Day<br>Super Bowl LIX   |                               |         | Lincoln's Birthday |   | Valentine's Day   | <i>Lost ID? TSA has other ways to verify identities at our security checkpoints. Visit <a href="https://www.tsa.gov">tsa.gov</a> for more info.</i>  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Presidents' Day               |         |                    | National Love Your Pet Day                  |   |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |  |  |
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| National Dog Biscuit Day   |                               |         |                    |   | Ramadan Begins  | <p>March 2025</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>S</td><td>M</td><td>T</td><td>W</td><td>T</td><td>F</td><td>S</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td> </tr> <tr> <td>9</td><td>10</td><td>11</td><td>12</td><td>13</td><td>14</td><td>15</td> </tr> <tr> <td>16</td><td>17</td><td>18</td><td>19</td><td>20</td><td>21</td><td>22</td> </tr> <tr> <td>24</td><td>24</td><td>25</td><td>26</td><td>27</td><td>28</td><td>29</td> </tr> <tr> <td>30</td><td>31</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td> </tr> </table> | S | M | T | W | T | F | S |  |  |  |   |   |   | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 24 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 30   | 31                            |         |                    |   |   |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |  |  |



# Carlo



**Male**

**Birthdate:** March 7, 2021

**Breed:** Vizsla

**Handler:** Joel P.

**Location:** Kansas City  
International Airport (MCI)

**Favorite spot:** Carlo spends his free time playing chase with the birds and squirrels. He hopes to one day get close to catching his furry friends!

**Favorite treat:** Carlo's favorite treats are Greenies™ and rawhide chews.

**Favorite toy:** While his beloved red KONG® reigns supreme, Carlo's eyes light up at the sight of any ball. Fetch is his second favorite pastime.

**Carlo is the king of the outdoors, and the backyard is his domain. After a ruff day at work, he winds down by lounging by the pool and birdwatching.**

# MARCH 2025

● New Moon
◐ First Quarter
○ Full Moon
◑ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY            | TUESDAY    | WEDNESDAY     | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY   | SATURDAY  |  |
|---|-------------------|------------|---------------|--|--|---|--|
| <b>DID YOU KNOW?</b><br>The canine program began under the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), because of a result of a bomb threat at John F. Kennedy International Airport (JFK) on March 15, 1972. On that day, moments into a flight, the airline received an anonymous call warning about a bomb onboard. The aircraft returned to JFK where passengers were evacuated and a bomb-sniffing dog named Brandy was brought on board to search. Brandy found the explosive device 12 minutes before it was set to detonate. |                   |            |               | February 2025<br>S M T W T F S<br>1<br>2 3 4 5 6 7 8<br>9 10 11 12 13 14 15<br>16 17 18 19 20 21 22<br>24 24 25 26 27 28 |  | April 2025<br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4 5<br>6 7 8 9 10 11 12<br>13 14 15 16 17 18 19<br>20 21 22 23 24 25 26<br>27 28 29 30 |  |
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| 2   | 3                 | 4          | 5             |  6                                    | 7  | 8   |  |
|   |                   | Mardi Gras | Ash Wednesday |  | K9 Carlo's Birthday<br>(Featured in March)   | International Women's Day   |  |
| 9   | 10                | 11         | 12            | 13   |  14 | 15  |  |
| Daylight Saving<br>Time Begins  |                   |            |               |  | Pi Day   | <i>Traveling for spring break?<br/>Pack any sunscreen<br/>over 3.4 ounces in your<br/>checked baggage.</i>                  |  |
| 16  | 17                | 18         | 19            | 20   | 21   |  22                                      |  |
|   | St. Patrick's Day |            |               | First Day of Spring  |  |   |  |
| 23  | 24                | 25         | 26            | 27   | 28   |  29                                    |  |
| National Puppy Day  |                   |            |               |  |  | Eid al-Fitr Begins  |  |
| 30  | 31                |            |               |  |  |   |  |
| Eid al-Fitr Ends<br>Ramadan Ends  |                   |            |               |  |  |   |  |



# Dodo



**Male**

**Birthdate:** January 28, 2020

**Breed:** German Wirehaired Pointer

**Handler:** Jason D.

**Location:** Portland International Airport (PDX)

**Favorite spot:** Dodo is a hard worker and has been working at PDX for three years. When he's not working, Dodo loves lounging in sun-soaked patches, perfecting the art of professional power napping.

