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Their lives are in our hands.

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BLOSSOM

By Lorraine Lee

In my years of trapping ferals and rescuing cats I always feel sorry for the tame cats that are dumped. There are shelters available just for that purpose. If you can't take care of your pet please take it to a shelter.

Blossom was a dumped cat. I soon discovered she's an absolutely beautiful cat with a wonderful personality. She was living on the streets in an Aurora neighborhood and hanging with her only friend Norton - another dumped cat. Luckily both cats were being fed by a wonderful person who didn't know how to help other than to put food out on the front porch every day. So Blossom and Norton were fed, but there was no shelter from the weather other than to hunker down at night under porches or in wood piles. When Beth called me to go check out the situation in Aurora I had no idea what I'd be bringing home. Tame or feral? What condition?

Blossom was actually in pretty good condition although she needed a dental exam and her fur was horrible. She's a Rag Doll/dilute calico mix. Living outside, her long fur was matted and muddy. A nice bath, dental work, vaccinations and other various things were done to get her in tip top shape.

After a couple weeks of living in a play pen at my house (with Norton) I discovered she really didn't like Norton all that much, so I separated them. Then her personality



Blossom

blossomed and she became Blossom. What a sweet cat – very quiet, a little shy. She just adores having a human of her own. She's a lap cat, she's a bed hog, and she will adore her human for hours until it seems maybe she's actually sleeping with her eyes open. Now she goes to adoption displays in search of her forever home. She is healthy and stunning with the multi patched calico colors of peach, gray and cream, not to mention she's a Rag Doll! Blossom is very unique, but I'm her foster mom and I'm very biased.

Unlike most cats Blossom came to Good Samaritan in pretty good shape and it didn't take long for her to relax in the comforts of a new home. She loves being an indoor cat and watching TV or draping herself over a cat tree and watching the world pass by. She has gorgeous blue eyes and she bats them when she wants a yummy snack.

Blossom is a prize for anyone with a huge heart and a love of cats, especially the strays.

PS: Norton is fine too!

Volunteer Opportunities

Our mobile adoption events are fun! Since we do not have a shelter it's the best way for us to show off our adoptable dogs, cats and kittens. We have a volunteer opportunity for a **Mobile Adoption Coordinator**. The Mobile Adoption Coordinator arranges for and oversees mobile adoption events throughout the Denver Metro area. If you have a little time to coordinate an event and a few hours on some Saturdays to attend the event, you can be our much needed lifeline to the public, to educate them about the Good Samaritan Pet Adoption Center and to expose our adoptable animals to one on one, meet and greet experiences that will often lead to an adoption. To get more information about becoming a Good Samaritan Mobile Adoption Coordinator, please call Carol at 303-908-2564. Volunteering is very rewarding and donating your time to help animals is an awesome experience.

Foster Help Wanted!!! We are looking for people with a desire to help homeless kittens in our community. We are looking for dedicated individuals who are willing to foster kittens for us until permanent homes can be found. They can be adopted out once they are eight weeks old and weigh two pounds. Good Samaritan provides all the supplies, food and medical care for the animals. And we also advertise them on many different websites. We do the screening of potential applicants. You simply need a willing heart to help animals. If interested please contact Beth at 303-333-2291. We have experienced volunteers who will be available to help you with questions. Good Samaritan Pet Center is a top notch organization to work with.



Your Donations Make Miracles Happen We can now accept donations online!!!



Every time you give, you help save the lives of innocent dogs and cats like Lady, Hugo, **Langdon**, Suzy, and other neglected, abandoned, and homeless animals. Thanks to you, Good Samaritan Pet Adoption Center can provide these animals with kindness, medical care, and a loving foster home.

To make an online donation, just go to our website

www.goodsamaritanpetcenter.org
and click on the donation icon.

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Good Samaritan Pet Center,

Have You Changed Your Address? Please take time to notify us of a change in your address. Every quarter many newsletters are returned due to an incorrect mailing address. The money saved on postage will be used to help our animals.

