

# Nittany Beagle Rescue Newsletter

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# Thank aarrooo for helping!

**Nittany Beagle Rescue 2024** 







64 beagles adopted



#### **Fundraisers included:**

Beagle Palooza (2)
Centre Gives
Yard Sale
Photos with Santa
AmazonSmile
Valentines for
Adoptable Beagles



Vet care, meds, microchips = 80% of budget



Kenneling, grooming, dog training = 14.5% of budget, with most of that going to kenneling

\*\*Virtually all of the dogs stay in a boarding kennel until we find a foster or adoptive home.



# Valentine Challenge



We're having our annual Valentine Challenge! The winner that receives the most Valentines will be NBR's featured adoptable for the remainder of February and will get a special treat. They have until February 28 to collect cards from our loving beagle fans...but they NEED YOU to win! Mail a Valentine to any of our adoptable beagles! (<a href="http://nittanybeaglerescue.org/our\_beagles.cfm">http://nittanybeaglerescue.org/our\_beagles.cfm</a>)

Beagle's Name, Nittany Beagle Rescue, PO Box 127, West Decatur, PA 16878

Include \$1, \$3, \$10 or any amount you wish! We have over 4,000 fans. Imagine if everyone gave \$1. All donations are tax deductible! Want to send an e-valentine? Send to info@nittanybeaglerescue.org and donate via paypal

here: <a href="http://nittanybeaglerescue.org/donate.cfm">http://nittanybeaglerescue.org/donate.cfm</a> Be sure to note the beagle your valentine is for in the "in honor of" Section.

Please share! We want our adoptable beagles to feel the love this Valentine's day!



# 💙 Featured Adoptable Beagles 🤎





**Bandit** is still seeking his forever home

Age: 2

Sex: Male, Hound Mix, 54 lb.

Good with: Children 10+, Crate & House-Trained, Dogs

Personality: Loves to Play Fetch, Tug-of-War & Ball, Affectionate, Super Sweet

https://www.nittanybeaglerescue.org/beagle.cfm?dogID=3845



**Bella** is still seeking her forever home

Age: 7

Sex: Female 35 lb.

Good with: Dogs, Children, House & Crate Trained

Personality: Easygoing, Affectionate, Loves Walks, Loving https://www.nittanybeaglerescue.org/beagle.cfm?dogID=3820



**Benji** is still seeking his forever home

Age: 7

Sex: Male

Good with: Dogs, Children, Crate & House-Trained

Personality: Loving, Affectionate, Loves Long Walks & to Be With His People

https://www.nittanybeaglerescue.org/beagle.cfm?dogID=3828



**Billy** is still seeking his forever home

Age: 5

Sex: Male, Tri-Color, 22-23 lb.

Good with: Crate & Housetrained

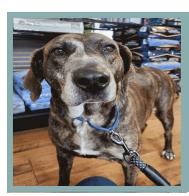
Personality: Very Loving & Affectionate, Loves to be With His People

https://www.nittanybeaglerescue.org/beagle.cfm?dogID=3830



# Featured Adoptable Beagles





**Daisy Mae** is still seeking her forever home

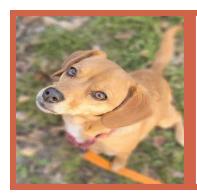
Age: 5-6 yrs.

Sex: Female, Reddish-Black Hound Mix, 80 lb.

Good with: Dogs, House-Trained

Personality: Very Sweet, Loves People

https://www.nittanybeaglerescue.org/beagle.cfm?dogID=3852



**Mochi Girl** is still seeking her forever home

Age: 6 yrs.

Sex: Female, Beagle Mix, 20 lb.

Good with: Dogs, House & Crate Trained

Personality: Very Sweet, Loves to Play Tug-of-War, Cuddle, Loves Belly Rubs

https://www.nittanybeaglerescue.org/beagle.cfm?dogID=3840



**Ruby Sue** is still seeking her forever home

Age: 11 yrs.

Sex: Female, Tri-Color, 30 lb.

Good with: Dogs, Learning House-Training, Crate Trained

Personality: Sweet, Loves Walks, Energetic, Loves to be Petted

https://www.nittanybeaglerescue.org/beagle.cfm?dogID=3831



**Sparky** is still seeking his forever home

Age: 9-10 yrs,

Sex: Male, Red & White, 45 lb.

