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COMPANION ANIMAL ASSOCIATION INC. (CAA) NEWSLETTER

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This newsletter is published bimonthly and distributed to past and current CAA foster families, adoptive families and members.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Adoption Events:

Saturday, Sept. 16th: PetCo 1 - 4 pm

Saturday, Sept. 30th: Pet Supplies Plus 1 - 4 pm

Saturday, Oct. 7th: PetCo 1 - 4 pm

Saturday, Oct 21st: PetCo 1 - 4 pm

Saturday, Nov. 4th: PetCo 1 - 4 pm

Saturday, Nov 18th: PetCo 1 - 4 pm

Meetings:

September: Tuesday, Sept 26, 7 – 9pm
Main Library Community Room

October: TBA – check website

November: TBA – check website

DONATIONS & RECOGNITION

Donations: Sudeep Dave

Family Fun Day at the Park Volunteers:

Don & Brenda Lambert, Brad & Karla Bagwell,
Autumn Chessir, Jennifer Coy, Brownie Barber,
Scott & Tracey Morris, Linda Fritts & Becky
Hudson.

**Thanks for your help & apologies if
we missed your name!**

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance as of August 1: \$2,393.51

Expenses: \$5,033.66

Income: \$4,801.77

Balance as of September 1: \$2,161.62

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

August 23rd:

Plans were made for Family Fun Day at the Park –
Sept 4 at Highland Park in Kokomo 10a-5p.

Tracey Morris presented a sample of a 3-fold flyer
and a newsletter and will look into getting the flyer
printed for the above event.

A 3-tier membership program was created with
incentives at each level. See the Membership Info
section of this newsletter for details.

Job descriptions for the following roles were
developed: Activity/Fundraiser Coordinator,
Foster Coordinator, Volunteer Coordinator &
Inventory/Logistics Coordinator.

REMINDERS

Foster Families:

Please make sure any adoption applications have
the pet's name listed, as well as its ID from the
PetFinder site for tracking purposes.

Contact Linda Fritts for an updated copy of the
adoption application to add to the adoption packet
for your foster pet. Also, make sure your foster
dog is up to date on its medical needs. If you need
a copy of its paperwork, contact Linda Fritts.

If you cannot bring your foster pet to an adoption
event, please e-mail or call CAA and we can make
transportation arrangements. We'd like to have 8-
10 animals at each event and we need your help to
get them there!

Adoptive Families:

Spay/neuter certificates will be expiring soon. If
you have had your pet fixed after you adopted him
or her, send in the receipt and your certificate for
your rebate. See below for the CAA address.

RECENT ALUMNI LIST

Buddy-Bear - Donna Roush, Van Buren, IN
Buster II - Kelly & Brett Hetherington, Peru, IN
Calico Cat - Jenny Layva, Kokomo, IN
Fabio - Matt & Lisa Kinsey, Fort Wayne, IN
Finnegan - Bob & Ginny Pait, Toledo, OH
Leesa - James & Denise Smith, Cedar Lake, IN
Lucy - Steven Schuster, Sandusky, OH
Monroe - Heidi Root, Cicero, IN
Olivia - Gail & Joe Ruhl, West Lafayette IN
Otto - Tom & Fern Richardson, Kokomo, IN
Poco - Dan Green, Grove City, OH
Pooh- Lizette Bennett, Indianapolis, IN
Puggly - Patty Johns Kokomo IN
Red - Gina & Jeff Hattery, Macy, IN
Remington - Jolene Click, Kokomo, IN
Sable - Daniel and Melissa Jines, Whitestown, IN
Sunny - Ryan Kibler, Fishers, IN
Wally - Greg & Susie Cowen, Carmel, IN

ALUMNI STORIES

Bridget - 2006 Graduate

Just wanted to let you know that Bridget is doing well and adjusting to her new surroundings. She is getting along with our other Brittany, Shannon, although Shannon is quite hyper and Bridget doesn't yet quite know what to make of it! She seems to be getting back some energy as she was running around the yard yesterday and I had to try to calm her down a bit.

It was great meeting you. Thank you so much for taking such good care of Bridget. Chris and I love her very much and we're so excited to have her as part of our family!

Take care -- Erin

NEW ADDITIONS

Hoover & Ginger – young Black lab mix (young)
Queenie – senior Beagle
Dixie & Tico: Pomeranians
Schneider – senior Schnauzer/poodle mix
Mr. Happy – Chihuahua/terrier mix
Baby – senior Lhasa Apso (special needs)
Bailey (female) – young American Bulldog
Joshua - senior Lhasa Apso

Jazz – Golden retriever/shepherd mix (female)
Sienna, Samson, Sawyer, Shaquille, Socrates,
Shadow, & Solomon – Jazz's 4 week old puppies

FOSTER STORIES

Petie – Scott & Tracey Morris

We've had Petie - a 6-year old Pekingese - since early June and he's been one of the best foster dogs we've had! He was an owner surrender due to some nipping problems; however, we have not had any issues with this. We believe the young children in his previous household didn't know how to play with small dogs and teased him to the point where he fought back.

He's been a sweetheart ever since we've had him & after about an hour of adjusting, gets along fine with our 11-year old shepherd mix, Spooner. He's a very loving dog & gets a lot of lap time! He enjoys going for walks and playing with his toys, growling fiercely as he "subdues" a rope bone or squeaky critter. He would do well in a home with no children, or ones who know how to play with small dogs. Contact CAAIndiana@gmail.com if you would like to meet Petie!

MEMBERSHIP INFO

Show your support for the Companion Animal Association by becoming a member. In addition to helping us continue in our mission, your yearly membership gift entitles you to the following benefits:

- **Bronze - \$10:** Member card and newsletter
- **Silver - \$25:** Bronze level benefits and Tshirt
- **Gold - \$50:** Silver level benefits and mug

You can send a check or money order to the contact address below, or visit the Donation page on our website and use Paypal for a secure online donation.

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