



SPOTS & AROOS

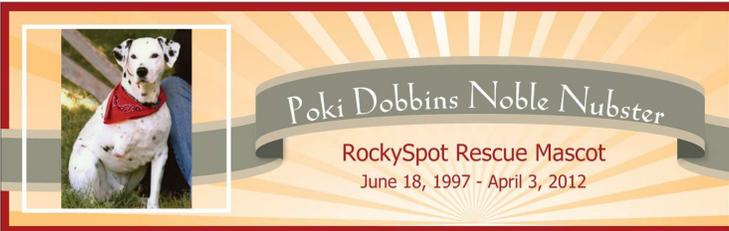


SUMMER 2012



THE END OF AN ERA

Unfortunately both Rockyspot Rescue and Oklahoma Beagle Rescue lost their respective mascots in April of this year.



RSR's Poki Dobbins's Noble Nubster

Surrendered to us in December of 1997 at the tender age of 6 months, because he was 'not handicapped' and the family complained he could almost climb a tree after a pesky squirrel and dig a hole faster than any four legged dog or faster with the help of his muddy muzzle. Born a son of RSR's Founding Dalmatian Poki Dobbins (Poki) we were told his mother accidentally chewed more than the umbilical cord at his birth, which left this little angel a tripod. It did

not slow him down though as he had NO clue he was different or special needs and never understood why the fuss. Over the years Nubby developed a worldwide fan club, who loved him from afar even pulling together to purchase a prosthetic leg so he could have a 'normal life'. But Nubby thought he already HAD a 'normal life' and could care less about prosthetic legs, the media or any other special attention (unless it was hugs and kisses or had food attached).

Going on to become a Certified Therapy Dog, for years he and his handler Sue Madison, visited and comforted other human 'tripods' in the VA Centers, nursing homes and hospitals in our area. As he aged, and the yummy treats handed out when he was at work switched to low calorie carrots and apples to keep his weight down, Nubby became weary of therapy work and retired full time as the RockySpot Mascot.

Even in his golden years, when only one front leg was making it hard to stand and bear his own weight he refused the beautiful front wheel cart that was bought in his honor. He fought to the end to stand on his own and succeeded more times than not! He was just shy of 15 yrs old when he went to the bridge and his last day was trying desperately to get up on his own. We knew then that this sweet determined spirit was never handicapped at all... and he would never WANT to be. We know you are now running free now Nubby.. FREE with FOUR LEGS under you and the wind in your ears, not the least bit handicapped.. but then you never were, were you? Run those squirrels to your heart's content sweet boy and oh the holes your two legs must be digging now! God Speed our Nubby Nubster!



OKBR's Bethany THE BEAN

Taken to the Bethany shelter in 2004, and like an old dependable car, traded in, without second thought, for a shiny, new model... a young puppy. This little, adorable, silly ball of happy fur had lost her purpose and was abandoned, unwanted and unloved, to be euthanized... her life over. Little did she know, she had another purpose in life, a very important mission and her life was JUST STARTING as she became OKBR's mascot and logo model!

In the years that followed, The Bean, as she became known due to her cute round belly, welcomed each new beagle into the OKBR rescue program with open sniffs and snorts. She knew the home was hers and she knew she was the matriarch and she wore that hat well. Playful at times, but laid back and calm most of the time, The Bean ruled her world with pride. Snoring louder than any dog ever (and many times, fully awake, with open eyes) The Bean sung us to sleep each night and let us know when it

was time to rise the next morning (and feed her of course). Happy dances and spins at feeding time were INVENTED by The Bean. And if not careful, she could and WOULD eat her DOUBLE or TRIPLE weight in food (which she showed us more than once when the feed door was not shut properly). Contracting Cushings Disease later in life, she still forged on, always as, 'The Bean'. No one knows the real age of our little, furry girl when she left us, but we know she was ancient, and the day before was throwing a toy in the air playing by herself like she had not a care in the world. She must have realized her mission was accomplished! We will forever miss The Bean and will never sleep as well again without her sweet music to sooth us. God Speed Bethany THE BEAN! You have forever touched our hearts and souls and we will see (and hear) you again someday under the Rainbow.

CRASH!



Busy beagle nose to the ground, enjoying all the wonderful smells of a gorgeous new day in his young life, this beautiful beagle boy never saw what happened. The happy little nose suddenly smashed violently into the pavement with such extreme force that his jaw bone shattered, teeth flew and pain engulfed him. Flying thru the air at breakneck speed, bones relentlessly pulling from sockets as tendons and ligaments stretched and snapped, his tiny little body finally slammed painfully to the ground. And then it was all over, all was still, all was quiet..... and the smells of the beautiful day were all gone.

