GOLDEN HEARTBEATS

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A Letter From The President

Well, summer is coming to a close. There will still be plenty of good weather, the Dog Days of Summer and some great events coming up. Please check the website for the upcoming events for September.

I would like to thank everyone who participated in the Goofy Goldens Raffle. The winner was Susan Ehrhardt. Susan was kind enough to donate \$500 back to GoldHeart.

The karaoke party at the Rustic Inn is always a great fundraiser and always a lot of fun with many good singers. The food is delicious and very reasonably priced. Eric Kearney does a great job as the KJ and donates his services. We thank Eric and Beth for everything they do for GoldHeart and what a wonderful foster home they are.

The 2019 calendars are ready and can be purchased online. Thank you everyone who sent it pictures of their fur kids. Thank you Sarah for putting together a great calendar this year.

In case you missed the announcement, congratulations to Med Barracato, the winner of our June 2018 GRILLING RAFFLE! Meg is from Maryland and Goldheart Volunteer Susan Ehrbardt sold the winning ticket.

It's been a busy year with taking goldens in and getting the medical attention they need and getting them into their forever homes. I would like to thank all the foster homes that take these unwanted pups into their homes, give them a soft place to land, take them to the vets, socialize them and evaluate them. When the time is right then will place them on the website and pick that forever home. It's always a sad good-bye but when they find that right home is brings joy to your heart. Please considering fostering, you will love it.

Again, I would like to take time to thank everyone for always being there for GoldHeart. We certainly could not do it without your help.

Have a great rest of the summer.

Barb Schaefer President

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ORDER YOUR 2019 CALENDARS TODAY!!!

Looking for the perfect gift? The 2019 GoldHeart Calendar is now available and ready to ship! https://goldheart.org/2018/07/goldheart-calendar/

... SAVE THE DATE... GOLDHEART PICNIC

GOLDHEART PICNIC 2018 PLANNING IS UNDERWAY
Please Hold The Date
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27th (Rain Date...28th)

Event will be in Camp Hill, PA (yes, at Barb & Bill Schaefer's) As always, all well-behaved pups are welcome to come. The yard is fenced in.

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GREAT ARTICLES ABOUT OUR PETS

HOW TO PLANT A DOG FRIENDLY GARDEN

https://www.sunset.com/garden/backyard-projects/dog-friendly-gardens

HOW TO BOND WITH YOUR DOG

https://www.mnn.com/earth-matters/animals/stories/6-simple-ways-to-improve-your-bond-with-your-dog

HOW TO PREPARE YOUR PETS FOR EMERGENCIES....GET READY NOW https://www.aspcapro.org/sites/default/files/ready_pets_brochure.pdf



CROSSING OVER THE RAINBOW BRIDGE



June 19th, 2008, was one of the happiest days of our lives. That was the day we were lucky enough to adopt our golden boy Baxter. My mother always said "You two won the lottery, HE is just THE sweetest dog" and indeed we did, and indeed he was.

He was our joy, our heart, our love. We will miss him all of our days. He was our guy. #rescuedog. Thank you GoldHeart for every wonderful day we had with him. Barb Schaefer we will be grateful to you for bringing him to us until the end of time.

BAXTER (GH 489)

A wonderful 133 day journey with Smiley — thank you GoldHeart for rescuing this Sweet Soul. YOU WILL LIVE FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS SMILEY!

Our Smiley boy crossed over peacefully and we know our many fur-kids and some of yours were there to greet him. In 4+ months he touched our lives beyond measure and brought smiles to all he met. His GH sisters were never far from him in his final days. Run Free, Bark to your heart's content, and enjoy all your new buddies and girl friends!

And a message to humans from Smiley...PLEASE, never ever miss your furkids annual testing for HW and Lymes... chronic Lyme disease is what took Smiley before his time.

SMILEY (GH 1065)



CLEO (GH1076)



Our home is 4 feet smaller and the Rainbow Bridge is 4 feet bigger. We helped our Cleo, GoldHeart 1076 from Egypt cross over yesterday. She was only with us 6 weeks. She had love, family, brothers and sister, food, treats and a soft bed to call her own. You could see the love and compassion in her eyes and know she felt she was home. Rest In Peace our beautiful Cleo.

I've attached a few pics of Rusty, our sweet golden boy. He was our 3rd and largest Golden, quite a change from out 1st two Goldens, Sandy and Kelly who were each 25 lbs lighter than Rusty. When we went to meet him at his foster home, we played and snuggled with him for hours until his foster family decided that we were the ones to adopt him. We got used to his energetic style of walking and civilized him a bit and he gave so much unconditional love. Signs of him remain throughout our home and remind us of his buoyant personality. He was especially fond of challah bread and it was his last meal as our entire family gathered at the vets to say goodbye.

Thank you so very much for all that you do and for bringing Rusty into our livesMary Dalnekoff

RUSTY (GH591)



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