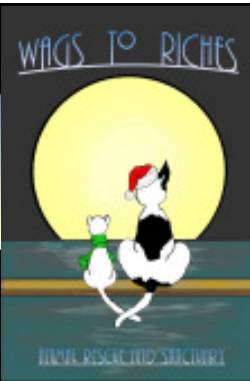


WAGS TO RICHES

*An IRS recognized 501 (C) (3)
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ANIMAL RESCUE AND SANCTUARY, INC.

DECEMBER 2010



Dear Santa:

I still believe in you. There's still a pup inside of me that still believes you're true.

Oh Santa Claus, the rest are tucked in tight. I know you will find a special home for me, maybe with you, on Christmas night.

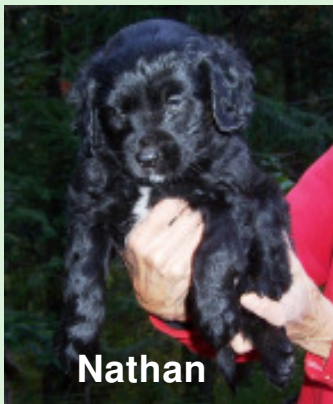
The rest of the kids in this newsletter have all been adopted thanks to Wags. I know I am still with Wags for a very special reason. There is somebody out there who really needs me but maybe not quite yet.

Please Santa, would you look in your bag and see if there is a home in there for me with somebody who needs a lot of love because I have so much to give.

I will love the Wags people forever and I will always believe in you.

Love Page

All of these animals and many more have a Home for the Holidays thanks to Wags to Riches Animal Rescue and You.



Nathan



Shades



Fiona



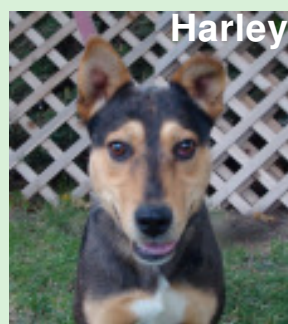
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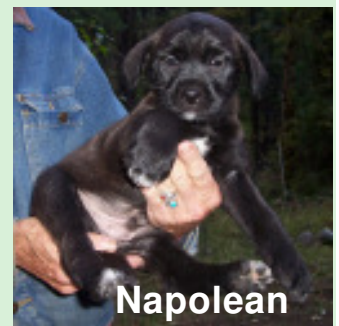
Big Boy



Ashley



Harley



Napolean

Pet Adoptions- A Special Kind of Miracle!!!

Maude



Maude was with us for a long time but we think that Santa needed her to be a very special present and so she stayed with us until Christmas time.

Merry Christmas, sweet girl. You will be really missed at the ARC but we can hardly wait to hear from your new Mom about how your Christmas was and what your new life is like.

We are doing the Holiday Happy Dance for you!! Thank you Santa!!

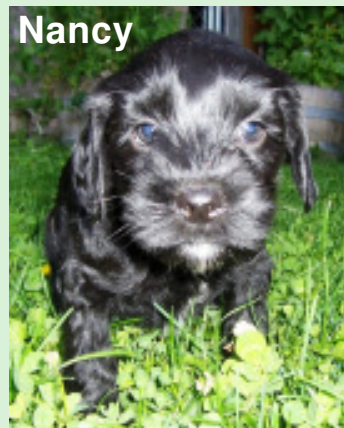


Bob

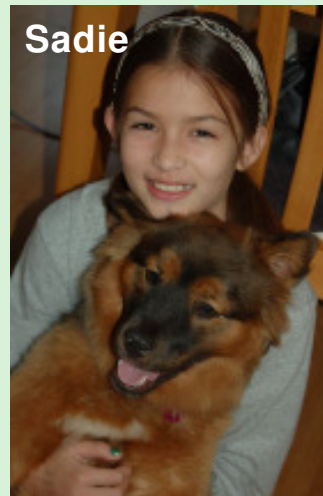
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Lea



