




September

N.A.B.S. News

Noah's Ark Bayou Sanctuary Animal Rescue

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**Noah's Ark Bayou Sanctuary
Animal Rescue**

**How are you and your
fur friend doing?**

Esther, one of our youth volunteers, and two little fur friends. Esther has been a youth volunteer for three years. She volunteers almost every weekend when we are at Petco.

**This is our First
Annual Fund Raising
Drive. Would you
consider making a
donation?**

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Please let us know how you and your fur friend are getting along.

NABS is always in need of donations and volunteers. Please visit our website at <http://www.nabs-tx.com> to send a donation via PayPal or Amazon or to contact our volunteer coordinator. If you wish to donate by mail, please send the donation to NABS at: PO Box 307, Liverpool, TX 77577.

Please visit us at the PETCO at the Gulf Freeway and FM 646 on Saturdays and Sundays to see our new arrivals.

Thank you for giving your fur friend a home and future.

It's Time to Celebrate!

Let's celebrate our N.A.B.S. adoptions:

10/14: Ty and Tiger Woods

10/21: Chase, Kahlua, Maci, Brewster, Chandler, Sheldon, Nash, and Jackson



(l-r) Ruth Merlau and Randi Miller

N.A.B.S.' Special Needs: Dog Food

DOG FOOD NEEDED:

- Pedigree Adult Small Crunchy bites
- Purina One Lamb & Rice Adult Small bites
- IAMS Smart Puppy Yellow Bag

Do you have a sincere heart? Do you enjoy interaction with dogs? Are you committed to helping customers look for a Forever Friend? **N.A.B.S. NEEDS YOU!** to help in volunteering on Saturdays and/or Sundays (10-2, 2-6). Each adult volunteer supervises 4 young volunteers. Each young volunteer learns the responsibilities of walking, grooming, and loving and caring for the dogs. Training will be provided.

We are also looking for foster homes. Do you have a fenced yard? Will you be available to interact and socialize your Furry Friend with you and your family, other pets, people, dogs? You'll love it. Come join a team dedicated to the rescue, rehabilitation, and adoption of wonderful adoptable dogs.

Please email Gaye Hart at dgh48@aol.com for more information.



Volunteers' Corner

Dear N.A.B.S. Owners and N.A.B.S. Volunteers:

In order to care for our Furry Children, we need your help with the following:

FOSTER HOMES

DOG FOOD: IAMS Smart Puppy, Pedigree Adult Small Bites (or Science Diet, IAMS), Purina One Lamb and Rice.

Our N.A.B.S. staff uses 350-450 lb. of dog food every week:

- 200-250 lb. Pedigree Adult Small Bites (or Science Diet, IAMS)
- 50-100 lb. Purina One Lamb and Rice
- 100 lb. IAMS Smart Puppy

DOG TRAINING with Damian for the dogs at the land

PAID-IN-ADVANCE vet bills, e.g. like at Animal Alliance (spay/neuter) or Dr. Crumm for those heartworm treatments, and maybe paid for grooming.

COMPUTER/PRINTING SUPPLIES: computer paper, card stock paper (white), computer cartridges, and **DIGITAL CAMERA PRINTER** so we could print pictures of families with their pets at Christmas or on the spot

DOG SHAMPOO

TOWELS, COMFORTERS, and BLANKETS, RUGS used in crates at adoptions

WIRE CRATES in good working order and clean

IGLOO DOG HOUSES

CLEANING SUPPLIES

GIFT CARDS: Sam's Club, Petco or PetSmart

SHOPPING: N.A.B.S. Kroger's Share Card (percentage of your shopping bill is donated to N.A.B.S.)

VIA INTERNET: Amazon.com, igive.com (for more information, please visit our website: www.nabs-tx.com)

Thank you for your support. Together, we make a difference in the lives of the Furry Children.

Sincerely,

N.A.B.S. Animal Rescue



Volunteers' Ring

Clockwise (from white T-shirt): Tessa Miller, Destiny Escobedo, Ruth Merlau, Kylee Kuba, Taylor Cubbage, Esther Segrera, and Austin LaFoy.