The Definition of High Energy

By Konnie Olson

“Brownie” is a lucky girl. She landed in a shelter in Hiawatha, Kansas, past unknown. In a small community with no government-funded animal shelter, many wonderful pets are slated for euthanasia. The good-hearted folks that work to help the homeless animals of Hiawatha, however, realizing what an amazingly sweet girl Brownie was, appealed to rescue groups in neighboring states asking if someone might take her. I happened to be at a place in my life where taking in a foster would be a bit easier than usual.

My friend, Barb, who also agreed to take one of the Hiawatha dogs, gathered with a myriad of other people on a dark, windy evening in an Aurora Petco parking lot. The scene was touching; all of these rescue groups had banded together to save pets from a fate of death, taking them sight unseen. When Brownie was unloaded from the packed van, my first thought was “wow, that’s a Pittie!” My second thought was “oh my gosh, how sweet is this girl!” She literally stood and wrapped her front legs around any human she could reach, clearly conveying that all she wanted was the love of any person willing to offer it.

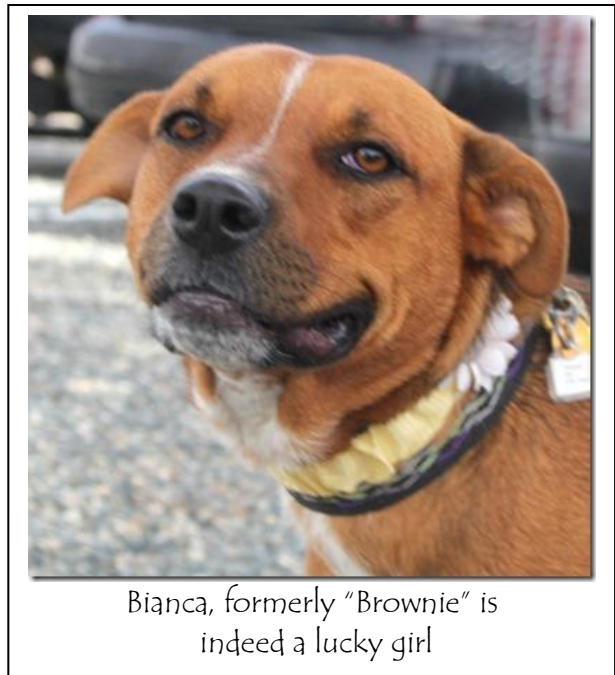
Once settled at home, I discovered the definition of “high energy”! Having always adopted and fostered older or timid dogs, this was my first experience with a young, healthy 55 pound “puppy”. Living in a rural area, I have the luxury of allowing my dogs to run loose on our walks, which I did as often as possible to help who I now called “Bianca” burn off some of that boundless vigor. She loves to wrestle with my 12 year old Chow mix, Trooper, who considers himself a puppy, and she gave a wide berth to my smaller and older dogs who wanted no part of her “enthusiasm”. When they growled, she backed off.

So it was with true shock that several months after having Bianca in my home, I left a mobile adoption site half an hour after arrival. I fully expected that Bianca would have the time of her life in PetSmart, with all sorts of people to offer attention and other dogs that might enjoy a little rough and tumble with her. The moment we walked in the door, she lunged at the first dog she saw. Surprised, I pulled her aside to a quiet spot where she could calm down, but instead she barked, growled, and attempted to lunge at the other dogs yards away and nothing I could do would settle her at all. What the heck? She loves my dogs and NEVER reacted that way to them. What was different? Ah.....the leash!

Having done animal rescue work for 20 some years, I know a fair amount about dog behavior and ultimately recognized that Bianca’s “fight or flight” instinct was in overdrive. With her “flight” ability removed while on a leash, her “fight” instinct took over. Beth and I discussed the situation, realizing that Bianca had no hope of adoption if she couldn’t

learn to co-exist in public with other dogs. Beth made some calls and found a trainer at a PetSmart near me came highly recommended. She and I, of course, support positive-reinforcement techniques and I, especially, favor “clicker” training.

In spite of her leash-aggression issues, our instructor, Laura Roach, told me to report to the group class with Bianca in tow. The class was small, just three other dogs, and the first class went much better than I anticipated. Bianca was able to focus on me and the training, for the most part, and caught on to everything with lightning speed. After our third group class, Laura decided that Bianca was getting too over-stimulated during our sessions so said she would work with me and Bianca privately, at no additional charge. These



Bianca, formerly “Brownie” is indeed a lucky girl

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sessions were even more effective, and after three more classes Laura suggested that we take several weeks off, continue our at-home training, and then return for a couple more sessions (at no extra cost) to address the issues that weren't going as well as they should. The basic commands we learned were supplemented by exercises intended to keep Bianca focused on me, thereby de-sensitizing her to dogs around her.

