

Dear CDC Friends,



Welcome to our annual news-

letter. Since last visiting, we have saved dogs & puppies, assisted rural counties with our Dogmanity projects, continued to work on the puppy mill bill and held our best fundraiser yet.

Thanks to everyone of you who have donated or volunteered a moment helping us help the homeless dogs of Ohio. We value every dollar you entrust to us and spend every cent on the homeless dogs in our care.

Our Mission: To rescue abandoned dogs, promote all rescues and shelters in Ohio and be in dogged pursuit of saving every adoptable dog until our state does not euthanize for lack of space.

Peace, Love & Drool

Our first annual WooFstock was a howling success! A total play on the original Woodstock, our event was all about hanging with your 2 & 4 legged friends while listening to great music in a woody atmosphere. About 1000 people attended a day filled with fabulous live bands, food, swimming – for people and pooches, hiking, face painting, vendors and awareness of our cause to help homeless dogs in Ohio.



Cheryl Krueger, Debbie Darnell, Mirna Bowman, Karen Skilken, Kellie DiFrischia

Despite tornado sirens competing against the music and the police urging everyone to leave, the day was wildly successful. Many people and pooches waited out the tornado sirens knowing the music would resume (don't forget, WooFstock is suppose to be like the original).

Jocelyn Scofield began to play as the sun came back out. Everyone ate & drank while listening to her incredible music for the rest of the evening. Please join us for WooFstock '08. Spend a day, with your dogs & friends in the woods while listening to music - right here in the city and help our homeless dogs.

WooFstock 2007 Sponsors Thanks for making our 1st event such a success. Even with rain & tornado sirens we were able to raise \$20,000. This kind of success allows us to focus on saving dogs the rest of the year. We are fortunate to have caring companies & volunteers that help us help the dogs.

CD101, Huntington Bank, Cheryl & Co, The Lap Top Guy, CDP Limited, Robertson Truck Rental, Commercial Specialists, Costco, Photo Images By Randy Rosen, DoodyFree, UBS and Cullman Investment Group, Home Pro Systems, The Paw Spa, Coffee News, Kimberly Potter Photography, 3 Labs Home Improvement, White Castle, City BBQ, Pepsi, 7 Up, Parking Solutions, Grove City Dental, Pet People, Pet Butler, Medvet, Wild Oats, Mahan Gallery, Canyon Skin Care, Olentangy Pediatrics, Patty Madish. Vendors: Pedigree, Pet People, Cobblestone Gardens, Bloomsbury Loft, Moochie, The Candle Lab, The Charm Shoppe, Spotless Dog Mobile Grooming, Heidi's Homemade, Salt Creek Retreats, The Peddlers Daughter, Jose Madrid Salsa, Petworth. Pictured below, just a few of our friends, 2 & 4 at legged at WooFstock '07.



Be a Priceless Volunteer With 1 Minute of Time

What's the most valuable thing anyone can do for our homeless dogs? Print/post/forward our monthly dogs available page. We can email or fax you our 1 page pdf dogs available page each month. The more this page is posted, the more dogs that get adopted, the more dog lives we can save. Contact Kellie KDiFrischia@yahoo.com

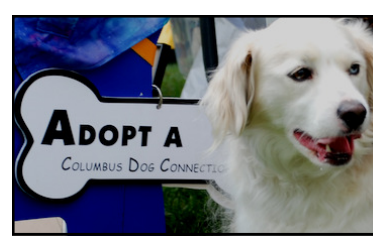
Long Term Foster Dog Nick Still Needs A Home



Statistics show dogs like Nick are the last adopted because he is: BIG (75lbs, but *he will fit in your lap*), BLACK (black is beautiful and he is wearing his white socks), MALE (he is a guys guy & a lady lover), OLD (a puppy like 8yr old).

Help us spread the word about a dog we have all grown to love. Nick is a fabulously loyal companion with a sweet and *very* loving disposition. He is so well behaved and has *no* issues.

If you have room for this pooch, have a fenced yard and are able to give him plenty of exercise, we can finally give Nick a permanent home of his own. Linda, Nick's foster Mom, can tell you more. LMcClintock@juno.com



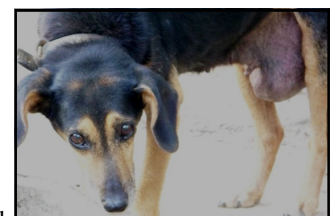
Puppy Mill Bill Update

We could write a book on everything that has happened so far on the OH Puppy Mill Bill. As we continue to work on the bill, we hope it will pass by the end of 2008.