**Favorite treat:** Dodo loves all kinds of food, but he needs to stay in top-notch shape, so only healthy treats are allowed!

**Favorite toy:** His beloved stuffed companion is a brown squeaky squirrel. Dodo turns into a bouncing bundle of joy when he plays with the treasured toy.

**Dodo is a pup-fessional at work and is always ready to sniff out suspicious items.**



# APRIL 2025

● New Moon    ◐ First Quarter    ○ Full Moon    ◑ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY   | MONDAY  | TUESDAY                          | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY                            | SATURDAY  |
|--|---|----------------------------------|-----------|---|-----------------------------------|---|
| <p>March 2025</p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1</p> <p>2 3 4 5 6 7 8</p> <p>9 10 11 12 13 14 15</p> <p>16 17 18 19 20 21 22</p> <p>24 24 25 26 27 28 29</p> <p>30 31</p> | <p>May 2025</p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1 2 3</p> <p>4 5 6 7 8 9 10</p> <p>11 12 13 14 15 16 17</p> <p>18 19 20 21 22 23 24</p> <p>25 26 27 28 29 30 31</p> | <p>1</p> <p>April Fool's Day</p> | <p>2</p>  | <p>3</p>  | <p>4</p> <p>◐</p>                 | <p>5</p>  |
| <p>6</p>   | <p>7</p>  | <p>8</p>                         | <p>9</p>  | <p>10</p> <p>National Siblings Day</p>  | <p>11</p> <p>National Pet Day</p> | <p>12</p> <p>○</p> <p>Passover Begins</p>   |
| <p>13</p> <p>Palm Sunday</p>   | <p>14</p>   | <p>15</p> <p>Tax Day</p>         | <p>16</p> | <p>17</p>   | <p>18</p> <p>Good Friday</p>      | <p>19</p> <p><i>External battery chargers, power banks, uninstalled or spare lithium-ion batteries must be packed in carry-on bags.</i></p> |
| <p>◐</p> <p>20</p> <p>Easter Sunday<br/>Passover Ends</p>  | <p>21</p>   | <p>22</p> <p>Earth Day</p>       | <p>23</p> | <p>24</p>   | <p>25</p>                         | <p>26</p> <p>National Pretzel Day</p>   |
| <p>●</p> <p>27</p>   | <p>28</p>   | <p>29</p>                        | <p>30</p> | <p><b>DID YOU KNOW?</b></p> <p>Dogs possess up to 300 million olfactory receptors in their noses, compared to about six million in humans. Their noses also function quite differently than humans. When humans inhale, they smell and breathe through the same airways within the nose. When dogs inhale, a fold of tissue just inside their nostrils helps to separate these two functions.</p> |                                   |   |



# Smokie



**Male**

**Birthdate:** January 9, 2021

**Breed:** Sable German Shepherd

**Handler:** Kirk B.

**Location:** Dallas Love Field Airport (DAL)

**Favorite spot:** This canine aviation enthusiast finds pure joy in working. He loves watching the planes take off when he's on his break.

**Favorite treat:** Smokie is a passionate chewer and savors every moment of his well-earned rawhide treat.

**Favorite toy:** Smokie's prized possession is a ball on a string. He can't get enough of tug-of-war with his handler.

**Smokie is proud to have been honored in this year's calendar. He is an impressive security expert who is serious about his paw-trolling duties.**