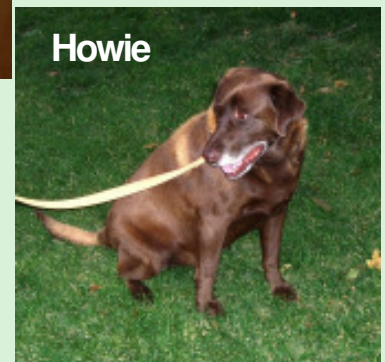
Nancy



Sadie



Slim



Howie



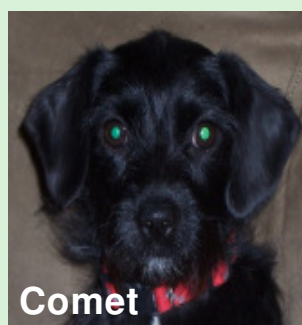
Ashley



Rocky



Curly



Comet



Curby



Happy & Go Lucky

**MAKE WAGS TO RICHES YOUR
LEGACY OF LOVE**



**Are you thinking about year-end tax
deductions?**

We hope that you will think of the animals of Wags, both current and those to come, as you finish out the year and are looking for places to make donations before income tax time.

We are a 501 (c) (3) and donations are tax deductible. You will receive a receipt for income tax purposes.

We are sincerely grateful for every donation. You are the miracle that makes it all happen. **THANK YOU!!!**



**ANIMALS
RESCUED, SAVED
and counting...
887**



**We are starting the countdown to
1000 rescued and saved.**

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SWEET MEMORIES OF...



BALTO
donation by Karen Roff

CHALUPA
donation by Fred Thysell



SISSIE
donation by Fred Thysell

GRACIE
donation by Fred Thysell

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS
FEBRUARY 26, 2011**

**Wags to Riches will be holding our 1st annual
Spayghetti andgasp!... No Balls Dinner to raise
funds for Spay and Neuters in the Valley.**

**February is National Spay and Neuter Month.
Spaying or neutering is the number one way to
reduce pet overpopulation that results in the need-
less euthanization of hundreds of thousands of
healthy, loving animals.**

You can help us be a part of the solution.

WATCH FOR MORE INFORMATION

BASKETS FOR ADOPTERS



**Tammi Liston & Shelly Springer are doing amazing
things for our Wags Adopters!**

**They have been making & donating awesome
adoption baskets full of wonderful goodies for the
rescues and their new families! They have been a
huge success! Every adopted animal goes home
with a basket of items including food and toys.**

**If anyone has empty baskets not being used please
contact us at 453-4155 to donate them to Wags.**



LOVE LETTERS TO WAGS....

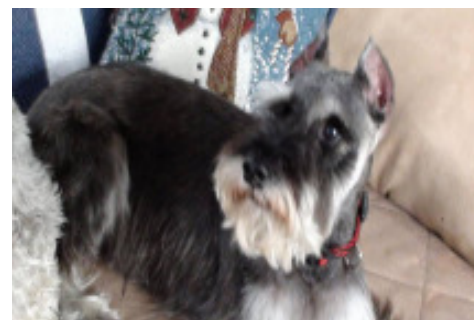
All:

Thanks for the wonderful dog you have blessed our home with. He is settling in



well, and getting along very good with our other schnauzer. He's still trying to figure out if we are permanent pack members, or if this is still a temporary home for him as he gets a bit over anxious when we leave them in the house alone.

He has wormed his way into our hearts already, and we dote on him. He's quite the cuddle bug,



and loves laying on our laps or next to us while we watch TV, otherwise, we'll find

him on their large bed between our lazyboys; did I mention there are beds for our boys in every room we spend time in? My office, my husband's office, our family room, and two in our bedroom; though they can sleep in our bed if they so choose.

I've taken them for walks around the neighborhood, and he is quite the gentleman on leash.

As you can see from the attached pictures, he is a diamond in the rough! Once we get some weight on him, he'll be fit and fiddle. We'll be taking him to our vet this week to get checked out, as he's had a bit of an upset stomach which might be from a change in food, and shows signs of tenderness in some areas of his body.

Thanks again, and deepest regards for your contributions to our forgotten friends! Good luck with your sanctuary plans!

Kathy & Dave, Mason & Casey



From All of Us at
Wags To Riches
Many Thanks,
Best Wishes &
Merry Christmas!!!



PET PHOTOS WITH SANTA A SUCCESS

Thank you Manning Dog Training owners Brian and Wendy Neet for playing Santa Claus and for the use of your business, to Bobbie Catron for once again volunteering to be the photographer and to Chris Wertenberger of COUNTRY Financial for sponsoring the refreshments.

THANKS TO THE WAGS VOLUNTEERS

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