We are encourage with bi-partisan sponsorship in the house and a super majority in the senate. So why haven't we passed ?

Ask your legislator. The content of the bill has been written and revised for over 2 years. With minimum standards in place and agreement with all reputable interested parties, the language is solid. Finding a department to house the bill has been another issue. While everyone agrees the bill is well written and badly needed, we are challenged to find a state agency to house it. Our best option, a free standing department.

Sadly, this dog was removed, then returned to a Tuscarawas County Breeder. She earned her keep by having litter after litter, but doesn't receive minimum vet care. A tumor like that does not develop overnight. This dog is still with this high volume breeder.



Ohio's reputation for being the 2nd worst state for puppy mills *can* change. Ohio's prolific, almost billion-dollar-a-year puppy mill industry, like other Ohio industry, demands state level regulation. Be a voice for dogs like the one pictured. Contact your state representative, senator and Governor Strickland urging them to pass the bill before the end of 2008. For details, graphic pictures and a list of our co-sponsors, ColumbusDogConnection.com/PuppyMillBill.htm

New Board Member

Debbie Darnell was one of the first people to donate to our cause in 1998.



She has been an avid supporter and contributed in so many ways. We are grateful to have her officially on our team.

Like Dogs ?
Like Dog People ?
Want to give back to our furry friends?
Join our team of foster homes.

Contact Linda
LMcClintock@Juno.com

Habitat for Dogmanity Projects

Columbus Dog Connection continues to share our resources with rescues and shelters in rural Ohio. This year, we have made substantial donations to Morgan Co Animal Control, Paulding Co Animal Control, Perry County Humane Society and Adams Co Humane Society. We routinely share food donations with numerous rescues, humane societies and animal control agencies around the state. It is only with the donations from pet stores and individuals that we are able to help the neediest of dogs in Ohio. We are fortunate to have such a giving community here in Columbus that is helping dogs and cats around the state.



In late July, 2008, we called upon our email list to ask for a \$5 donation to help Morgan Co raise the remaining balance for their first animal control truck. To our amazement, Columbus responded like the dog loving community that we are. Not only did we raise the balance, but we actually raised enough to pay for the entire truck, over \$5,000, which allows them to return their down payment to their general fund which means more spays/neuters ! Morgan Co was likely the most down trodden dog shelter in the state. Now, look what is happening there.

“You are doing fine work for shelters like ours that couldn't begin to make a dent in their needs without assistance like yours. Morgan County appreciates all of our members that help make this possible. We have been very gratified by the support from the Columbus Dog Connection outreach. Even the bank personnel are excited by the envelopes coming in each day, some with notes and cards of encouragement along with generous donations. The benefits of this fundraising venture have extended well beyond the acquisition of the truck. People in the county are starting to feel that they are a part of something extraordinary. They are amazed that people outside the county care enough about our dogs to help and it has been a great lesson for many. After so many years of turning a blind eye to the crisis conditions of the dog pound, a sense of enthusiasm and partnership is building. Local businesses and citizens are taking a serious interest in what we're attempting to do. Thanks to all the wonderful people affiliated with Columbus Dog Connection. We look forward to a day when Morgan County Humane Society will be in a position to return the generosity and kindness and extend a helping hand to other groups in need”.

Lillian, President, Morgan Co HS, June '08



David Hague & Tammy Miller with Chris Troutman after donating their van to Adams Co HS.



Through CDC, Greg, Petco Lennox Manager, donated a \$500 shopping spree to Morgan Co Kellie, Tammy, Lisa, D, Greg, Lillian

We are pleased to announce we have established an endowment fund with The Columbus Foundation.



Happily Ever After

Listed on our Site

- directions to the 3 emergency vet offices
- listings of the 23 doggy day cares in Columbus
- the 7 dog parks in Central Ohio
- a link to the dog trails at Cols Metro Parks
- pet loss & grief counseling info
- services available when your dog dies
- links to rescues & shelters throughout Ohio
- domestic violence & pets
- horse, rabbit, rat, turtle, hedgehog & snake rescue
- directions to local shelters
- info on what to do if you find/lose a dog
- cat rescues & shelters
- advice on shy dogs and dogs in transition
- separation anxiety tips
- wish list page for rural shelters
- resources for rescue groups
- pictures & fun info about dogs with black tongues
- apartments that allow big dogs !