Another mobile adoption event arose; and I wanted my other foster dog, Beauty, to attend. I told Beth I would bring Bianca; it was going to be a cool day and she could stay in the car. Though training was going well, I was certain Bianca was NOT ready for another adoption event just yet. After settling Beauty in with another volunteer, I decided to take Bianca out of the car and let her see the other dogs from afar. Once she calmed a bit, I went through some of her clicker-based commands and, treats in hand, we went nearer and nearer the festivities. Before I knew it, we were among the other dogs and Bianca was not flipping out. I could not believe it! Neither could Beth, nor the other volunteers who had witnessed the prior mobile adoption fiasco. Bianca did get over-stimulated a couple of times, but removing her from the action for just a minute or two enabled her to go back and be part of the group.

Bianca remains with me, awaiting a home experienced dealing with an exuberant, working dog breed (a DNA test was done - solely so we would place her in an appropriate city if she was determined to be part pit bull - and we found she is a cattle dog/boxer mix). After our training, we are all optimistic that Bianca is now a completely "adoptable" dog, while the same could not have been said prior to training. We are grateful to the outstanding training, patience, and generosity of Laura, who showed without a doubt that she truly cares about the dogs with whom she works. Perhaps the next "Good Samaritan Pipeline" will feature a picture of Bianca with her graduation cap and her new forever family!

Six Tips for a Pet-Safe Summer

June 21 signals the official start of summer for folks, young and old, across the country. But with these carefree months of no homework and summer days comes an increased risk for illness or injury for our furry pals.

From unpredictable weather to unusual routines, our animals are exposed to all sorts of hazards during June, July and August, and your pet is counting on you to keep him safe. Check out our top six tips for keeping your animal secure all summer long.

-Give your pet access to plenty of fresh water at all times. Even the healthiest pets can suffer from dehydration, heat stroke and sunburn if overexposed to the heat.

-Avoid lathering your pet with any insect repellent or sunscreen not intended for the four-legged kind.

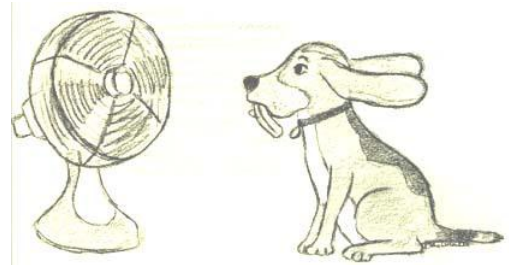
-Keep your pet away from matches, citronella candles and lighter fluid, which if eaten can irritate the stomach, lungs and central nervous system.

-Be cool near the pool. Don't leave pets unsupervised around a pool, lake or high waters—not all dogs are expert swimmers!

-**Never** leave your dog, cat or any other animal friend alone in a car! The inside of a car can heat up very quickly—even with a window open.

-Be prepared! From tornadoes to fires and floods, we've seen the devastation severe weather has brought to pets and their families these past few weeks. Develop an evacuation plan well ahead of time in case you're forced from your home in an emergency.

Have a pet safe Summer!



