ARF

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Hello ARF Friends,

DOLPHIN TRAINING TECHNIQUES FOR DOGS!

Learn Clicker Training!
Puppy Class – February 3, 2007 (Saturday) 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
Adult Class – February 7, 2007 (Wednesday) 7:30 – 8:30 pm
$125 (six week class – meeting once a week)

You will be amazed how quickly your dog will learn!

Small classes with **2 trainers** give you and your dog the **positive attention** you deserve.

BUSINESS SPONSORSHIP

How would you like to advertise your business in **our weekly** and **monthly Update, on our Website** and become a **sponsor** once a month in the **Bay Times** (local paper) for our **Pet of the Week**? Our **Pet of the Week ad** is another way to show ARF's animals that are looking for a new home. To become a Business Sponsor, just send in your business card with a $150.00 check made out to ARF or send us your credit card information (Visa or MasterCard). Your business will be advertised in **our weekly Update, monthly Update, ARF's Website** and in our **Pet of the Week ad** once a month for one year.

DOG/PUPPY NEWS

Meet Ronald. He was adopted to a family in New Jersey in the fall of 2004. He is one of Sheba's puppies. He was returned to ARF for an unfortunate circumstance. As the family said when dropping him off at ARF's Center "he is the perfect dog". If you would like to meet Ronald please stop by our Center.

NEW VOLUNTEERS

ARF would like to welcome three new volunteers to ARF… Sheila, Steve and Heather. They will be taking care of our cats on Sunday evening and Tuesday evening. I also want to thank Sue for volunteering for another dog shift on Monday evening. It is because of generous people like this that help ARF continue saving and improving the lives of animals.

CAT SHIIFTS

There are still more shifts available for taking care of the cats, they are:

Mid-day shift - Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday
Evening shift - Thursday and Friday.

DOG SHIFTS

The shifts that are available for the dogs are:

Mid-day shift – Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Evening shift – Sunday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
Night Shift – Monday

If anyone would like to give any of these shifts a try please contact the office.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

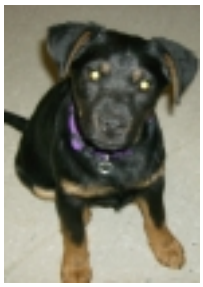
Saturday and Sunday's have been very busy at our Adoption Center. With taking care of the animals and being attentive to our visitors we are finding it is too much for one person. If anyone would like to volunteer a few hours on Saturday and Sunday to help Nicole, please contact the office.

With our animal increase we will need help with the **transportation of our animals** to their vet appointments.

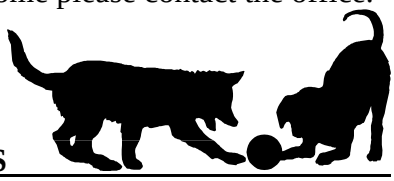
Our monthly Update will be mailed at the end of each month. If you would like to help **with printing, stuffing envelopes and organizing our bulk mailing** please contact the office

FOSTER FAMILIES NEEDED

Believe it or not, spring is right around the corner, which means lots of pregnant cats and their newborn kittens. Not only cats and kittens but also our dog and puppy intake will increase greatly. If you would be interested in fostering please contact our office. Remember the more foster families we have the more animals we can save. You will also find that it is a very rewarding and satisfying opportunity.



Little Zipper is still looking for a foster home until her permanent home comes along. Her sister Button went home on Wednesday evening and her brother Tyson is in a foster home. If you are interested in giving Zipper a temporary home please contact the office.



ADOPTION NEWS

Monty moved to his new home last weekend. He is now sharing his home with a dog-named Chuck. Monty's new home is located in Annapolis.

Tim and I just want to thank you for letting us adopt Monty. He is sooooo happy!! He has had minimal accidents and is already sleeping with us at night. We take him out once in the middle of the night, and he does great with that. Our dog Chuck loves him. He met his grandparents yesterday and tried to boss everyone around. We will drop by with him some time (we promise) and will send in our neuter papers as soon as he is old enough to have it done.

P.S. My husband wears a size 12.5 shoe, and his tennis shoes weigh a ton, but you should see how Monty proudly carries the shoe in his mouth. He looks so cute!! He runs around the house very excitedly and happily. He loves lying on the sofa too. We promise to teach him his manners, but for the first few days, he can do no wrong :) Once again, we cannot thank you enough, and we will be in touch to help work some of your fund raisers

Raisin also moved to her new home over the weekend. She moved to a very loving family located in Edgewater in Annapolis. Raisin's foster family had such a hard time letting go, but was relived when they heard that Raisin's family was so wonderful.

WISH LIST

Bleach, paper towels, peanut butter and 8 ½ x 11 copy paper

RAFFLE CALENDARS

There are **695** total sold. There are now 334 chances to win. At 600 we broke even so anymore sold will go directly to our medical fund for the animals. The next drawing will be **Monday, February 19th**.

You may purchase your calendars at **ARF's Adoption Center**, **L & L Liquors and Bev's Grooming.** Also, you can go to our website **www.arfusa.org** and purchase your calendar through **PayPal** or call us with your credit card information and we will send your calendars to you.

A NOTE FROM ONE OF OUR MEMBERS

ARF, We named her "Boing"! (Grace) which is reflective of her energy level. We love our girl and her fun-loving persoanlity. She's been spoiled and received more treats and gifts during the holidays than the rest of us. She sends a sloppy kiss to her old family at ARF. Sincerely, Tim & Lisa

A SPECIAL THANK YOU

A very special thank you to Beth for doing such a great job with ARF's website and designing all of ARF's flyers for advertising. If you haven't checked out our website recently please do, www.arfusa.org. Many new things has been added including all of our weekly updates. Thanks Beth!

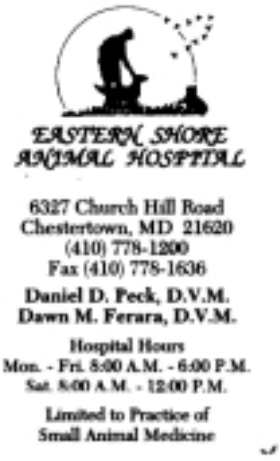
PET EXPO

January 26th, 27th and 28th The 6th Annual Pet Expo, held at the Maryland State Fairgrounds in Timonium Maryland. This event is lots of fun and there is a lot to see. Also, great shopping for pet items. Stop by our booth to visit with us and our animals.

FUNDRAISER

Join us for ARF's 4th Annual Spaghetti Dinner. **Sunday, March 11th**, at the **Moose Lodge in Queenstown, 6 to 8 pm**. All you can eat, carryout available, cash bar, 50/50 raffle, and door prizes. Still low price **of $8.00 and $5.00 for children under 10 years old.** All proceeds benefit the animals. If you would like to volunteer for this fun event, please contact Lauren.

CORPORATE SPONSORS



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QUOTE OF THE WEEK

A dog will show his love by jumping on you at the front door. A cat will show his love by ignoring you, and then curling up next to you when you need it most. – Danielle Asson

ANNOUNCEMENT

ARF does not sell or trade our e-mail addresses. Our e-mail list is only used for communications with persons interested in the ARF mission. If you would like to be removed from this list please send a message to info@arfusa.org. Use the word unsubscribe in the subject line.