Will You Help us Help the Homeless Dogs ?

- Thank you for believing in our mission and entrusting your donation to us.
- We rely 100% on community support to help the homeless dogs in our care.
- We are diligent about spending every penny on helping our homeless dogs.
- With all the human & animal needs that exist, your generosity is deeply appreciated. Thank You for helping us help Ohio's dogs.

\$10 _____ \$25 _____ \$50 _____ \$100 _____ \$500 _____ Other _____

Name _____

Address _____

City State Zip _____

Columbus Dog Connection is a 501c3, non profit organization. All donations are tax deductible.

Kindly send to Columbus Dog Connection
5990 Flora Villa Dr
Worthington OH 43085



I DAY of DOGS & MUSIC

MUSIC

Swagg
Nate McDonough
MIKE "ELVIS" ALBERT
Controversy
Terry Davidson & the Gears
Jocelyn Scofield

HIKING

Wear Your Hiking Shoes
Miles of Gorgeous Wooded Trails
Including the Waterfall Trail
& Olentangy River Trail

ACTIVITIES

Enjoy Food, Beer & Ice Cream
Meet Our Homeless Dogs
Bring Your Suit, Huge In-Ground Pool
Photography for Family Pictures
Great Raffle Prizes & Fun Vendors
Cool T-Shirts & Dog Bandanas
Dance Exhibitions - Learn Some Dance Moves
For The Kids, Giant Slide, Face Painting,
Sandy Candy, Temporary Tattoos & More

WHAT TO BRING

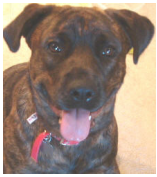
Your Spayed/Neutered Dog on Leash
A Blanket or Chairs
Your Best Friends, 2 & 4 Legged



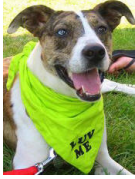
SATURDAY - AUGUST 23
11am - 8 pm Rain or Shine, Just Like The Original
CAMP MARY ORTON
7925 N High St 43235 Just North of 270 on High St
Tickets \$15 - Kids 12 & Under Free
Benefiting COLUMBUS DOG CONNECTION

Generously Sponsored By





Bulldog/boxer/mastiff
Ruby knows sit, come, lay
down, fetch, drop, 65 lbs
Mirna 237-9210



Whippet Mix, Lindy, 1yr,
this girl would make an
AWESOME jogging partner
Mirna 237-9210



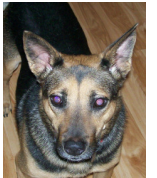
Shep Mix,
Jake, 94lbs, sweet, 7yrs,
calm Linda 507-9384



Sheltie/Spaniel, Katie, 4
yrs, good w/ dogs, 30lbs,
shy girl, quiet, awesome
on leash Kellie 888-2208



Shepherd mix, Tyler, 4yrs,
60lbs, sweet, gentle boy,
great w/ kids, great w/
another pooch to play with
Mirna 237-9210



Shep
Mix, Beulah, 5 yrs, 53lbs,
FABULOUS w/ dogs, great
w/ kids Karen 206-4001



Mix, Dandy, Terrier/Doxie
mix, Dandy, 11 mths,
female, 25lbs, this little girl
is playful, sweet
Mirna 237-9210



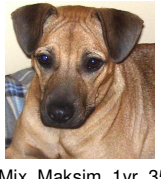
Dutch Shep Mix, Silver,
1yr, 50lbs, loves fetch,
knows sit, rollover, come,
stay, awesome w/ kids
Mirna 237-9210



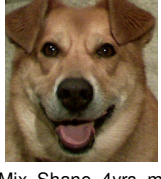
Lab,
King, 1 yr, 65 lbs, rescued
from a neglect situation
but he is very friendly and
playful with people and
dogs Ron 497-0189



Aussie Mix, Mel, 6 yrs,
good w/dogs, great on
walks & likes to swim
Karen 206-4001



Mix, Maksim, 1yr, 35lbs,
Loves fetch for hours at a
time Ron 497-0189



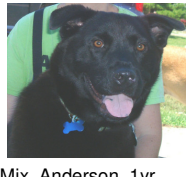
Mix, Shane, 4yrs, male,
loves fetch & cuddle, he
talks when he plays
Karen 206-4001



