

Call for submissions

COONHOUND COMPANIONS

is tracking down pictures for the

2022 CALENDAR



We hope your beloved Coonhounds have continued to provide comfort, amusement, and great companionship this past year. We also hope you've been taking some great pictures of those photogenic family members.

Photo Content

We specifically want pictures demonstrating a coonhound's versatility as a family pet. The calendar showcases all Coonhound breeds of all ages – puppies to seniors. Show us your Coonies interacting with kids and kittens, assuming contortionist poses on the couch, showing off their good looks in seasonal settings or spectacular scenery, playing with toys, hanging out with non-Coonie canine housemates, competing in or training for dog sports, making therapy dog rounds, or simply being irresistibly loveable or quirky. Family hounds in hunting settings are welcome as long as dead prey are not included.

Composition, Resolution, and Clarity

- Horizontal format is preferred, but we will handle the cropping if the format is vertical.
- Files should be a minimum of 4MB, but the more pixels the better for enlarging or cropping.
- Test the quality of your photos by zooming in close to see if the subject stays sharply in focus. What looks good at screen resolution isn't always suitable for printing.
- For indoor shots, an uncluttered background is usually best.

Permissions

- Submitting your photos constitutes permission for Coonhound & Foxhound Companions to publish the images in our 2022 calendar as well as other related non-profit promotional efforts including, but not limited to, web and print media such as the Coonhound Companion website and Facebook page, breed identification posters, hound ownership information, etc. If your photo includes people, secure their permission prior to submission.
- You will not be paid for your photo. ***The primary purpose of the calendar is to get hounds out of shelters and into good homes by raising awareness of their suitability as family pets. Any profits support our Long Ears Alive Fund.***

How to Submit

1. Please select a handful of your favorite photos
2. Give each photo a file name that allows for easy identification (dog's name, breed, etc.).
3. Post the photos in a Dropbox folder identified with your name. Dropbox (www.dropbox.com) is a free application that is easy to access and use and eliminates the need to transmit large files through email.
4. Once your photos are in a Dropbox folder, simply 'share' the folder with us at coonhoundcalendar@gmail.com

Dropbox has an excellent 'help' feature. Of course, we are happy to assist as well; contact us at the email address given above.

Deadline for submission is September 15, 2021

But don't delay – send us your photos as soon as you can. We're eager to see your wonderful hounds!