Almost Home for Mother's Day

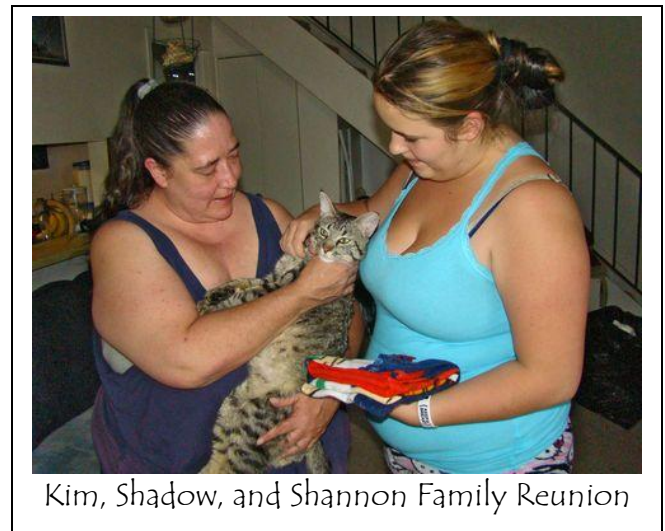
By Sherry O'Shea

About two weeks before Mother's Day my cat Calle found an opening in my netted patio and decided to go on an adventure--Ha! I called for him, searched for him and put up flyers with his picture saying "Help, Please! Have you seen this missing cat?" After a few days of no luck, I put my trap on the front porch with food plus I hung out some of my clothing as a dear lady at The Dumb Friends League says sometimes the missing cat can smell the loving scent of their owner and sniff their way home. After three more days with no luck, I'd almost given up hope. The third day I was slow to check on the trap to see if its door had closed; but sure enough, as I live and breathe, I looked out and there was my Calle peering from the trap. I was so thrilled! I brought him in and he ate about five meals. He was so starved and dehydrated. He then settled on the steps--one of his favorite resting places. After a few hours, I decided I had better give him his thyroid meds. So, I called "Calle" to come upstairs and motioned for him to jump up on his bed where he always got his meds. He came right up the steps. When he wouldn't jump up on his bed, I finally lifted him up and started to give him his meds. He became very agitated and proceeded to bite and scratch me. I was shocked at his behavior as he always took his meds with no problems. I decided he must be stressed from being lost.

I kept telling my family Calle was acting strangely. My daughter even came over to check some pictures she'd taken of Calle just to make sure it was him. She said he looked just like the pictures.

The Monday before Mother's Day I had some back surgery and came home and was resting in bed. I checked my messages and I had three messages from a nice lady named Carol who said she thought she had my cat Calle on her back patio and that she had been feeding him for about three days. I didn't call back right away and she called again so I decided I'd better give her a call and tell her I'd already found my cat. When I talked to her she said the cat on her back patio looked just like the cat on my flyers. Reluctantly, I got out of bed and dressed, deciding I better go see this cat.

Carol brought him out in a carrier and I looked at him in amazement and said "Calle?" He looked at me and answered in his usual squeaky meow. So, I thanked Carol profusely and took my second "Calle" home. Once I got home, I realized the new found cat was indeed my Calle. Now I have two look alike cats. I decided I'd better put the first found cat in one of my kennels upstairs with my other foster cat Maxie. One of my special needs cats had been very ill and developed an upper respiratory disease with the sneezing and all that goes along with that illness. Soon the new found cat began to sneeze, then Maxie. So, I began administering antibiotics per my vet, Dr. Davies, instruction.



Kim, Shadow, and Shannon Family Reunion

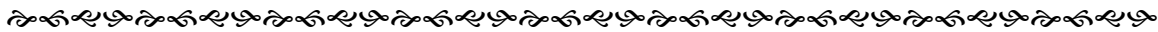
The new cat acted just as before and would have no part of the medications. Out of desperation, I called Beth from Good Samaritan Pet Adoption Center and asked for help. In her usual kind demeanor she asked if I could keep the new kitty at my house until we found him a foster or permanent home. Gary, her wonderful husband, would bring over a larger cage so new kitty could move about. Also, I was to take new kitty to Broadview Animal Clinic to see Dr. Davies regarding giving him some tests and some shots since he wouldn't take his meds. I decided to call the new kitty "Lucky Louie" as he had been so blessed to look just like my Calle; being caught in my trap, being rescued by The Good Samaritan Pet Center, being healed by wonderful Dr. Davies at Broadview

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Vet Clinic. My dear daughter Shawn, once again came over and took new pictures of "Lucky Louie" so we could make a new flyer saying "Help, Please! Is this your cat?"

Several days passed and a woman named Kim called very excited and said she thought I'd found her cat that had been missing for weeks. She had given up all hope of finding him. I asked if they had a picture of her cat and her daughter Shannon provided one. I said her cat was quite ill and we would have to wait until he had gotten better before he could come home. Kim kept calling to check on her cat and finally the day after Mothers' Day my daughter Shawn and I delivered "Lucky Louie" back home. Shawn took pictures of the homecoming. It was indeed a joyous event! We found out that his real name was Shadow. Shadow gave his mom Kim a loving hug. I think if Kitties can pray, Shadow was thanking God he was finally home again.