# MAY 2025

● New Moon ○ First Quarter ○ Full Moon ○ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY                   | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY | SATURDAY   |
|---|--------------------------|---|--|---|--------|--|
| <b>DID YOU KNOW?</b><br>Kirk and Smokie are a canine law enforcement team who work together at Dallas Love Field Airport. TSA partners with various law enforcement teams and maintains relationships with close to 100 law enforcement agencies nationwide who provide canine support for more than 650 fielded teams. |                          | April 2025<br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4 5<br>6 7 8 9 10 11 12<br>13 14 15 16 17 18 19<br>20 21 22 23 24 25 26<br>27 28 29 30 | June 2025<br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4 5 6 7<br>8 9 10 11 12 13 14<br>15 16 17 18 19 20 21<br>22 23 24 25 26 27 28<br>29 30 | 1   | 2      | 3  |
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| ☾ 4<br><br>Star Wars Day<br>World Laughter Day  | 5<br><br>Cinco de Mayo   | 6   | 7  | 8   | 9      | 10<br><br><i>Starting May 7, 2025, all travelers 18 years or older will need a REAL ID-compliant driver's license enhanced license or another acceptable form of ID.</i> |
| 11<br><br>Mother's Day  | ○ 12                     | 13  | 14   | 15<br><br>K9 Bely's Birthday (Featured in June) | 16     | 17<br><br>National Armed Forces Day<br>Preakness Stakes<br>K9 Hary's Birthday (Featured in September)  |
| 18  | 19                       | ☾ 20  | 21   | 22  | 23     | 24   |
| 25  | ● 26<br><br>Memorial Day | 27  | 28<br><br>National Burger Day  | 29  | 30     | 31   |



# Bely



**Male**

**Birthdate:** May 15, 2021

**Breed:** German Shorthaired Pointer

**Handler:** William S.

**Location:** Charleston International Airport (CHS)

**Favorite spot:** Bely has two years of securing airports safely under his collar. It's a ruff job, but he loves it!

**Favorite toy:** Bely would move mountains for his favorite footed squeaky ball.

**Bely's friendly demeanor makes him a favorite at the airport but no pupper-azzi, please! When it comes to security, he is strictly business sniffing out odors with precision.**

# June 2025

● New Moon ○ First Quarter ○ Full Moon ○ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY  |
|---|--------|---|--|---|---|---|
| 1   | 2      | 3   | 4  | 5   | 6<br>D-Day<br>Eid al-Adha Begins<br>National Donut Day          | 7<br>Belmont Stakes<br>Eid al-Adha Ends<br>National Trails Day® |
| 8<br>National Best Friends Day  | 9      | 10  | 11   | 12  | 13  | 14<br>Flag Day<br>Army Birthday                                 |
| 15<br>Father's Day  | 16     | 17  | 18   | 19<br>Juneteenth  | 20<br>First Day of Summer<br>National Take Your Dog to Work Day | 21<br>National Selfie Day                                       |
| 22<br><i>Need to speak with us?<br/>Please call the TSA Contact Center at 866-289-9673.<br/>8 a.m. to 11 p.m. ET weekdays or<br/>9 a.m. to 8 p.m. ET weekends/holidays.</i> | 23     | 24  | 25   | 26  | 27<br>National Sunglasses Day                                   | 28  |
| 29  | 30     | <b>May 2025</b><br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3<br>4 5 6 7 8 9 10<br>11 12 13 14 15 16 17<br>18 19 20 21 22 23 24<br>25 26 27 28 29 30 31 | <b>July 2025</b><br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4 5<br>6 7 8 9 10 11 12<br>13 14 15 16 17 18 19<br>20 21 22 23 24 25 26<br>27 28 29 30 31 | <b>DID YOU KNOW?</b><br>When TSA was established in 2001, the agency assumed the FAA's responsibility for civil aviation security. In March 2003, the FAA's canine program was transferred to TSA. TSA also expanded the program to include civilian Transportation Security Inspector (TSI) canine teams for screening air cargo in 2008 and expanded again by deploying TSI handlers to airports with passenger screening canines in 2011. The first passenger screening canine pilot was tested out at the 2012 Super Bowl in New Orleans. |   |   |



# Argo



**Male**

**Birthdate:** September 23, 2015

**Breed:** Labrador Retriever

**Handler:** Jonathan L.

**Location:** Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport (BWI)

**Favorite spot:** Argo enjoys taking long naps in his bed after work.

**Favorite treat:** Argo is one classy canine. He prefers a Milk-Bone® and Dentastix™.

**Favorite toy:** He loves a tennis ball on a rope—the perfect mix of play and tug-of-war fun!

**Argo is the happiest and hardest working canine at TSA! He was hired to paw-trol various events including the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary 9/11 Ceremony, Super Bowl LVI and Super Bowl LVIII. Catch him giving paw-tographs at BWI!**

