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Why Become a Foster Home?

The answer shouldn't be why, but why not? Fostering a puppy, kitten, dog or cat not only saves a life, but is also a very rewarding experience. You can be a part of an organization dedicated to saving the lives of sick, starved, abused, or homeless animals that need your help!

Several of the ARPO Volunteers that foster say there are many benefits to fostering, and some of those include:

1. You can have a playmate for your dog or cat!
2. You can have the experience of fostering different breeds!
3. The animals bring new life and love to your home!
4. The most important thing is you can SAVE A LIFE!!

If 20 additional people volunteered to be a foster for one puppy, kitten, dog or a cat, that would mean 20 additional animals that we could save! What could be better than that?

ARPO pays for all medical costs and we ask the foster to provide high quality food, litter (for cats), and toys. Foster homes must also agree to a home visit and to bringing the pet to our adoption events on Saturdays.

For more information on fostering or to set up a home visit, call 317-774-8292 or email: foster@adoptarpo.org.



Introducing...the Very Special Dudley!!

Hi my name is Dudley! I am one cool dude! :) ARPO rescued me from a kill shelter when I was 7 weeks old, I was adopted as a young puppy, but am currently looking for a forever home!

I am about 1 1/2 years old, and weigh about 40lbs. I get along with the other dog in my foster home. I am housebroken and crate trained. I LOVE to go for walks and play with my foster bro. I love squeaky toys!!

My foster mom thinks I have some retriever in me because I am always dropping toys in her lap for her to throw!! I would probably do best in a quiet home, I can be leery of some strangers, but I love my foster mom. Especially when she takes me for walks.

I would be very excited if you would consider making me a part of your family! If you would like to meet me, just contact ARPO! Hope to see you soon!

"Who would believe such pleasure
 from a wee ball o' fur?"
 - Irish Saying

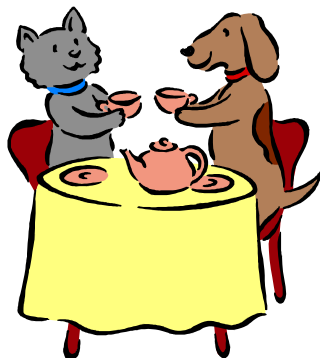


Thank You!

ARPO would like to thank the following for donating items to the Mallow Run Auction for Paws:

- Amalfi Italian Ristorante** - Dinner for 2 (\$75 gift certificate)
- Indianapolis Repertory Theater** - 2 tickets to "Death of a Salesman"
- Integrity Automotive** - 2 oil changes
- Holiday Inn Select at the Airport** - One Night Stay and Breakfast for 2
- Lynda Stevenson** - Longaberger Darning Basket
- Beverly Stark** - Antique Jewelry and Wedgewood Plate
- Trish Main** - Dog Grooming Table, Dog Bed, Gift Basket
- Ruth Hendrix** - Handmade Tote, Purse and Shoulder Bag
- Argosy Casino of Lawrenceburg** - 2 Meal Tickets
- Casey Jo's Fine Art Photography** - One Pet Photo Session
- Deb Gardner** - Personalized Pet sketch of your Pet
- Bill Carson** - Acrylic Paintings
- Denise Fischer** - Embroidered Dog Bed
- Indianapolis Children's Museum** - 1 Adult and 1 Child Admission
- Alma Shireman** - Pampered Chef 6 Muffin Pan
- Sheri Semple** - Homemade Gourmet Gift Box
- Kim Davis-Tatman** - Arbonne Product
- Matt Massage** - One-hour Full-Body Massage
- Stephanie Schwartz** - Complimentary Hair Cut at No. 7 Salon and Spa
- Crackers Comedy Club** - 8 Tickets
- Yankee Candle Company** - Yankee Candle Gift Basket
- Mallow Run Winery** - Gift Basket and Candles
- Pam McCoskey** - Art Prints

The total number of ARPO Adoptions as of May 2007 are 1895! Help us increase this number by spreading the word about the wonderful pets for adoption at ARPO!



FIVE AKC SUMMER SAFETY TIPS FOR YOUR DOG!