Happy Tails



Ty



Chandler



Brewster



Jackson



Chase

Happy Tails



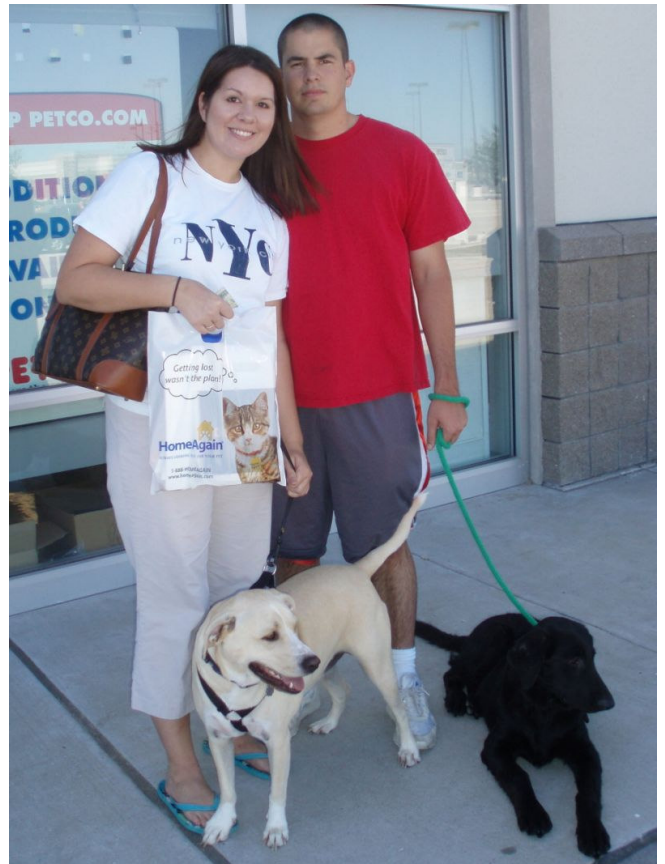
Kahlua (a.k.a. Zoey)



Nash



Maci, with Moms (l-r) Barbara and Stephanie



Sheldon

Happy Tails

Kahlua's (a.k.a. Zoey's) Update

Well, Frances, I cannot tell you enough how happy that Curtis and I are to have adopted Kahlua from you yesterday. We have officially named her "Zoey" now, just so you know.

Our first night together as a family was incredible. What a sweet and well-behaved little lady we have in our lives now. We are just amazed at how smart she is, and so well trained for a puppy.

I think I forgot yesterday to get the information from you regarding boarding with you whenever we may have to go out of town. So if you wouldn't mind sending that to us, we would really appreciate it. I do know for sure that we would LOVE for you to watch Zoey from 2/28 through 3/7 of next year, as that's when Curtis and I will be going to Maui for our "belated" honeymoon, which we are really looking forward to. And if you or anyone there at N.A.B.S. Has any recommendations for a great vet, maybe in Alvin, we would welcome them. We would really like to find a vet for Zoey that is closer to our home than Claws & Paws in Pearland.

Thank you so much, again, for allowing us to adopt such a wonderful dog. We are so happy to have Zoey as part of our family now, and we'll send you pictures from time to time. And feel free to drop us a line any time that you would like to see how Zoey is doing.

Very truly yours,

Michelle Williamson :)

Happy Tails

Sammy and Beasley's News

I am hoping this gets to Pam Sanidakos.

Sammy and Beasley get along so well it is hard to imagine one without the other. They play nonstop both indoors and outdoors. They have these chew toys that they play tug of war with. They wrestle but never hurt each other.

Outdoors we have 2 acres that they run and bark. There are dogs on either side that they go bark at and cows behind. It is so funny to see these little dogs barking through the fence at these cows (who ignore them). Sammy loves to chase squirrels and will get one up a tree and stand there and bark until I think he will lose his voice. Beasley gets on the picnic table and sleeps. Sammy lays under it or near it. He can't jump that high. I think he could because he gets on the couch in the house, but I would just as soon he didn't get on the picnic table because I would worry about him jumping off of it on the cement with his short little legs. Anyway it is cute to see Beasley on the table and Sammy close by.

It is so funny to see them wait for Ron everyday. They lay by the front door about 4 and watch for his truck. When they see him stop for the mail in front of the house they go bananas. They race back and forth from the front door to the den door until he comes in. It is the preverbal "daddy's home, daddy's home" situation. They almost trip him taking step for step with him till he gets their treats. They love Ron and he spends time with them when he gets home going outside with them to play. In the house they follow every step. If Ron goes into the bedroom and shuts the door, they lay right by the door until he comes out.

They both have a doggie bed (one of those pillow things) and will switch beds but will eventually wind up in the right bed.

I don't think we could have found a better match for them. As soon as I get a new camera (I "loaned" mine to my daughter), I will take some pictures and get them to you.

Happy Tails

Tobey and Tina's News

Here are the spoiled rotten kids:) Can you tell? They had their annual vet and shots check Saturday. Tobey now weighs 100 and Tina (aka Fatty) weighs 95. The vet wants me to cut back on their food to 3 cups each per day. They don't get that many treats and I am trying to get Tina to chew the Nylabone instead of the fatty rawhide bones. Other than the weight issue, Dr. Z said they both are healthy and happy. Deb



Tobey and Tina, a N.A.B.S. Bonded Pair

Bradley's (a.k.a. Luke's) News

Thank you. He is a true gift from God... What an angel and I can not wait to bring him to Thanksgiving in Lafayette. Most of my siblings have not met him yet and I have many nieces and nephews wanting to see him. We are working on the "escape" problem that you guys told me about when I got him. It is all about the TREAT! I have learned so much from training and Bradley is SO SMART!.. He picks everything up... like a sponge.