# JULY 2025

● New Moon   ○ First Quarter   ○ Full Moon   ○ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY  | TUESDAY              | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY             | FRIDAY   | SATURDAY   |
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| <p>June 2025</p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1 2 3 4 5 6 7</p> <p>8 9 10 11 12 13 14</p> <p>15 16 17 18 19 20 21</p> <p>22 23 24 25 26 27 28</p> <p>29 30</p> | <p>August 2025</p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1 2</p> <p>3 4 5 6 7 8 9</p> <p>10 11 12 13 14 15 16</p> <p>17 18 19 20 21 22 23</p> <p>24 25 26 27 28 29 30</p> <p>31</p> | 1                    | 2         | 3                    | 4  | 5  |
| 6   | 7   | 8                    | 9         | 10                   | 11   | 12   |
|   | World Chocolate Day   |                      |           |                      | Independence Day   | <p><i>TSA makes every effort to reunite passengers with items accidentally left behind at the checkpoint. For more info visit <a href="https://www.tsa.gov">tsa.gov</a>.</i></p> |
| 13  | 14  | 15                   | 16        | 17                   | 18   | 19   |
|   |   |                      |           | World Emoji Day      |  |  |
| 20  | 21  | 22                   | 23        | 24                   | 25   | 26   |
| National Ice Cream Day<br>(Don't Forget Your Pup Cups!)   |   | National Hammock Day |           |                      |  |  |
| 27  | 28  | 29                   | 30        | 31                   | <p><b>DID YOU KNOW?</b></p> <p>Canines possess a sense of smell more sensitive than the most advanced man-made instrument. Their sniffers are powerful enough to detect substances at concentrations of one part per trillion—about the same as a single drop of liquid in 20 Olympic-size swimming pools.</p> |  |
| Parents' Day  |   |                      |           | National Avocado Day |  |  |



# Barni



**Male**

**Birthdate:** August 10, 2019

**Breed:** German Shorthaired Pointer

**Handler:** Michelle C.

**Location:** San Francisco  
International Airport (SFO)

**Favorite spot:** He excels at his security duties screening passengers and loves to be at work with this canine colleagues.

**Favorite treat:** Barni has a strict training diet but will have an occasional biscuit as a reward.

**Favorite toy:** When a squeaky ball comes out, this top dog transforms into a real ball of fur, unleashing his silly, playful side!

**This TSA superstar isn't just on paw-trol—he's the talented security expert who's made a name for himself as TSA's 2024 Cutest Canine Contest winner!**



# AUGUST 2025

● New Moon ○ First Quarter ○ Full Moon ○ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY               | TUESDAY                                  | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY |
|---|----------------------|--|---|---|---|----------|
| <b>DID YOU KNOW?</b><br>TSA has a Canine Training Center adoption program. Canines available for adoption are pups that didn't meet the TSA Canine Training Center criteria for government work. They are highly active and untrained, but with the righthouse training and care, they are great additions to families. Visit <a href="https://tsa.gov/canine-adoption-program">tsa.gov/canine-adoption-program</a> for more information. |                      |  | July 2025<br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4 5<br>6 7 8 9 10 11 12<br>13 14 15 16 17 18 19<br>20 21 22 23 24 25 26<br>27 28 29 30 31 | September 2025<br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4 5 6<br>7 8 9 10 11 12 13<br>14 15 16 17 18 19 20<br>21 22 23 24 25 26 27<br>28 29 30 |  1 | 2        |
|   |                      |  | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6        |
| National Friendship Day   | Coast Guard Birthday |  |   |   | International Cat Day<br>K9 Kipper's Birthday<br>(Featured in November)               |          |
| 10  | 11                   | 12                                       | 13  | 14  | 15  | 16       |
| K9 Barni's Birthday<br>(Featured in August)   |                      |  |   |   |   |          |
| 17  | 18                   | 19                                       | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23       |
| <i>Did you know that your TSA PreCheck® membership lasts for five years? Don't wait to enroll!</i>  |                      | National Aviation Day                    |   |   |   |          |
| 24  | 25                   | 26                                       | 27  | 28  | 29  | 30       |
|   |                      | National Dog Day<br>Women's Equality Day |   |   | K9 Beny's Birthday<br>(Featured in January)   |          |
| 31  |                      |  |   |   |   |          |
|    |                      |  |   |   |   |          |