1. If your dog is outside on a hot day, make sure he has a shady spot to rest in.
2. Never leave your dog in a closed vehicle on a hot day. The temperature inside a car can rise to over 100 degrees in a matter of minutes!
3. Always provide plenty of cool, fresh water!
4. Avoid strenuous exercise on extremely hot days.
5. Fleas and ticks, and the mosquitoes which carry heartworm disease, are more prevalent in warmer months. Ask your veterinarian for an effective preventive to keep these parasites off your dog.

Memorials – Remembering Best Friends

- Don & Heidi in memory of Pumpkin
- Betsy & Dan Brunette, Chris & Charlie Brunette, and Tom & Jane Merrill in memory of Collette Sledge, devoted animal advocate in Mt. Angel, Oregon
- Stephanie Clancy in memory of Mr. Purr, beloved ARPO kitty of Debbie Haynes
- Karel Duncan in memory of Puffie
- Michael & Roseanna Faulkner in memory of Daisy
- Rachel & James Hatcher in memory of Diamond
- Margaret Mangus in memory of Mary LaMar and Lonna Deery
- Naj & Madelyn McFadden in memory of Patricia Evans
- Kathy McKeen in memory of Xena, beloved canine family member of Michael Laing
- Pat Purvis in memory of Sadie
- Julie Reynolds in memory of Riley
- Sally Rice in memory of Beibi, Mandy, Jr., Linn, Casper, Buddy and Osha
- Dan & Denise Stuart in memory of Hondo
- Julie Turner in memory of Sophie and Winston
- Barbara Biesterfeldt in memory of Lucy Anne Biesterfeldt
- Robert and Cynthia Stiehl in memory of Murphy and Lilly

2007 ARPO Dog Olympics



WHEN Saturday, June 2, 2007 / 10:00—2:00 **WHERE** Broad Ripple Park
 Registration begins at 9:00
PRICE \$5 donation per event *or* \$25 for all events
T-SHIRT Short sleeved t-shirt available for purchase for \$20 (M/L/XL/Kids)

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- EVENT 1 T-shirt Race**
Sprint a short distance with your dog, dress him in a t-shirt, and then sprint back to the start.
- EVENT 2 Shedding Contest**
You have 2 minutes to produce the largest pile of dog hair brushed from your dogs coat.
- EVENT 3 Pie Eating Contest**
You and your dog compete to be the first to consume two pies—one for you, one for your dog.
- EVENT 4 3-Minute Makeover**
Give your dog the best makeover with the provided materials in 3 minutes.
- EVENT 5 Obstacle Course**
- EVENT 6 Bone Finding Contest**
Your dog will compete to be the first to find a dog bone from a pile of dirt.

* All dogs must be leashed and under close supervision of their owner at all times. Unleashed, uncontrollable or unsupervised dogs will be disqualified and possibly asked to leave the event.



Owner's Name: _____ Pet's Name: _____ Pet's Weight: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Events Participating In: _____ 1 2 3 4 5 6 All
 (\$5/event or \$25 for all) (please check boxes for the events you are participating in)



_____ + Optional T-shirt (\$20) Kids MED LG X-LG

_____ + Optional Additional Donation

_____ = TOTAL AMOUNT

Check Enclosed Money Order Enclosed

Please detach and send this registration form in with check or money order made payable to:

Alliance for Responsible Pet Ownership, Inc., PO Box 6385, Fishers, IN 46038

Or register via PayPal at www.adoptarpo.org

UPCOMING ARPO EVENTS



Hi! My name is Tequila and I know you find me irresistible! If you visit www.adoptarpo.org, you can find me and many other cute and loveable pets waiting for forever homes! Come take a look!!

- **DOG OLYMPICS – ARE YOU READY FOR YOUR PUP TO WIN THE GOLD? THEN FILL OUT THE ENCLOSED REGISTRATION FORM AND PREPARE FOR A DAY OF FUN ON JUNE 2ND WITH YOUR CANINE COMPANION!**



- **YANKEE CANDLE SALE – OUR YANKEE CANDLE SALE WILL BE COMING UP IN SEPTEMBER! WATCH OUR WEBSITE FOR DETAILS!!**



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