Aussie
mix, Annie, 1yr, happy,
energetic, a laugh a min-
ute Mirna 237-9210



Lab,
Odetta, people-loving 55
lbs, 2 yrs, loves cats, kids,
dogs, will be your shadow,
rear leg amputated, does
NOT slow her down
Mirna 237-9210



Mix, Anderson, 1yr,
58lbs, friendly, eager to
make friends, likes to be
around people, likes
dogs, good disposition
Cacy 865-6617



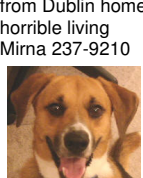
Shep/lab mix, Zeke
2yrs, 55 lbs, very active,
best w/ another playful
pooch, will make you
laugh at his playful antics
Mirna 237-9210



Akita mix, Nicki, male, 74
lbs, 8yrs, great disposi-
tion, friendly & smart, not
a couch potato, active
Linda 507-9384



Mix, Ruth,
9 yrs, 30 lbs, removed
from Dublin home in
horrible living
Mirna 237-9210



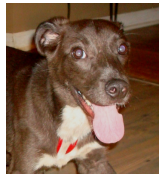
Shepherd/hound mix,
Dave, 3 yrs, 45 lbs,
sweet, knows sit & shake
Mirna 237-9210



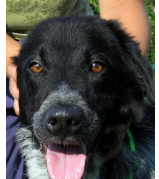
Aussie Mix, Mork, 1 yr,
playful w/ dogs, knows
commands, laid back, on
Phenobarbital 2x/day for
seizures Mirna 237-9210



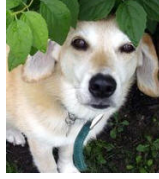
Mix, Daphne, 4yrs, 30 lbs
of gentleness
Mike 847-5935



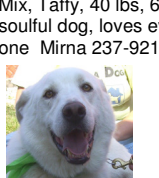
Tiggers Are People TOO
Mix, Alfie, 8 months, full
of puppy, acts like Tigger
from Winnie the Pooh,
Kellie 888-2208



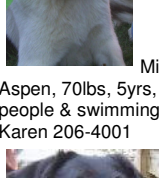
Aussie Mix, Chase
5 yrs, great w/ kids &
dogs Mirna 237-9210



Mix, Taffy, 40 lbs, 6 yrs,
soulful dog, loves every-
one Mirna 237-9210



Mix,
Aspen, 70lbs, 5yrs, loves
people & swimming
Karen 206-4001



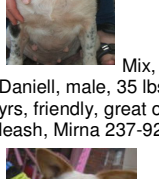
Mix, Boomer, 8yrs, 35lbs,
exceptional, great w/
dogs, kids, loves to be w/
his person, knows sit,
stay Ron 497-0189



Mix,
Daniell, male, 35 lbs, 13
yrs, friendly, great on
leash, Mirna 237-9210



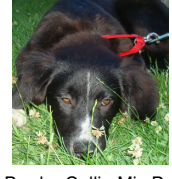
Mix,
Sedgwick, 5yrs, ultra sweet,
best in home w/another dog
Mirna 237-9210



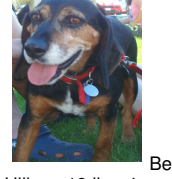
American Eskimo Mix,
Mei Ling, 2yrs, 28 lbs,
yrs, loves being w/ her
person, lives for the
softness of a kind word &
gentle touch
Mirna 237-9210



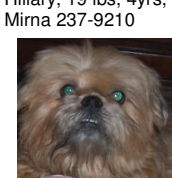
Beagle/terrier mix, Kermit,
1 yr, male, a happy & friendly
boy, never met a stranger
Mirna 237-9210



Border Collie Mix Pup,
4 months, Oscar, eager to
please, smart, gentle, loves
to snuggle Mirna 237-9210



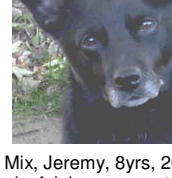
Beagle Mix,
Hillary, 19 lbs, 4yrs, quiet,
Mirna 237-9210



Mix,
Riley, 6 yrs, 13lbs, best in
adult home, good w/ dogs,
cats, couch potato
Mirna 237-9210