# Hary



**Male**

**Birthdate:** May 17, 2018

**Breed:** German Shepherd

**Handler:** Kyle S.

**Location:** Richmond International Airport (RIC)

**Favorite spot:** This hard-working canine is dedicated to his mission and eagerly bounds into the airport for work each day.

**Favorite treat:** He keeps minty-fresh breath with dental chews and loves anything covered in peanut butter.

**Favorite toy:** Hary loves the KONG® toy, which is great for fetch and tug-of-war!

**Hary is always on alert and ready to find any potential threats. You could say he is raising the woof when it comes to keeping people safe!**

# SEPTEMBER 2025

● New Moon    ◐ First Quarter    ○ Full Moon    ◑ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY  | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY | SATURDAY  |
|---|---|--|---|---|--------|---|
| <p>August 2025</p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1 2</p> <p>3 4 5 6 7 8 9</p> <p>10 11 12 13 14 15 16</p> <p>17 18 19 20 21 22 23</p> <p>24 25 26 27 28 29 30</p> <p>31</p> | 1<br><br><br><br><br><br><br>Labor Day                    | 2  | 3   | 4   | 5      | 6   |
| ○ 7<br><br><br>Grandparents' Day  | 8   | 9  | 10  | 11<br><br><br>Patriot Day   | 12     | 13<br><br><br><i>Active military members are eligible for TSA PreCheck.® Simply use your DOD ID in the Known Traveler Number field.</i> |
| ◐ 14  | 15  | 16<br><br><br>National Guacamole Day                   | 17<br><br><br>Constitution Day  | 18<br><br><br>Air Force Birthday  | 19     | 20  |
| ● 21  | 22<br><br><br>First Day of Autumn<br>Rosh Hashanah Begins | 23<br><br><br>K9 Argo's Birthday<br>(Featured in July) | 24<br><br><br>Rosh Hashanah Ends  | 25  | 26     | 27  |
| 28  | ◐ 29<br><br><br>National Coffee Day                       | 30   | <p>October 2025</p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1 2 3 4</p> <p>5 6 7 8 9 10 11</p> <p>12 13 14 15 16 17 18</p> <p>19 20 21 22 23 24 25</p> <p>26 27 28 29 30 31</p> | <p><b>DID YOU KNOW?</b></p> <p>TSA acquires canines primarily through an Interagency Service Agreement with the Department of Defense, which supplies TSA with about 230 canines each year. TSA partners with the Department of Defense during the canine selection and evaluation process on both state-side vendors and overseas buying trips to ensure that the TSA's needs are met.</p> |        |   |



# Arina



**Female**

**Birthdate:** October 20, 2018

**Breed:** German Shepherd

**Handler:** Robert B.

**Location:** Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport (PHX)

**Favorite spot:** Arina's favorite spot is working alongside her handler. She also finds joy in sunbathing any chance she gets!

**Favorite treat:** While Milk-Bone® treats earn tail wags, a yummy bone marrow gives Arina pure joy.

**Favorite toy:** This ball-obsessed canine sees every round object as her next greatest adventure.

**Arina's dogged dedication to work is unmatched! Off-duty, her focus shifts from work to play, allowing her bubbly personality to shine.**