We said our good byes and Kim with tears in her eyes thanked us once again for bringing her baby home. I wondered what the statistics were for lost pets ever finding their way home. I guess statistics don't matter when you are home again.



I Can See Clearly Now

By Joey Veto

As told to Beth Springer

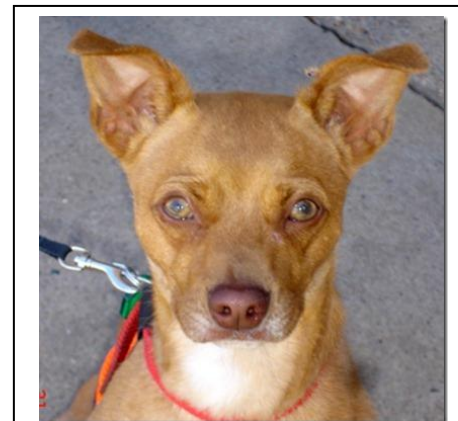
Hi my name is Joey Veto and I've been wondering when someone would ask me to tell my story. I'm still a youngster, but a lot of things have happened in my short life. The best news is I have a "Forever Mom" named Barbara. She fostered me for a few weeks and then decided we would make a great team. I came to Good Samaritan Pet Center after spending a long time at Alameda East. I was hit by a car and had a bad leg injury. A very nice man paid for my care. I am thankful to him! I spent time in two different foster homes before I went to Barbara's place. Don't tell my mom this, but one of the Good Sam volunteers, Arlene Wood, thought I'd make a perfect match for Barb, so she set us up. And the plan went splendidly. Barb made me her "Forever Guy" in October 2010.

She noticed something was wrong with my eyes, so she took me to see Dr. Tanja at VRCC. Boy is she ever a nice chick! I think she was partial to me. Dr. Tanja discovered that I had cataracts and needed very expensive surgery. My mom was a little worried, but she never wavered about the cost or anything. She scheduled me for surgery. I was a little bit nervous since I'd already had surgery at Alameda East. I took comfort in knowing that my doc was an expert on eyes.

You wouldn't believe how that surgery changed my world. My vision must be better than 20/20. I can spot kids from a mile away! I love kids! And I love my mom and my life. She takes me for walks every day. Sometimes we go to Utah Park and sometimes we go to the Wetlands. And on special days we go to the Dog Park at Quincy and Buckley. I consider myself one of the "regulars". I used to be afraid of the big dogs, but I'm not any more. I'm a pretty confident guy. It helps when you can see who you're dealing with.

Some folks would say I'm a little bit spoiled, but don't you think every dog needs an upstairs/downstairs toy box? I love all my toys and my mom plays "Tug of War" with me. From the very first night she let me sleep in bed with her. We're the best of buddies.

Thanks to Good Samaritan (and Aunt Arlene) for being good matchmakers and pairing me up with my mom. I adore her. She thinks I'm pretty swell too!



Joey's Eyes are Brighter Now

Our Photo Gallery



Linda Ouellette pictured here loving on Sammy.



Jack came from Junction City Kansas and went directly to Blu Wagner's home. He's already got his favorite chair scoped out!



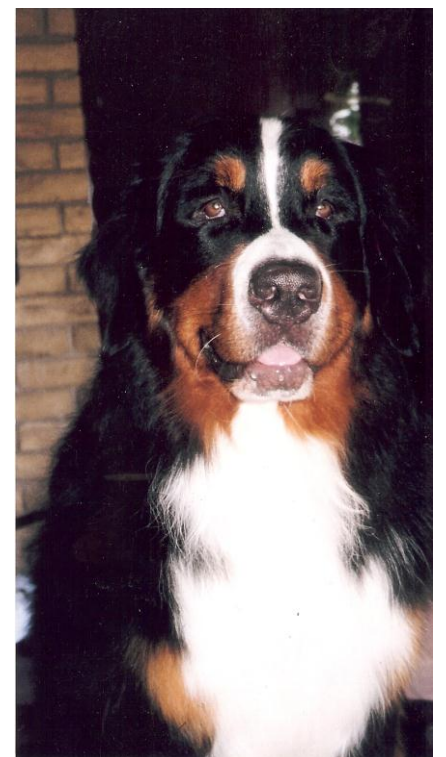
Arlene Woods and a visitor are admiring Hamlet who is showing how cute he is. Hamlet was one of the adoptable cats at the Cherry Creek adoption event held on June 11.



