

The Greyzette News

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COME OUT AND JOIN US FOR THE LAST WALK OF THE YEAR!

Saturday
December 11th
11:00 AM
River walk, Macon, GA.

We always need walkers!
Call Jackie to volunteer,
and bring a friend.
478-742-0474

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the news!

It is hard to believe we have another year behind us! Greyhounds Galore could not take in and find homes for greyhounds without the support and funding received. Thanks for everyone who has donated to help bring more dogs into the program. Thanks to all of the wonderful homes where these pups are. Know that you are a very important part of saving lives. There are so many greyhounds in loving homes this Christmas because of your help! This is the time of year when we look back at our lives and anticipate change for the new year. Greyhounds Galore hopes to have more adoptions and news of more tracks closing next year. The end to dog racing could be in our future. Take a moment to remember the dogs that did not make it off the track or into a home. Hug your pup and know how lucky they are to have you and how lucky you are to have them. Merry Christmas to all!

Churchill's Corner

I'm an Old Dog

I have heard that you cannot teach an old dog any new tricks. Heh, heh!

Not sure how new it is, but I have learned how to get someone to follow me and go where I want them to go. All I have to do is bark. Real loud. Bark and bark. Pretty soon, whoever is around will ask me what I want. And I bark again. Twice. Then, someone will get out of their chair, or bed, and get in close to ask what I want. Bark. Bark. Next I run. Not anywhere in particular. Just far enough and fast enough that now someone is struggling to get their glasses, shoes or whatever they need to either see me or come after me. Bark. Run. It's important here that I don't run away, but run back toward them, barking of course, so they are now confused and sure that whatever is going on is pretty urgent.

Bark. Run. Bark. Run. Behind me I hear someone saying "show me what you want" and I know they are hooked. They were probably sure that I wanted to go out – what else would be so important or cause me to get so excited, especially in the middle of the night? So they won't be disappointed or a little pissed, I make sure that I interject a few tail wags and dance steps along with my bark-and-run routine. Now I make a mad dash for the dog cookie jar. Barking changes to whining and more enthusiastic tail wags. Heh, heh!



Handy Tip

Put 1/2 green alcohol and 1/2 water in a spray bottle for accidents to clean up any accidents from your pets. It cleans and smells great!



CONGRATS!



Please join us in congratulating the latest adoptees! Lisa was given a "lucky" collar by China and her mom. It was a lucky collar because Lisa soon after landed a wonderful home with a Schnauzer brother. She has a beach house, and she even gets to go to work with her mom!

Also, Ivan came to us from Florida and guess what; he ended up back in Florida. He has a greyhound sister, as well as a human sister and brother. He loves to go for walks and loves being the center of attention.

Little Pixie found her home with another four-legged sister, a cat and wonderful mom! She has moved just across town. Way to go precious Pixie! The best of luck little Pixie, Ivan and Lisa!



Rainbow Bridge



Please keep the Fegan family in your thoughts and prayers. They lost CajunYancey. He began having seizures years ago before adopted and was on medication. They gave him many great years before the seizures overtook his body. The Fegan's did all they could do for Yancey until the very end. Run free Yancey and never get sick again.

This is a sad time for Jackie and Paul, as they lost their beloved Chihuahua, Peanut. Peanut was the longest living rescue in the house. He crossed over Rainbow Bridge on November 15, 2010. He lived 15+ years and was one tuff little guy. He small dog tested a lot of greyhounds. Please keep Jackie and Paul in your thoughts and prayers during this sad time.

Looking for Their Forever Homes...



Peggy Sue: A “special” pup who is 13 years young, she is a black and white spayed girl who loves to snuggle and bounces around when it’s time for dinner. She takes an eye drop medicine for diabetes, but she’s doing great and is a cute, happy girl!



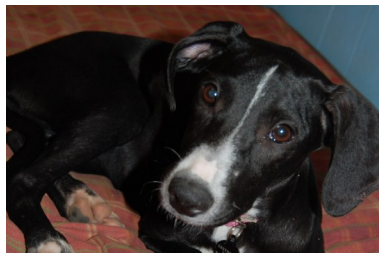
Rudy: A fawn with a blue ridge down his back, Rudy is 8 years old, very sweet and gets along well with older children. He has some special needs and seeks a family that is understanding and will love him for who he is. He’ll make someone a delightful pet!



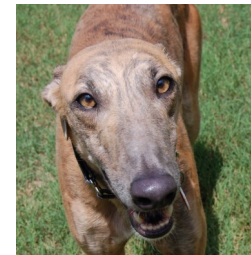
Harley: He is a black and white boy who was born in 1999. He is very cute with the big ears and friendly personality. He is special needs because of his age. He is active and happy and would be wonderful companion



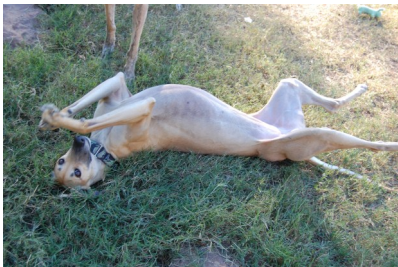
Dennis: He is a cutie for sure. We were contacted about him and Pixie in a shelter in Atlanta. Not sure if he is a “greyhound” mix, but he is cute nonetheless! They are estimated to be about 5 months old. Dennis is crate trained. He is very confident.



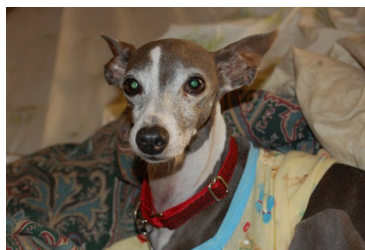
Pixie: She was found on the same road as Dennis by two different people. Pixie was a bit shy when she first arrived, however, now she is very playful and just full of life. She is a lover and has soulful eyes. She is a bit smaller than Dennis.



Pete: Is a beautiful blue brindle boy with golden eyes! He was born May 19, 2008 so he is a young boy. He is small dog safe. He is shy at first but warms up soon and loves attention.



Sally: A precious little petite fawn girl. She was born September 19, 2008. She will be two this month. She is very playful and loves attention. Sally is just a clown of a pup. She is very playful and goofy.



Binky: He is a 9 year old Italian Greyhound that was relinquished with Harley. He has a prior injury on his right front leg but it does not slow him down. He loves to snuggle. He has infrequent seizures;



Coming Soon! We are waiting on two boys and two girls. They should be here for Christmas! We will post on facebook when the new babies get here.

With Christmas coming up and lots of gifts, trees and all types of foods, this could all be disastrous for your animals. When you bring in a live tree your male dogs could use it as a potty. Wrapped gifts under a tree can also pose a temptation for cats and dogs. With families coming in and out for parties and visits, make sure everyone knows not to let the greyhounds out the door when coming and going. They are curious and will dart out the door when you least expect it. As much as they beg for "people" food, don't give in. It can cause a visit to the vet and tummy upsets for your pups.

Have a wonderful safe Christmas and may God bless you and yours and that Santa brings you all you wish for and more. Please remember the greyhounds this season and make a donation to help with food and vet bills.

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If you live in the Macon and surrounding area and need a pet sitter for the day, weekend or even longer, give Stephanie a call at 318-6923. She works for a local vet and has twelve years experience in animal care.

Stephanie comes highly recommended by Greyhounds Galore.



If you live in the Atlanta area, contact Family Friend Pet Sitting, Jennifer Krebs, at 404-825-0615 or ffps@att.net for someone who cares for your pets like you will. She comes highly recommended by Greyhounds Galore.
