

Winter 2016

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RESCUING, REHABILITATING, AND REHOMING

Dear B&B Family Members,

It is a busy time of the year for everyone...we are so happy to be seeing lots of visitors, adopters and many reunions from years past. We're hoping many of you will come to **B&B's 25th Anniversary** celebration at the sanctuary this coming Saturday, Dec 17 from noon to 5 pm. Light refreshments and snacks...Raffle....Music....Fun! Pls leave your doggies at home this time.

We appreciate gifts to our food drive...dry kibble...40 tons per year. Wow!

Please see the year-end 2016 newsletter in color on line and other good news. B&B is grateful for your support. We are so thrilled to have **Lincoln Training Center** covering **Every Dog...Every Day**, walking, socializing and interacting with all the pooches. **Big Sunday's** full month of May was tremendous....lotsa improvements, painted doors building our privacy fence mural, more comfort for the dogs and those who love them.

Being chosen for **Lowe's Hero Project** by the Victorville and Apple Valley stores was tremendous....washing machines, redecorated Welcome and Adoption area, storage shelving...two huge delivery trucks of much needed supplies and 35 volunteers for two days. We kept pinching ourselves!

Many of our 2016 rescues have been older dogs with medical issues. These have been expensive, and so worth the cost, to save and rehabilitate "used" dogs whose gentle spirits have much to offer. We appreciate your generosity in helping us cover these expenses.

In 2017 we are focused on developing the **Dogs Help Heal** two acre center. Calling all folks who appreciate the comfort of a loving dog....our terrific military adopters, students, unemployed, stressed/depressed, seniors. Classes will be forming...so keep in touch and join in. We will train how to behavior test to determine good candidates for service/therapy; train the dogs and people; adopt and spend time with our dog/s listening to custom made audio tapes with soothing music background designed to lead student and doggie/therapist into reflection, discussion, relaxation... Feels good for all concerned. Professionals leading the program.

Thank you for always sticking by B&B's side—we could not do it without each and every one of you!

Happy HOWLidaze,

Connie & The B &B Team





Roxy with her peeps!



Zeke, formerly a Poke Squad~



Oink with his new parents!







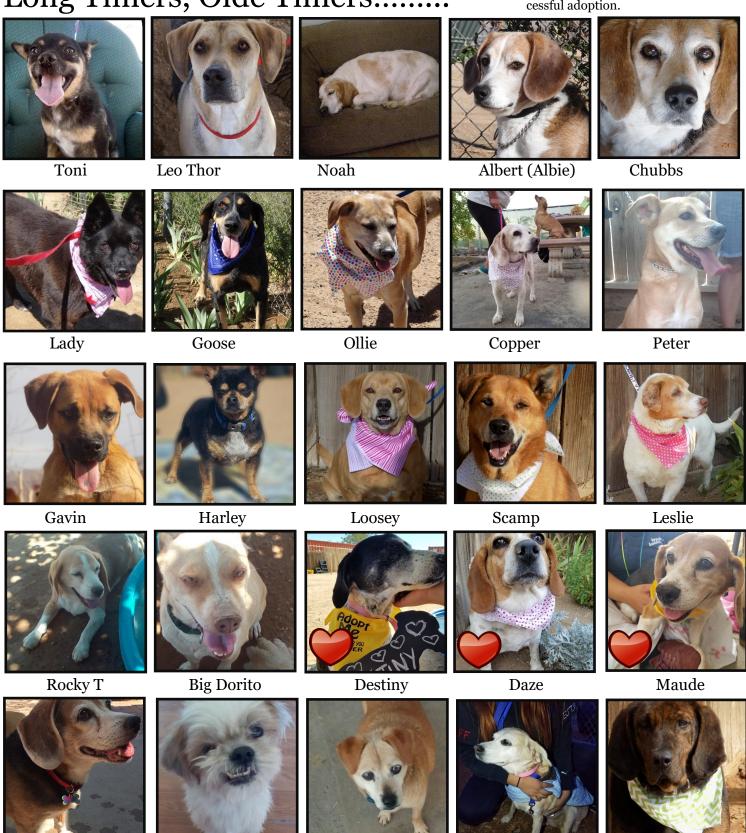
# Adoptable Special Long Timers, Olde Timers.....

Maya

Bentley

We know our dogs well and can help make a good match-there's someone for everyone!

Pls email an application. This will let us get to know your family so we can help make good suggestions for a successful adoption.



Henry

Carrot

Flint

# Adoptables



means adopted while at printers!



#### IN LOVING MEMORY

"When tomorrow starts without me, Don't think we're far apart. For every time you think of me, I'm right here inside your heart."