I will bring him by when I head out that way on a weekend some time around the holidays.

Aimée Noël Barber

Thank you so much for this WONDERFUL update. We just love receiving this kind of news, it is what keeps us going, simply knowing the difference we have made in both your lives. At first I thought I just love the picture of him sleeping like an innocent baby but then I realized I love the first one too and then I just gave up and accepted they are ALL PRECIOUS!!! He is so photogenic and adorable!!

We would LOVE to get to see the little Graduate if you can find the time to come down our way!!

Take care and keep checking out our newsletters because we post all your updates online to share with everyone- Pam

Glad you liked our postcard and it is nice to know you received it too, I always wonder about such a small piece of mail actually getting there.

Pamela Sanidakos, President
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Bradley's (a.k.a. Luke's) News (cont'd.)

I received your post card on donations and think it is a wonderful idea. I will send a donation soon!

Here are pics of Bradley (aka Luke - cockapoo)

He just graduated from beginners training at "My Dog and Me" and will start his intermediate tonight!

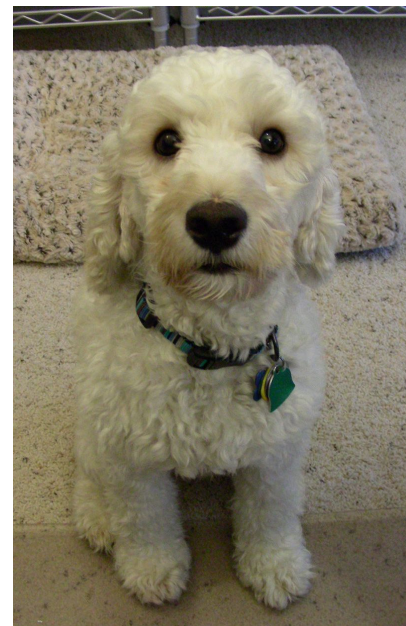
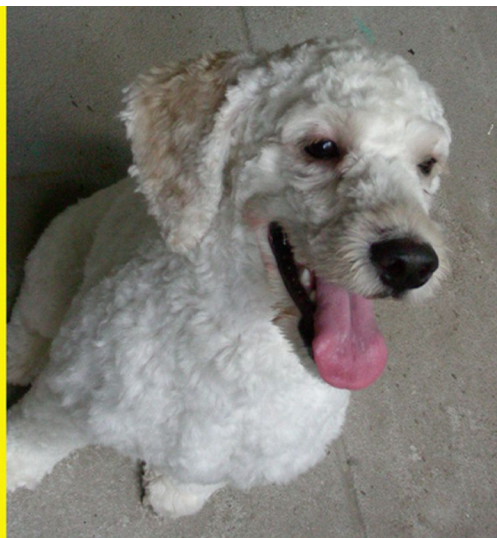
He is doing wonderful and he has changed my life. It is so nice to spend time with him, play with him at bark park, and cuddle with him. Bradley will spend a couple of days at "Happy Tails" doggie day care and has become more comfortable at home.

Thank you so much for taking him in, neutering and computer chipping him, and giving him love and attention.

You guys are angels! Everyone loves Bradley and I tell them where I got him and how wonderful you guys are. God Bless.

When we finish training, I'll bring him by on a weekend so you can see his development.

Aimée Noël Barber



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Who We Are

We are a 501(c)3 non-profit animal rescue group dedicated to the rescue and rehabilitation of adoptable pets. N.A.B.S. President Pam Sanidakos has over 15 years of animal welfare experience, and is an advocate for animal nurturing and care. We encourage owners and their families to invest love and time into their Furry Children's dog training and care. We provide resources (via our website:

www.N.A.B.S.-tx.com) to further educate and assist owners and their families, as well as Petfinder.com for those in search of pets for adoption. N.A.B.S.

needs your support in whatever way you can help: volunteerism, foster homes, monetary donations, and pet care items donations (ask about our wish list). Thank you for your help!



"We live temporarily through what we take, but we live forever through what we give."

Douglas M. Lawson



ABOUT US

N.A.B.S. rescues dogs for Forever Homes. We rescue animals from shelters who are perfect candidates to good homes, who would otherwise suffer from unjust euthanizing. WE ARE A NO KILL SHELTER. Each dog rescued is taken care of medically by veterinarians with physical exams, current shots and additional treatment (rabies, heartworms, etc.), and spaying or neutering. Each dog is fostered and cared for by our gracious volunteers to become lovable furry companions for families. "Dog is man's best friend." and we add to that: "a Forever Friend." Our Furry Children are unconditional in their love and will dedicate their love and loyalty to those families who foster and/or adopt them.



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