# OCTOBER 2025

● New Moon ○ First Quarter ○ Full Moon ○ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY   | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY        | FRIDAY            | SATURDAY  |
|---|--|---|---|-----------------|-------------------|---|
| <b>DID YOU KNOW?</b><br>Some of the selected canines for the TSA-led program may come from local shelters. The canines generally start their formal training when they are about 1 to 2 years old, but some can start earlier if they demonstrate aptitude. |  | September 2025<br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4 5 6<br>7 8 9 10 11 12 13<br>14 15 16 17 18 19 20<br>21 22 23 24 25 26 27<br>28 29 30 | 1   | 2               | 3                 | 4   |
|   |  |   | Yom Kippur Begins<br>International Coffee Day<br>(Grab a Puppuccino!) | Yom Kippur Ends | World Smile Day   | National Taco Day   |
| 5   | ○ 6  | 7   | 8   | 9               | 10                | 11  |
|   |  |   |   |                 | Yom Kippur Begins | Yom Kippur Ends   |
| 12  | ○ 13   | 14  | 15  | 16              | 17                | 18  |
|   | Indigenous Peoples' Day<br>Navy Birthday               | National Dessert Day  |   |                 |                   | Sweetest Day<br>National Fetch Day  |
| 19  | 20   | ● 21  | 22  | 23              | 24                | 25  |
| <i>Travel to your spooky destination faster!</i><br><i>All liquids, gels or aerosols must be 3.4 ounces or less and fit in a single quart-sized bag in your carry-on.</i>   | Diwali<br>K9 Arina's Birthday<br>(Featured in October) |   |   |                 |                   |   |
| 26  | 27   | 28  | ○ 29  | 30              | 31                | November 2025<br>S M T W T F S<br>1<br>2 3 4 5 6 7 8<br>9 10 11 12 13 14 15<br>16 17 18 19 20 21 22<br>24 24 25 26 27 28 29<br>30 |
| National Pumpkin Day  |  | National Chocolate Day  | National Cat Day  |                 | Halloween         |   |



# Kipper



**Female**

**Birthdate:** August 8, 2019

**Breed:** Springer Spaniel

**Handler:** Ryan D.

**Location:** San Diego International Airport (SAN)

**Favorite spot:** Kipper and Ryan enjoy long walks to the stadium and paw-er through all that extra energy.

**Favorite treat:** Chewing Greenies™ keeps her pearly whites shiny for all potential photo opportunities.

**Favorite toy:** In her spare time, she loves chasing her beloved rubber squeaky ball.

**When Kipper retires, she plans to launch a pawsome haircare line titled “Kip’s Shampoochi.” Her luscious locks are unrivaled earning a name for her signature style “The Kipper.”**

# NOVEMBER 2025

● New Moon ○ First Quarter ○ Full Moon ○ Third Quarter

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY                          | TUESDAY                | WEDNESDAY              | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY   | SATURDAY   |  |   |
|---|---------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---|--|--|--|---|
| <b>DID YOU KNOW?</b><br>The canine and handler teams complete a 16-week training course at TSA's Canine Training Center, located at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas. They learn to detect a variety of odors based on intelligence data and potential threats. By the end of the course, the canine teams must demonstrate proficiency in various venues inclusive of all transportation environments including airport, terminal, freight, cargo, baggage, vehicle, bus, ferry and rail. |                                 |                        |                        | <b>October 2025</b><br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4<br>5 6 7 8 9 10 11<br>12 13 14 15 16 17 18<br>19 20 21 22 23 24 25<br>26 27 28 29 30 31 |  | <b>December 2025</b><br>S M T W T F S<br>1 2 3 4 5 6<br>7 8 9 10 11 12 13<br>14 15 16 17 18 19 20<br>21 22 23 24 25 26 27<br>28 29 30 31 |  | 1 |
|   |                                 |                        |                        |   |  |  |  |   |
| 2<br><br>All Souls' Day<br>Daylight Savings<br>Time Ends  | 3                               | 4<br><br>Election Day  | ○<br>5                 | 6   | 7  | 8  |  |   |
| 9   | 10<br><br>Marine Corps Birthday | 11<br><br>Veterans Day | ●<br>12                | 13  | 14   | 15<br><br>America Recycles Day   |  |   |
| 16  | 17<br><br>National Hiking Day   | 18                     | 19<br><br>TSA Birthday | ●<br>20   | 21   | 22<br><br><i>Get ready for the holiday season and travel with ease by enrolling in TSA PreCheck.®</i>                                    |  |   |
| 23  | 24                              | 25                     | 26                     | 27<br><br>Thanksgiving Day  | ●<br>28<br><br>Black Friday<br>Native American<br>Heritage Day | 29   |  |   |
| 30  |                                 |                        |                        |   |  |  |  |   |



# Badger



**Male**

**Birthdate:** December 24, 2017

**Breed:** Belgian Malinois

**Handler:** Herb M.

**Location:** Chicago O'Hare  
International Airport (ORD)

**Favorite spot:** With childlike wonder and steely determination, Badger approaches each workday with pure joy and a deep pride in working at the airport.