Please help us raise 'Cash for Crash!!' Help us fix Crash's broken body, try to save his jaw, and give him back a future FULL of the exciting smells of many, many more gorgeous new days in this young dog's life. Thanks to the generosity of so many folks Crash was kept out of pain and his jaw was put back into place with a plastic plate. Only time will tell if it will heal or have to be removed. But we do know that there may be many more surgeries in this little guy's near future. Help us raise Cash for Crash! By donating to his Firstgiving page TODAY!

<https://www.firstgiving.com/fundraiser/rockyspot-rescue/crashthebeagle>



WE CAUGHT IT!

Well it finally happened! After years of trying to avoid it and then years of frantically trying to catch it, although exhausted and bleeding, we finally have one successfully penned behind the kennels.

It has been a major struggle and even with the wonderful help from so many others (for which without we could not even begin to THINK about catching anything! Thank you all!) It was VERY difficult to corral especially since the creature we ended up catching was not the one we were prepared to catch. This one, being much bigger, younger and more powerful than what we were prepared for, has actually bitten us very hard causing significant damage for which it may take some time for our finances to recover. However, working with what we had, we had to 'turn to the experts' and even then it has also caused some slight damage to the kennel and has quite a few kinks to work out which we hope to have corrected soon.



Exhausted and bleeding from the wounds sustained in its handling this week, we step back and wait and watch. Will we be able to maintain it? Being told it is a quiet and easy creature that will cause us no problems at all for many, many years, only time will tell how much it will cost to care for and if we can keep it happy. So far it seems perfectly content in its new home and has been lying back in its pen (yes, it now has a pen around it), quietly purring like a sweet little kitten with a full belly and has made everyone around it very happy and comfortable.

Like all wild creatures it is a thing of beauty and has earned all our respect and admiration. **Thank you to everyone who has made this possible FINALLY!!!** Help us welcome our new FIVE ton a/c unit.

HER DARKEST HOUR...



Adopted in January of 2011, after an extended time kept penned up in the rescue kennels, being a fence jumper, Joy lived up to her name and was FILLED with overwhelming 'JOY' as a big wide world had just opened up to her just waiting to be explored and experienced. She was FINALLY 'out of jail' and all her hopes and dreams were coming true. No more pens for her, and oh the sights, sounds and smells she had to explore. Then just a little over a year later, on one of the prettiest, brightest days of summer, Joy's world suddenly went drastically dark and all her dreams came crashing down around her imprisoning her once again, only this time it was permanent and much worse than before. She was blind, totally and irreparably BLIND.

Diagnosed with **SARDS** (Sudden Acquired Retinal Degeneration Syndrome) which many times has no known medical cause, Joy is frantic, stressed, scared, and deeply depressed. There is no treatment but going "suddenly" blind, as opposed to slowly, is a harsh adjustment and confoundingly confusing for a canine, especially one set to explore the world! No longer able to

travel overseas with her family, there were two options, euthanasia, or return her to the rescue. For a dog suddenly jerked out of the seeing world, the rescue is a HORRIBLE place. It is alive with ever changing smells, sounds and things to bump into for a dog that has no idea even how to WALK without falling down a step or crashing into a wall, it is a living hell.

Joy NEEDS HELP NOW! She needs a stable non changing environment, at least long enough for her to adjust.

Please consider fostering Joy in (literally) her DARKEST hour of life.



FROM FREEDOM TO INDEPENDENCE



Taken ironically from an outside pen in FREEDOM, OK where he and 5 others had lived almost all their lives in solitary confinement with little to no human contact, our last **"Freedom Feral"** Dalmatian has found his forever foster/home... and where else but **INDEPENDENCE, MO!!** Pongo was the most feral and the most unadoptable and had us the most worried. Thank you Kathy for taking this little lost sparrow into your home and into your heart, being patient and letting him *"march to his own beat."*

From Kathy: "Pongo (now named Julian) is doing very well. No aggressive behaviors and two nights ago he hopped up on the sofa with me. He loves playing with the other doggies-and he's getting more relaxed about coming in with the other dogs for dinner, after being out in the yard. I do think 'ignoring' him is the key as he perceives even good attention as pressure, so until HE comes looking for attention, touch, he needs to *'march to the beat of his own drum, however measured or far away'*, as Thoreau said..."

This evening he played with Gabriel, Francis and Sophie. They play 'Let's-pretend-we-want-to-hunt-Gabriel'. Gabriel, as big as he is, LOVES it, and Julian (Pongo) got into the swing of things. As for coming in: He's getting less scared of leaving/entering the house into the yard. At first, he was scared to pass me at the door; but he goes out now w/o a problem, and is

slowly getting brave about coming back in. He comes up for head-scratching/petting now, although he doesn't really know why yet. He's imitating my others, so that's good anyhow.