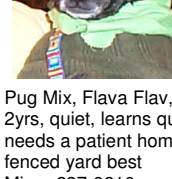
Mix, Jeremy, 8yrs, 20lbs,
playful, happy, wants to
please his person, good w/
dogs & cats, wants to be on
your lap Ron 497-0189



Jack Russell,
Brock, 5 yrs, male, Ron 497-0189



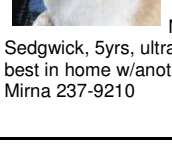
Snowflake Mirna 237-9210



Pug Mix, Flava Flav, 20lbs,
2yrs, quiet, learns quickly,
needs a patient home,
fenced yard best
Mirna 237-9210



Calista Mirna 237-9210



Andy, 12 yrs, a Burmese de-
clawed, Diane 579-0623



Music, Food, Dogs
Just like the original
Woodstock,
WooFstock is in the woods
@ Camp Mary Orton
[August 23, 2008](#)



Mix, Martina, 15 wks,
medium size Mirna 237-9210



Poodle mix, Pierre, 12
lbs, 7 yrs, timid until he learns to
trust you, will then become your shadow
Mirna 237-9210



Beagle, Bagel,
friendly, 1yr, 19lbs, Mirna 237-9210



Mix,
Sedgwick, 5yrs, ultra sweet,
best in home w/another dog
Mirna 237-9210

Ron Blake Wins National Petsmart Award

Ron Blake is what Columbus Dog Connection Co-Director Kellie DiFrischia calls "our go-to guy".

Not only do he and his wife, Cindy, foster dogs, Ron is active in rural areas of Ohio, where a smaller population means donations and volunteers are harder to come by.

Ron puts thousands of miles on his van picking up donated food and sharing it with rural shelters, and helps numerous rescues move dogs through Ohio, saving them from euthanasia.

Ron has been indispensable with Columbus Dog Connection's Habitat for Dogmanity. Similar to Habitat for Humanity, Ron has installed dog runs, assisted in building A-frame style dog houses and delivered some of the volunteer made, low cost elevated dogs beds to rural shelters and rescues. Ron also went the extra mile for a fellow foster home by completing a fenced in yard so the foster dogs could be off leash.

Ron is low key about his work for the homeless dogs. "The only reward I need is knowing that a dog will have good food, decent healthcare, a warm soft place to sleep...another dog will be saved from an abuser, puppy mill or being chained to a dog house in some back yard. An extra bonus is when I'm transporting a dog to his forever home and I get a kiss on the nose and a look in his eyes that says, 'Thank you, I love you too.'" Petsmart Charities donated \$500 to us in honor of Ron Blake.



Team McLemore

Shaggy was one lucky dog. He had a horrible abusive beginning, but was fortunately adopted by the McLemores about 9 years ago.



Shaggy lived a life of luxury and pampering. Sadly, Shaggy passed away. The McLemores came back to CDC looking for another friend for their other two pooches, Myrna, a Boston Terrier from a puppy mill, and Fitz, from a rural shelter. They adopted Carmine, a wonderful terrier mix, who quickly took charge of the house.

A few months after Carmine arrived, Fitz sadly passed away from a heart condition. Even though the McLemores wanted to wait before adopting another pooch, they couldn't resist Shatner's (now Rocco) charm. This Boston Terrier mix was found as a stray and is he ever lucky to be a part of the McLemore gang.

The McLemores are wonderful parents to these pooches as well as great friends of CDC. Julia lends her wonderful talents and creativity by photographing many of our wonderful homeless dogs.

Our Dog Beds Being Made Across the Country

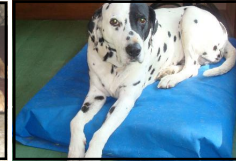
Columbus Dog Connection volunteers designed two inexpensive, yet ultra durable dog beds. Now, our beds are being made all over the country.

These beds would not have been made if not for the following for

their donations & support: Capital City Awning, Harrington Plastics, Columbus Foam Products, Available Plastics, Tritex Corp, Chris Tanis, Patty Benkowski, Lisa McCarthy, Joanie, Rex & Jill Birkinbine, D Searcy, Pam Dickey, Laura Sauer, Bark Park, Hilliard Darby HS Students in Sudie Oakes Classes & all the volunteers at all the bed making sessions.