**Favorite treat:** Badger's reward is salmon bites. He gobbles them up fast and always looks for more!

**Favorite toy:** He is obsessed with a foam ball. Badger lives by a simple philosophy: if it bounces, rolls or flies through the air, it's worthy of an enthusiastic chase.

**Badger's love and dedication for work is sincere. His calm and friendly demeanor adds to his im-paws-ible charm.**



# DECEMBER 2025

● New Moon   ● First Quarter   ○ Full Moon   ● Third Quarter

| SUNDAY   | MONDAY                     | TUESDAY                  | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY  |
|--|----------------------------|--------------------------|--|---|---|---|
| <p>November 2025</p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1</p> <p>2 3 4 5 6 7 8</p> <p>9 10 11 12 13 14 15</p> <p>16 17 18 19 20 21 22</p> <p>24 24 25 26 27 28 29</p> <p>30</p> | 1<br>Cyber Monday          | 2<br>Giving Tuesday      | 3  | 4<br>National Cookie Day  | 5   | 6<br><i>If you're traveling with gifts for your two- and four-legged family and friends this holiday season, keep them unwrapped in your carry-on and checked bags.</i> |
| 7<br>Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day  | 8                          | 9                        | 10   | 11  | 12  | 13<br>National Cocoa Day  |
| 14<br>Hanukkah Begins  | 15<br>National Cupcake Day | 16                       | 17   | 18  | 19  | 20<br>Space Force Birthday  |
| 21<br>First Day of Winter  | 22<br>Hanukkah Ends        | 23                       | 24<br>Christmas Eve<br>K9 Badger's Birthday (Featured in December) | 25<br>Christmas Day   | 26<br>Kwanzaa Begins  | 27  |
| 28   | 29                         | 30<br>National Bacon Day | 31<br>New Year's Eve   | <p>January 2026</p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1 2 3</p> <p>4 5 6 7 8 9 10</p> <p>11 12 13 14 15 16 17</p> <p>18 19 20 21 22 23 24</p> <p>25 26 27 28 29 30 31</p> | <p><b>DID YOU KNOW?</b></p> <p>In 2012, the TSA began producing collectible canine cards, allowing visitors to know more about the four-legged officers. More than 107 dogs were initially chosen to be a part of these collectibles. Ask for one next time you see a canine team working at a participating airport.</p> |   |