Mandy celebrating her 8th birthday. Mandy was treated to a steak dinner for her birthday and a walk with her Rottie brother Franklin.



Charlie Hrabak graduates from Petsmart Training Class. Charlie's mom and dad are Laura and Bruce Hrabak.

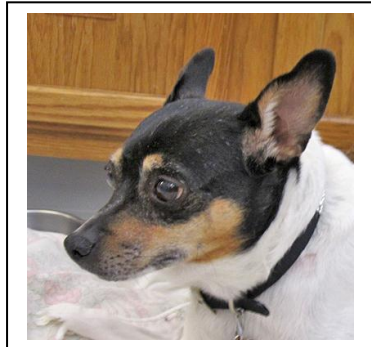


Lou and Bob Tucker said goodbye to their beloved Bernese Mountain dog Bergen. Bergen will be missed.

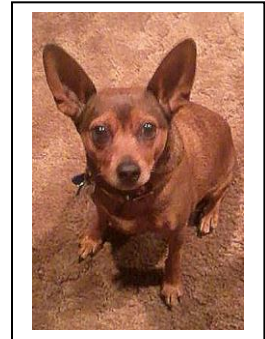
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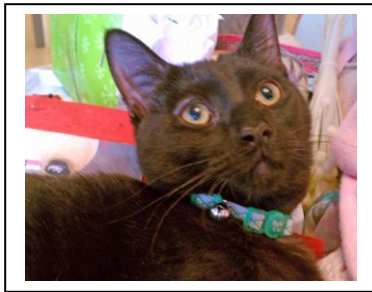
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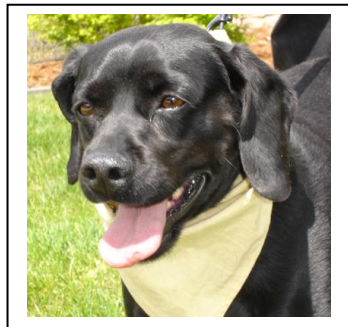
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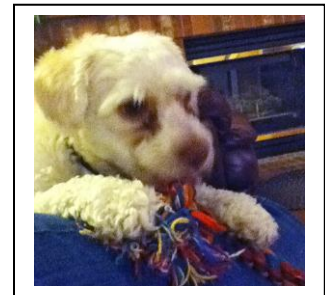
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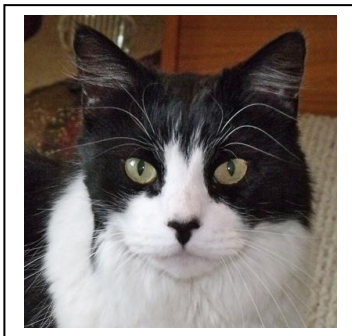
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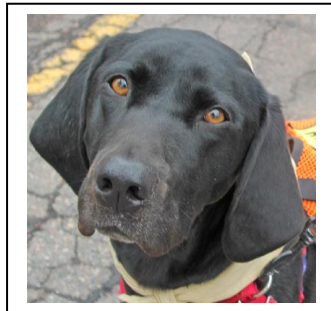
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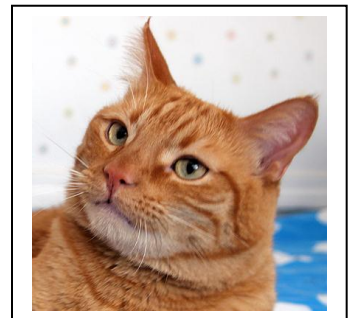
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Muffin 303-885-0978



Gideon 303-333-2291



Hamlet 303-333-2291

These are just a few of the animals we have for adoption.

