The Tuxedo Twins' Kittenball Run

(and other cat stuff)





(left) Nebulon, Astrid, Raja

(above) Raja

First post by midnghtdolphin, looking for (a) home(s) for them: Hey everyone, So, If you haven't been following the Sideyard Kittens! thread, I found kittens in August. Mom had a litter under my house and I caught 3 of the 4 of them. Well, I caught the 4th one last night. I'm definitely going to keep 2 of them (the gray tuxedo and the tabby) and if no one wants the black and white tuxedo (Nebulon) that I've had in the house since late September then I'll keep him too.

But I caught the last of the kittens yesterday and (s)he got spayed (neutered?) today... I'll find out for sure in about an hour when I pick her (him) up. [this was a female, Astrid]

So, Nebulon loves attention, but mainly when he's on the bed. It's his safe spot. He still gets spooked if I try to touch him other places, but he's nowhere near as scaredy cat as he used to be. For a while I rarely saw him, now he's downstairs and all over all the time, but the bed is still where he wants attention (nay, demands attention).

I'm not sure about Astrid's (staying with the space theme here) personality, but if someone is interested, I'm happy to work with her. The other cats got close to her when she was in the crate and she seemed to recognize at least Nebulon. She didn't try to smack me at all when I reached in the crate to get her this morning and didn't really hiss either.

If no one's interested, I'll let her back outside because I am at maximum catpacity with 5 right now and really can't add another one, as much as I don't want to have to put her outside. So, if anyone is interested in either 1 or 2 cute as could be tuxedo kittenses who are in VA, I'm sure we can get a kittenball going. (more)

arayti's first response: Watching this thread. I have a 16 yr old tuxedo kitty and have been contemplating adding another kitty ...but I'm a bit scared of stressing out the 16 year old (he's super chill with people, but has only ever lived with one other cat who did not get along with him so I'm not sure he knows how to act with a kitten). Also I am in NYC and have no idea how a kittenball from VA would work. But I keep looking at this thread. Because. kitty.

You all are a persuasive bunch of hoars. I went from "Maybe kitten" to "Imma talk hubby into kittens" in the space of 3 hours. ETA: ok, to be fair, I have been low-key kitten-searching for a couple of years.

Immediately followed by this: midnghtdolphin: Lol. I think it was in the space of me posting and you responding! arayti: I have been corrected. 1 fucking hour! that's all it took. rolling_on_the_floor_laughing (edited)

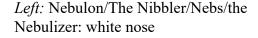
[arayti] And then a few posts later KITTENBALL IS A GO!!! Yes, both Nebulon and Astrid! Ok, so what happens now? I am perfectly willing to reimburse any kittenball runners for any expenses incurred. I can't take them before the 18th and I think midnghtdolphin would like them picked up before April (any specific date?). Can we do it? ETA earburn! midnghtdolphin!

[pickyknitter75] said in response to arayti's "I have been corrected" post: I think that's a new record!

And I'm pretty sure the "Kittenball is a go" post was only a few minutes after the "it only took an hour" post.









Above: Astrid: black on nose, tipped ear (feral neuter)





















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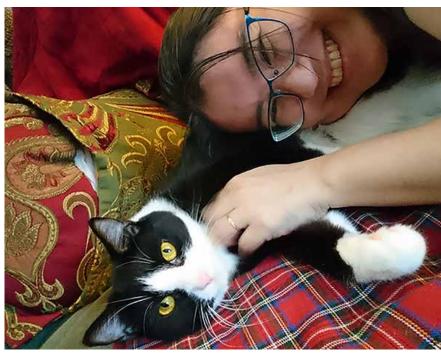


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