It took a lot of abuse/neglect for him to get this way, and it'll take a lot of love and patience for him to become the baby he wants to be. Again, it's all inside him so in his time, and dear St. Francis's, he'll be a loving (trusting) boy (someday!) These innocents give us a million x what we give them." -- Kathy

UPDATES FROM OTHER "FREEDOM FERALS"

Sally Ann (Donna)

"Just a quick update on Sally Ann (formerly Donna). She sounds A LOT like Pongo except she's a little further along. She loves my husband Randy; but, she doesn't take to anyone else. LOL- she has bitten everyone but Randy including my elderly mother who merely walked by Sally Ann's bed. You can't walk close or by her bed without the fear of a quick bite to scare you away. We tried to socialize her with a beagle for a few days – that was a disaster as she hated the beagle. She loves playing with other dogs at the hangar but hates other dogs coming into our house. She loves walks too, but only if Randy is on the walk and she is NOT on a leash. She loves riding in the car and will let anyone pet her while she's in the car – she doesn't love it but she won't bite in the car. Her habits such as these are all very strange/conflicting but at least she's making slow, slow progress." -- Jennifer

Milo (Freckles)

"Here's the update on Milo (aka Freckles otherwise known as Pongo and Donna's son). He is a very loving little guy. He loves, loves, loves me (but on his own terms). He sleeps with us at night on the bed and literally lies on top of me or beside me or between my legs on top of the bedspread (had to replace the nice bedspread with an old one b/c he would claw at the covers!). He also loves my 16 year old daughter, but she's an animal lover. As for my husband, he likes him (e.g. no longer growls or charges him but because we reversed who would feed him, let him out, etc.). Milo has taken to hopping in the car for rides with Zoe (our other Dalmatian) and I can now corral him on the bed and put a leash on him and walk him and he loves, loves, loves that! The only negative is that he still chews if we leave something around for him. Also, the most disappointing is he does NOT like my 18 year old daughter. He literally charges her and has broken the skin. Lynn Younger has sent me some sprays that seem to be working. I just think he's trying to protect the family that has made him feel special and since she's not that type, she hasn't made him feel special. Good news is she leaves for college in 6 weeks! Will he ever hop into my lap, probably not but he's sure a happy, happy thing and he and Zoe love each other. She gives him a daily bath and vice versa so they certainly have bonded. He even now lets me bathe him (gently though!). I truly think the key was leaving him alone, ignoring him and not letting him think he had the upper hand on me/us. He's a keeper!" -- Tracy

Peanut, Roxi and Ande (Bambi)

If our three weren't all together I think it would be a lot worse than it is for us! Peanut is probably the best out of all but he still has his problems. They do not like to be separated!! We just ignore them when they are being feral!! They are super friendly in the morning!!!! Roxi then goes into her safe space on the couch where she stays most of the time and Ande just goes outside where she chases and watches squirrels all day and into the night when she comes to bed! Peanut will act pretty normal but sometimes his feral ways come out. Apparently he had the advantage of some human interaction at the mill and the fact that he was there less time than the girls probably helps out. --Eda

HEARTBREAKING GOODBYES



Poki's Blue Velvet - Better known as 'Velvet' to her family and friends, who was adopted from Rocky Spot in the summer of 1997, passed away today at the age of 16. Velvet, not the brightest crayon in the box, was nevertheless the most sweet-tempered, loving dog a family could ever be blessed by. In her 15 years as part of our family, she watched and celebrated with us as her two "sisters" (my human daughters Erin and Megan) graduated from middle school, high school and college. She (provisionally) approved of Erin's new husband, allowing him to join the family. And she's probably the ONLY reason the woman who is now my wife agreed to go out on that first date with me. In short, she had a long and good life as part of a loving family who will miss her dearly. I thought you would like to know, and I wanted to thank you for all the joy Velvet brought to me and my family. ~ Dan S

David Lee Pape ~ On July 3, 2012, David Lee Pape, adopted home 'family', friend and supporter of RockySpot, went to meet some of his four legged friends at the Rainbow Bridge. He and his wife Vicki, have been regular supporters of RockySpot for many years. He will be greatly missed by us, his wife and daughters, and countless friends, especially canine companions, Ozzy & Wally, who loved him dearly.