Visit our site for the touching story on how Turbo, picture 1, a New York pooch found a home because of our bed design. See the story of Cecelia, picture # 2, a Morgan County dog, and why this abused pooch is enjoying her bed so much. And our latest twist on the dog beds...using the heavy duty cloth for foster dogs in crates. Dogs in transition are anxious and chewing is often a release for them. Picture 3, Pepper a severely neglected dog that can & will chew any bed is the inspiration for the crate beds because of all the beds he chewed. Picture #4 is a pooch from Pit Bull Rescue. Often times, these dogs never had a real bed, only straw, concrete or an occasional blanket.

On October 25, 2008, we will once again be part of Make A Difference Day when we build several hundred beds for rural Ohio Counties. See our site for detailed instructions on how to make the beds and stories from around the country of groups being inspired to help their dogs with our design.



The Unbreakable Spirit of a Neglected Dog

Ellwood was one of the most extreme cases of cruelty we have ever encountered. As you can see from his picture, the entire right side of his face was covered by a growth. Capital Area HS removed this dog from a home in Gahanna. His owner claimed that Ellwood had injured himself. This was not an injury.

The growth was removed but the biopsy revealed that this was a malignant tumor. As if that wasn't enough, Ellwood also had heartworm. While he recovered from his surgery he lived a great life in his foster home. He took naps on the couch, was fed well, and ran free in the park. He was no longer bound by a chain to his dog house nor was he suffering the pain and neglect of his medical condition.

Unfortunately, six weeks after arriving at CDC, his aggressive tumor returned and he was in so much pain. Touching him caused him to cry in agony and he was not able to open his mouth. His foster family and the vets agreed that it was time to free him of his suffering.

It was a very sad day as his foster family was very attached to him. There was not a dry eye at the vets office either as everyone was very fond of him. His gentle soul was impressed in our hearts and minds.

Thanks to Capital Area HS Humane Officer Christie Kang. And how do you say thank you to a foster family that knows they are in for an emotional journey? Ellwood was loved and tenderly cared for by Mirna, Skip, Lauren, Karl and Gaby Bowman.



Foster Family Tribute These awesome people are the backbone of Columbus Dog Connection and the reason we are able to save so many dogs.

- Ron & Cindy Blake
- Megan Klein
- Cindy Main
- Cacy Rossi
- Danny & Rumi Sato
- Chelsea Collette
- Jane Detchen
- Kellie DiFrischia
- Sheila Dobbie
- Judy Fedderke
- Mary Ann Gilliam
- Linda McClintock
- Jennifer Tobin
- Mike Hasson & Kim Trackler
- Anne & Todd Householder
- Janelle & CJ Blankenship
- Deanna Phillips & Matt Alexander
- Lisa, Mark, Nicki & DJ Weate
- Aurora, John & Ariel Bloom
- Mirna, Skip, Lauren, Karl & Gaby Bowman
- Diane, Megan & Brooke Burton
- Sara Lutz & Jeff Moore
- Joyce & George Rice
- Kristen & Adam Forbes
- Karen & Steve Skilken

Old Dogs Have Best Friend

A few years ago Marianne adopted a sweet little girl named Suzie, a corgi/beagle mix. Sadly, Suzie recently passed away. Around the same time we had a 13 year old dog, Queenie, in our program whose foster mom was in the process of moving. We contacted Marianne and without hesitation she wanted to meet Queenie.



It was love at first sight, and we were ecstatic as most folks will not adopt a dog this age. A month later, Callie, a little 8 yr old terrier that is petrified of men was returned because her adopter was in the hospital. Again Marianne to the rescue. Callie and Queenie quickly became friends. A few weeks after that we received a picture of a very sad looking beagle, Beloved (now Bea) that needed a home. And once again, Marianne stepped up to the plate and opened her home to Bea. Marianne refers to her home as "the home for old ladies". We should all be so lucky and loved in our mature years.

When we first met Marianne she had 3 dogs and we asked her why a 4th? Her response was beautiful, she said "Why do people have 2, 3, 4 kids". No rebuttal on our end. Marianne you are truly a best friend to older homeless dogs.