To learn more about our adoptable pets, visit our website:
www.GoodSamaritanPetCenter.org

We Are Now Listed on
Petfinder.com
And
Adopt-A-Pet.com

Our Mailbox



Hi Beth,

I hope this finds you well. I wanted to let you know how great Gracie is doing. June will be the one year anniversary that she joined our family. We couldn't be happier. We recently got an electric fence (the other was too easy for her to climb over) and we love her too much to take any chances.

She is smart, sweet, loving and protective of our cats. When they squabble, she gets in the middle of them. We love her and thank you for all the work you do on behalf of our pet companions.

Warmly,
Robbie Glantz

Beth,

Thank you very much for all of your time and effort spent in placing Prince. I am looking forward to his journey with me!

Sincerely,
Kathleen



Shadow

Dear Deb,

Here are some pictures of Shadow and Baby Richard. She is so protective of him, she loves him. We call her "Shadow Mommie." I am a stay at home mom now and she loves that. Shadow loves her life. Every year Shadow and Richard will celebrate their birthdays together. She completes our family.

Thank you for Shadow,
Take care...
Lisa Gessell



Baby Richard

Beth, it seems like Jack has lived here all his life.... He slept with me last night, gets along with my older ratties quite well, has peed on every blade of grass in his new big yard --which he loves--and even has learned the doggie door system (we have 3). He is affectionate, well mannered, mellow and just ADORABLE.... We are taking everyone for a walk at Bear Lake this morning, which I am sure he will love.

Thanks Beth for all your coordination efforts in getting Jack to his new home---I am delighted.... Blu

Mailbox continued

Hi ladies,

Here are pictures of Daphne and Rooney from “bring your pet to work day”. They had lots of fun, we all went for a long walk around the park and they got to ride in the car with me on my courier runs. I really like the German Shepherd dog, her name is ”Trinity” and was adopted last summer from a shelter. Trinity had been caught in a trap and chewed off her back leg. She is so sweet, she had a little trouble walking on the tile floor at work but she did great around the park! I’m so glad she got a good home.

Nancy Baker

Administrative Courier

Highlands Ranch Community Association



Max and Munchkin are 6 year old Selkirk Rex brothers who were rescued by Good Samaritan’s after their loving owner suddenly passed away. “Sweet and Spicy” best describe these beautiful and loving boys! They are affectionate, smart, and playful. They very much enjoy the company of their humans, but are also independent, and know how to entertain themselves when their folks are not around. Being bonded as brothers, they snuggle together, play together, and enjoy kitty toys and plenty of cat nip! They are also extremely funny in their antics and little cat tricks. Both boys are neutered, vaccinated, and healthy. They are declawed, but completely litter box trained and extremely tidy. The “Boyz” will be a great fit for most families, but any children in the home should be responsible, well-mannered, and over the age of 10 or so. Max and Munchkin are in foster care. If you would like to visit them, please contact Scott at 720-290-3851 We look forward to meeting you! Special note: Munchkin has recently unveiled his new summer “Lion Cut.” He is lookin good!

Upcoming Events



SATURDAY JULY 16/SUNDAY JULY 17

11AM until 3PM

Grey Kitty Birthday Party
Tagawa Gardens
7711 S. Parker Road
Centennial, CO 80016

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 18

9AM until 1PM

Pearl Street Pet Fair
1540 So. Pearl Street
Denver, Colorado

Good Samaritan Pet Center is collecting old blankets, comforters, small rugs, plastic bowls and any other basic cat items to donate to the feral cat population. To make a donation, please call Beth at 303-333-2291.

Memorials and Thank You's

Tony Gottlieb and **Katy Dealy** sent in a donation in honor of **Beth Springer's** birthday! Thank you **Katy** and **Tony**!

Sally Griess sent in a donation in honor of her friend **Langdon**! Thank you **Sally**!

Joan Casey made a donation in honor of **Gary Springer's** 50th birthday

Congratulations to one of our fabulous volunteers, **Cameron Dawkins**, on graduating from DU with a Master's Degree in Business.

Sherri Jessen sent in a donation in honor of her granddog **Boomer**. Please accept this gift in honor and memory of my granddoggie, **Boomer**. **Konnie** and **Lee's** little old canine who came to our family in his later years. He was a precious little old guy who loved to be cuddled and hugged and this was done for him. He surely lived to a ripe old age and now he is residing with his long term Mom who passed on before him. I know his loving "up there" continues.