Good with: Dogs, House & Crate-Trained

Personality: Loves Long Walks, Sweet, Loves Affection https://www.nittanybeaglerescue.org/beagle.cfm?dogID=3851

# Why Foster a Dog and What Does It Involve?

#### Originally published on the Petfinder Blog by Jane Harrell

#### What does fostering a dog involve?

When you foster, you agree to take a homeless dog into your home and give him or her love, care and attention, either for a predetermined period of time or until the dog is adopted.

#### Why do adoption groups need foster homes?

There are many reasons a dog might need foster care. Some of the most common include:

- A rescue group doesn't have a physical shelter and depends on foster homes to care for dogs until suitable homes are found.
- A puppy is too young to be adopted and needs a safe place to stay until he or she is old enough to go to a forever home.
- A dog is recovering from surgery, illness or injury and needs a safe place to recuperate.
- A dog is showing signs of stress, such as pacing or hiding in the shelter and needs to be socialized.
- The shelter is running out of room for adoptable dogs.

#### Why should I foster a dog?

Fostering a dog is one of the most rewarding experiences you can have (other than adopting, of course.) By taking an animal in need temporarily into your home you're:

- Freeing up a spot so the shelter or rescue can take in another dog.
- Giving your foster dog the time he or she needs to be ready for adoption.
- Helping the shelter or rescue learn more about the dog so he or she can end up in the best home possible.
- Socializing the dog to a home environment and possibly getting him or her used to being around other pets and different types of people.

#### How do I sign up to foster a dog?

Find a rescue group or shelter near you and contact them. They'll likely have you fill out a foster application and, if you are approved, they will work with you to figure out the right foster dog for your household.

Please consider being a foster for Nittany Beagle Rescue. We really need you! Won't you consider being a foster home for Nittany Beagle Rescue and help incoming beagles transition to the next chapter of their lives? Click on the link below for fostering information and an application.

https://www.nittanybeaglerescue.org/foster\_questions.cfm

# Upcoming Events & Winter Safety for Pets

# Centre

# Online donation event May 14 and 15!

We're taking part in the huge \$200,000 stretch pool fundraiser known as "Centre Gives!" The minimum donation is \$10, and there is no maximum donation.

Why give during #CentreGives? NBR will receive a match from the Centre Foundation. We'll get a % of the stretch pool based on how much we raise.

Please share with friends and family! If you ever considered donating to NBR, #CentreGives is the time! We appreciate your support!

Have questions or want to learn more? Check out: https://centregives.org/

# **Pet Showings**

We'll have some of our adoptable beagles available for meet and greets at Lyons Kennels, 1826 Zion Rd, Bellefonte on the first & third Saturday of each month from 11 am—1 pm.

Please wear a mask if you aren't fully vaccinated.

# **Collar Reminders:**

Please check your dog's collar periodically and make sure it isn't too loose or too tight as they gain/lose weight, or grow/shed winter fur.

# Dog collars should be comfortably tight:

- not too tight; and
- not too loose



Ideally, two fingers should be possible to place between the collar and your dog's neck which is a commonly accepted way of measuring the best possible collar tightness.



# Adopted in 2024 and Happy Endings

#### Congratulations to...

Adele, Archie, Austin, Bear, Bella the 2nd, Benny the Beagle, Bo, Brave, Briar, Budah, Bunny, Carla, Casey, Copper, Daisy, Daisy Mae, Darla & Delighla, Douglas, Elsa, Ember, Ethan, Hank, Hope, Huck, Jakey, Joey, Johnny Cash, Josie & Sadie, Juliet, Kasey, Leah, Louise, Maggie, Maple, Marble, Mia, Moby Joe, Mocha, Nancy, Nellie Blue, Nova, Otie, Princess, Reese, Rocky, Rocky, Roo, Roxie, Sadie, Scooby, Scout, Sherry, Sophie, Sugar, Vinnie, Wilbur

# **Happy Endings...**



Bennie





Juneau, FKA Sasha



Paul



Maverick and friend napping by the fire



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# Who's Calling?



NBR volunteer Kathy Richards will be calling to follow-up after you have adopted one of our precious beagles, beginning with those pups adopted in 2020. Her number is (610) 882-2511, so if you receive a call from that number, it isn't a telemarketer! Kathy will be calling to see how your new beagle is doing, if there are any issues and if you have any questions. She will leave a message for you if you are not home and if you have questions she can't answer, she will seek out the answer and get back to you. Please feel free to call her any time you have questions about your pups, Thank you!