# Bruno



**Male**

**Birthdate:** January 2, 2015

**Breed:** Labrador Retriever

**Handler:** LaShundre R.

**Location:** Jackson-Medgar Wiley Evers International Airport (JAN)

**Favorite spot:** Bruno enjoys snuggling up on his favorite rug under the dining room table.

**Favorite treat:** He can't resist Whimzees® for bright white teeth.

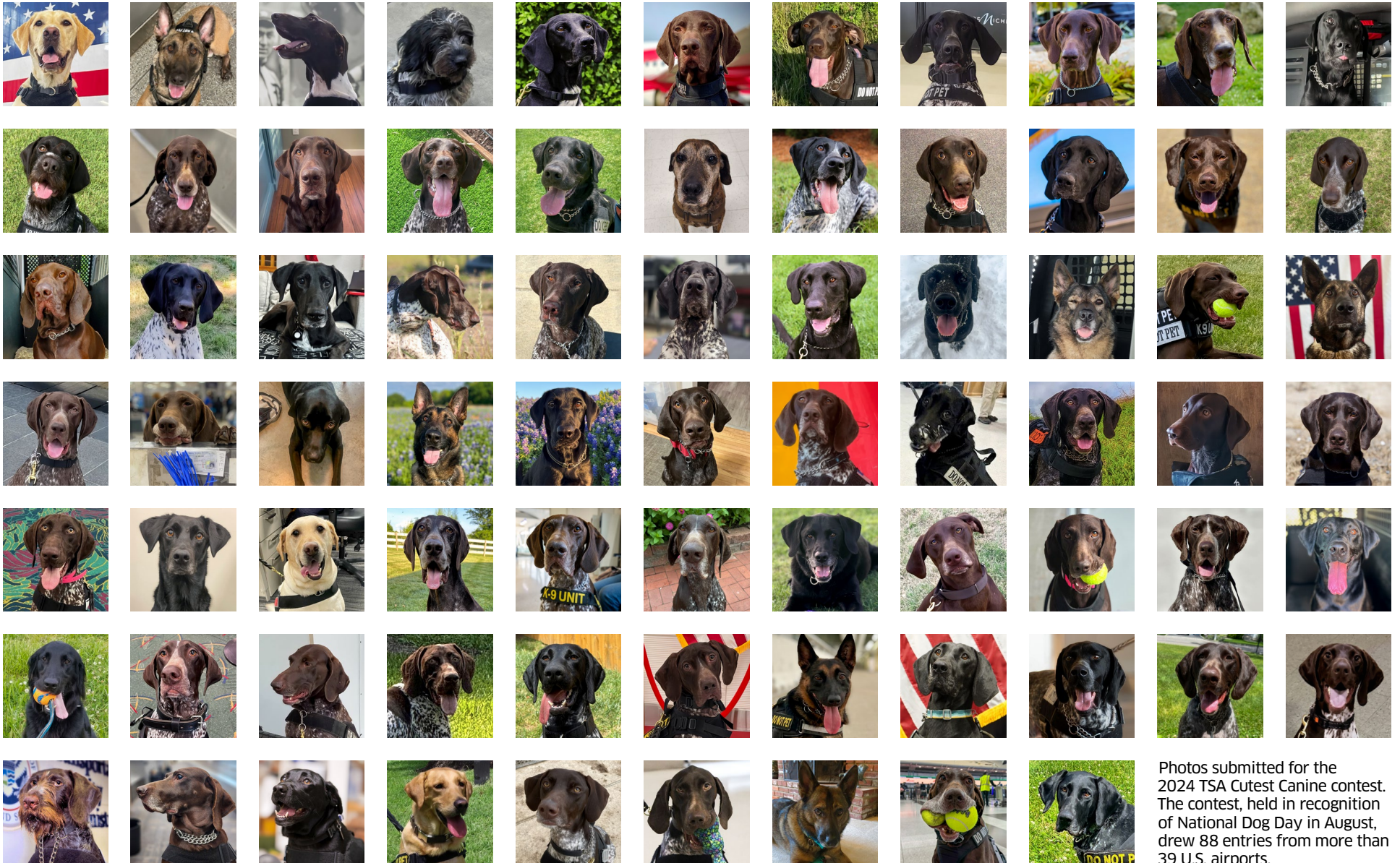
**Favorite toy:** Bruno's ultimate playtime companion is the KONG® Wubba.

**Yes—let's talk about Bruno! He is a seasoned paw-fessional who has supported many events such as Formula 1, Indianapolis 500, MLB All-Star Games, numerous NCAA basketball games and Super Bowls. His resume is long, making him a true pup-star!**

## DID YOU KNOW?

Today, there are over 1,000 canine teams deployed at more than 100 of the nation's airports, mass transit and maritime systems. Teams are continually assessed to ensure the canines maintain their high-level of skills needed for the job.

**Take a look and meet this year's most fetching fur-force from across the country. These dogged defenders work bark-to-bark shifts, sniffing out trouble and keeping our trans-paw-tation safe.**



Photos submitted for the 2024 TSA Cutest Canine contest. The contest, held in recognition of National Dog Day in August, drew 88 entries from more than 39 U.S. airports.



**January 2026**

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| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

**February 2026**

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| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |

**March 2026**

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| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
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**April 2026**

| S  | M  | T  | W  | T  | F  | S  |
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