Lou Tucker sent in picture of her beloved Bernese Mountain Dog named **Bergen**. He was a special boy, and endured so much in his short five years. We miss him, but know his spirit is free to run and play like all dogs should.

Robin Post and **Jim Tait** made a donation in honor of their special friend, **Oscar Bograd**, a wonderful West Highland Terrier.

Thanks to **Konnie Olson, Lorraine Lee, Karen Brown, Jenna Herbold, Cameron Dawkins, Sherri O'Shea, Carol Meyer, Steve, Wainz, Carol Vogel, Katy Dealy** and **Gary** and **Beth Springer** for helping at the Wilmore Nursery event. Two of our dogs got great homes from the event and we also had interest in our other animals. Thanks to **Wilmore Nursery** for donating the dog food and inviting us there.

A Good Sam foster mom, **Annelie Shackelford**, passed away on Sunday February 27th. We thank her for fostering **Sammy**. She fostered and loved many a greyhound in her day too.

Cole Moseley offered his wagon to Appletree when he heard he was in need. It's great to see young kids helping out the animals too. I think you have a good future for fostering **Cole**.

Charles McDonald sent in a donation in honor of **Larry Hoyle's** April Birthday. Happy Birthday **Larry**! **Robin Murdock, Brenda Riske, Barry Sarver, James Gallegos** and **Suzanne Hatcliff** also sent their well wishes.

Aline and **Joe Hart** made a donation in honor of their friend **Mary Ann's** cat **Snickers**. **Mary Ann** said since there was nothing further we could do for **Snickers** medically (he was already on daily sub-q fluids, anti-nausea meds, etc.), we decided the kindest thing to do was to let him go. The vet agreed. I held him in my arms as he went peacefully to the other side. A more loving, kind and gentle companion one couldn't ask for -- we will miss him terribly.

Debbie, Ken and **Jon Bailey** sent in a donation in memory of their beloved cat **Sidney**.

A great big thanks goes out to **Julie Neva** at **Chewy's Bonetique** for donating a large amount of food. We are most grateful!

Thanks to **Sue** and **Nancy** at the **Whole Cat** for their generous donations. We are always thankful to get the great quality stuff for our foster animals.

Thanks to **Dan** and **Kathy Bailey** at the **Pet Station** for the donated cat food and the big bag of senior dog food.

Konnie Olson said goodbye to her senior friend **Boomer**.

Memorials and Thank Yous continued

Patty Hatfield lost her beloved Rottie mix **Rosie**. She will be missed.

The **DOE Golden Field Office Human Resource Team** sent a donation in memory of **Carol Vogel's** mother, **Flora Myron**, who passed away on March 13th

Carol Vogel sent in a donation to remember the recent passing of her mother **Flora Myron**. "Mom instilled a love for animals in all of her children by letting us bring home strays and allowing us to have various two legged and four legged pets while we were growing up. This donation is in memory if Mom and her priceless legacy."

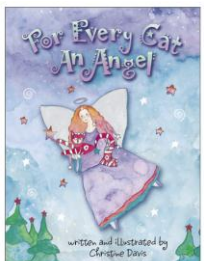
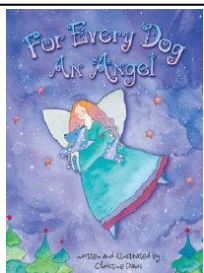
Thanks to **Sherry O'Shea** for organizing an adoption event at the Lugano Cherry Creek Complex in Parker. We appreciate your efforts on behalf of homeless animals!

Thanks to **Sue and Nancy** at **The Whole Cat** for covering the cost of biweekly treatments for **Langdon**. He has chiropractic care and acupuncture for his spondylosis. His foster mom, **Patty**, reports that he feels "like dancing" afterwards. We also thank **Dr. Kris Ahlberg** for providing this fantastic service.

Thanks to **Elaine Esquibel** for sewing the most amazing dog adoption bandanas! They look great on the Good Sam dogs! Your craftsmanship is amazing!

Thanks to **Paw Prints** for their generous donations. We are all grateful!

Thanks to **Bonnie at Ciji's Natural Pet Supplies** for the donated food.



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Donna Ramskill
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