We would like to take a moment to say our Thank You to all of the pooches who have spent their lives making our lives that much better.

Whether they were with us for a month, for a year, or a for a decade, they always leave an imprint on our hearts.

Remember to be the person your dog thinks you are.



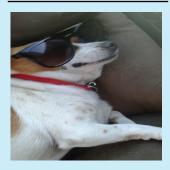
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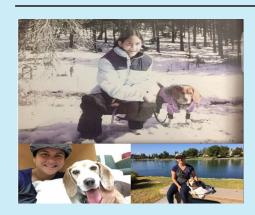
Sarge



Mia



Juno



Jiffy



Loyal Buddy



Jericho



Lucky

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# LOVELY ADOPTION TAILS~

"Fate brings people [and dogs] together no matter how far apart they may be" -Chinese Proverb

## Matilda now Moxie

After more than four years with B&B, a great young Marine couple chose her. She is everything they wanted--perfect from the get go; smart, loving, completely trained. The entire family has brought friends and come back several times to volunteer. Semper Fi!~











### Franco

We featured him last year—he came from a high-kill shelter with a decomposing hip at only one year old. He was with us for over a year until a wonderful family finally gave him a chance. Here he is vacationing with the—he is soon to walk mom down the aisle;) ~~

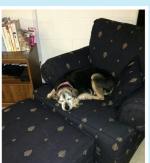


# Dinah

Dinah was a heart-worm+ senior beagle mix gal with terrible dental issues. We bailed her out of a public shelter and she is now in good health cuz she belongs to one of our vet's mothers!









# Squirtle now Vader

Vader—formerly Squirtle of the Poke Squad—was the last of his siblings to get adopted. He waited and waited until finally.... His new family found just who they were looking for!



# **VOLUNTEERS IN ACTION**



"Great things are brought about and burdens are lightened through the efforts of many hands anxiously engaged in a good cause." - Elder M Russel Ballard





Our firefighter vol spoiling Flint~~

Pretty Penny chaperoning a homecoming





Long-time high-school volunteer helping with photos!



Vol socializing a very shy gal~



Lowe's Hero Project at work!



The Shelter Helpers—a high school group-raised over \$1k & so many goodies!



The Hesperia Girl Scouts Troup #399 made our pooches some very fashionable blankies!



The wonderful Key Club spends their Saturdays helping our pooches!

# LITTLE DEEDS, BIG IMPACT

# Support us when you shop this holiday

Amazon donates when you shop at smile.amazon.com.

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Visit Amazon often?

Use B&B's link (found on the homepage of our website) before logging into Amazon and Amazon will donate a portion of your purchase—at no extra charge to you— to B&B!

Give to those you love whilst helping out dogs in need this holiday season! Our pooches thank you from the bottom of their hearts.

Tell your friends, neighbors, fellow church goers, coworkers+++

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Our pooches thank you!

Don't forget, you can help in little ways! B&B is registered with the Community Program at Ralph's & Food 4 Less.

B&B receives a 4% rebate! A typical 4-member family spends about \$146 a week—you can help B&B with a yearly donation—at no extra cost to you—with a whopping \$300 a year!

Tell your friends, neighbors, fellow church goers, coworkers +++ YOU can make the difference!

Click on the home page of our website for instructions on how to sign up!



Circle Once: Visa, Discover, MasterCard, or American Express
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I authorize B&B to charge this card one-time for a total of \$
Signature:
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Please return this form with your contribution. Your gift is tax-deductible. We also have PayPal and accept checks. 100% of your donation goes towards our dogs!

# LOVELY ADOPTION TAILS~



Belle & Bosco exploring!



Luna and Dusty adopted together!



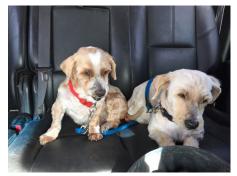
**Toots & Truffles** 



Rusty at his local Community Garden~



Annie luvin' her new life~~



Adopted @1—returned @ 10—adopted @17!

Max and Muffin were originally adopted at 1 year of age. They were returned 10 years later when the parents were deemed "too old" by their adult children to care for the dogs. Now, at age 17, they have been adopted again to a superb volunteer who works tirelessly for our pooches!



Sammy relaxing beach-side



Kiwi is only months & is already successful!



Copper and lil bro~~

# YOU'RE CORDIALLY INVITED



WE APPRECIATE ALL OF YOU AND WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU—NO DOGS THIS TIME PLEASE PLEASE KINDLY RSVP BY EMAILING RSVPBNB@GMAIL.COM WITH THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE YOU PLAN TO BRING. RAFFLE!



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"Those who teach the most about humanity aren't always human." - DLP



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