Caring People & Companies Who Support Our Dogs

Hague Water of Columbus * Gahanna Animal Hospital
 Northwest Animal Hospital * Petco * Petsmart
 Great Southern Animal Hospital * Lofthouse Publishing
 Outlook News * Joseph Skilken Company * Pet Palace
 Pet People * Mindy, Marshall, Bob, Nicole & the Gang at NBC 4
 HomePro Systems * Lois Mannon * Minda Daniell
Everyone who prints & posts our dogs available page
 Patty Mandish * Coffee News * BarkPark * Whole Foods
 Linda Baker * Kroger * Pedigree * Doody Free * McGraw Hill
 Pet Supplies Plus * The Laptop Guy * Cott Systems
 The DogWorks * InDemand Pet Sitting * Paws & Think Newsletter
 Walmart's @ Bethel, Hilliard, Lewis Center, Reynoldsburg, Grove City
 The Paula Clingler Memorial Fund * The Zack Cable Foundation

Once a Stray Pooch, Now a Top Dog

Top Dog Day Care is helping to socialize our foster pooch named Anderson. Foster Mom Cacy Rossi, pictured with Anderson below says, "Suzan is great for a high needs dog". She is patient and spends time with advanced techniques to help overcome the dog's issue while still having fun. She treats his days like therapy.



And all this as a donation back to help Anderson become more adoptable! Thank you Suzan & Top Dog!

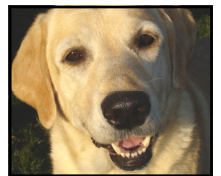
Special thanks to all the Day Cares & Boarding Facilities who give back to our dogs. The foster families deeply appreciate the donation of day care most especially. We are able to help more active dogs because day cares have donated their service. Thank you to: Top Dog, Canine Social Club, Noah's Bark, Mother & Daughter Boarding & Grooming, Kennel Club USA, Doran's Canine College, Pet Palace & NorthWest Animal Hospital.

THANKS FOR YOUR UNIQUE CONTRIBUTIONS

- Joyce & Bill for their most amazing belief in us. Your gift is enormous and touches dogs & cats all over Ohio.
- Foster families, the unsung hero's who give their homes to help dog & cat rescues & shelters across Ohio to save as many dogs, pups, cats & kittens as possible. Know one of these people? Thank them.
- Jacquie Mahan & The Mahan Art Gallery for her enthusiasm, sponsorship of our first calendar, fundraiser, adoption days at the gallery & her unbridled love!
- Mike's Dog Cabin for saving dogs in Southern OH against all odds
- Bonnie Levitt for design and production of our first calendar
- Nathan Schivley for logo design & creative talents to the moon & back
- Tim Dowley for food pick ups, flea med donations & misc assistance
- Linda McClintock for food pickups, data base help, foster home coordinator, foster home biographer extraordinaire, idea person & ever present good attitude
- Foster Dad Mike Hasson for his hard work on our dog food trailer
- Debbie & Dale Darnell for always stepping up to the plate when a rural shelter is in need
- Cacy Rossi for garage sales, copies & positive juice she brings to our organization
- Rhonda Burnaugh, Karen Baker, Candace Bollinger for web site research & support
- the vets who practice pediatric spay/neuter, this is what will help solve the overpopulation problem
- Shannon & Jeremy McKnight for our fabulous color printer
- Pam Dickey for our digital camera, web site support, promo appearances, and computer troubleshooting
- Kristi Shanahan for assisting with transport emails & all those dog movers on our transport list who give their time to help homeless dogs
- Pet FBI for donated dog houses to Perry Co Humane Society
- Lisa Dudley for tech support & creation of PittiesPlace.org
- Ron Roush for compiling our monthly dogs page & faxing it
- Joyce Yonker, Pam Gaudet, Kristen Huffman for helping rural rescues and shelters
- Beth Brown & Andrea Davis for use of their landscape trailer
- Jill Birkinbine for donation pick ups & advocacy for homeless dogs
- Dog Trainer Rachel Green for assisting our foster homes with training
- North Market for allowing us to show off our dogs during Market Days
- Ron & Cindy Blake for newsletter mailing preparation
- Donna Salisbury, doggedly determined & caused an AVALANCHE of giving

1st Annual Macey Mae Golf Outing

4 Person Scramble
 Willow Run Golf Course
 Saturday, Sept 6, 11am Tee Time



\$45 per person, includes 18 holes, cart & dinner
 50/50 Raffle, Auction, Mulligan Chances,
 Prizes: Longest Drive & Putt, Closest to the Pin

Contact Jen with Team Name and golfers by August 12
 452-3046 JDShaner@stephengould.com
 If you are single, we'll hook you up with a team.

Jen & Stacey lost their beloved Macey to cancer. In her memory, they have organized a day of golf to help the homeless dogs in our care.