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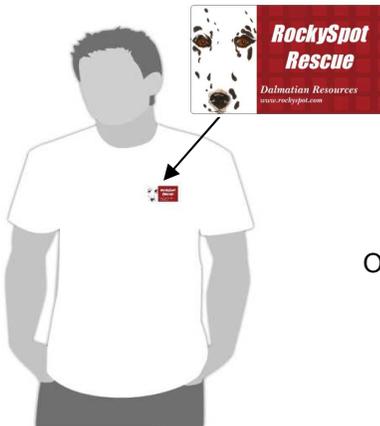
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CAMPING WITH THE STARS ~ UPDATE!

A standing ovation to all the temporary foster homes that participated in **Camping with the Stars** this year! THANK YOU for opening your home and your heart for a couple of weeks to one (or more) of the homeless kennel dogs so that they could get some much needed one-on-one house time away from the loneliness and isolation of their kennel run! This is so important because ANY house time makes them more adoptable by making them more attractive to those who are looking for a pet! AND so important as well because it allowed their main caretakers, Theresa and Chuck some valuable R&R time away from the kennels (making them more attractive? Hmm... maybe not! But they so NEEDED it anyway! LOL) THANK YOU!



And a special thank you to the volunteers who made sure the 3 rescue dogs (**Shooter, Paisley and Rascal**) left in the kennels was happy and cared for in our absence. (We heard they had a party every single day!!)

UPDATE: We are happy to report that 2 of the 3 dogs left at the kennels and not chosen for **Camping with the Stars** this year found forever homes as soon as we got back! YOU GO Shooter and Rascal! Paisley hang in there your home will come darling!!

DISASTER RELIEF MISSION 2012**COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO**

As the Waldo Canyon fire exploded and raged out of control, reaching epic proportions with 65 mph winds, and as the 2 mile wide wall of fire shot flames upward 7 stories high, raced mercilessly down on the town of Colorado Springs, CO, a cold, sickening, helpless feeling washed over those at the RSR/OKBR rescue as horrendous paralyzing memories came flooding back of another uncontrollable wind-fueled wildfire destroying miles and miles of Oklahoma pastures, homes and barns as it raced relentlessly toward RSR/OKBR kennels and dozens of helpless dogs just a short year ago.

Lightheaded and dizzy with fear and dread, yet glued helplessly to the computer, watching breathlessly as the most destructive fire in Colorado history forced the evacuation of over 32,000 homes, burned 18,500 acres/29 sq miles of Colorado forest, destroyed 346 beautiful homes, and took the lives of 2 elderly homeowners, RSR's president felt she had lived this nightmare with them and could not stop shaking as it engulfed her every waking moment. Thankfully, it was that time of the year the rescue dogs went to "camp" allowing their exhausted caretakers time to head for the peaceful, relaxing mountains of the San Juan's in Colorado to rejuvenate. Instead, this year, our presidents headed to Colorado Springs to see what they could do to help and joined the Disaster Relief Mission.

"Being able to go and do something, anything to help, whether it was working the first FREE garage sale for the victims who lost everything, digging thru the ashes of their homes (and lives) for ANYTHING salvageable or just holding hands, crying and listening was a very surreal yet therapeutic experience. We helped heal each other and the whole town wrapped its arms around us all. The Spirit of Colorado Springs is truly amazing. Thank you to everyone who fostered dogs and allowed us this most amazing opportunity to be able to go and be of some help to those whose lives were forever changed by the Colorado Wildfires."



With Disaster Relief in the Mountain Springs Addition in Colorado Springs.



Working the FREE garage sale

THANK YOU FOR THE AWESOME "Where Are They Now??" UPDATES

If we have not heard from you please consider sending a brief note/photos to wherearethey@rockyspot.com or drop a line in the mail (photos will be returned if requested). This would put smiles on EVERYONES faces!

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Raisele (Sookie) Raisele (pronounced RAY-zeh-la), formally Sookie when we adopted her in 2010, is wonderful, and a little crazy. She and our high-energy toddler are best buds.

Raisele is thriving in our suburban neighborhood, and is only naughty when she digs for moles or chases people or dogs who dare to walk on the other side of the fence. Raisele is a very happy girl, and she shows her excitement by whipping her tail at almost lethal top speed, all the time. Thanks for saving Raisele so we could adopt her! -Tara



Dewey Hi folks from OKBR, this is a picture of our wonderful Dewey. He's still going strong at eight years of age. We've added a couple of human babies over the years, and Dewey has accepted them extremely well. We couldn't have asked for a better beagle. - Stephanie G

Bear (Midnight) Just to let you know we had to send Bear (Midnight) to the Rainbow bridge. She was a loving dog, we think she was at least 16 years old. She was the black lab that went to Minnesota. We now have 2 Dalmatians that are seniors. WE love them so much! How can I send a small donation? -Lori G



Sadie She says hi and that she likes to watch us fish. See the attached pic. She's with us in Durango. -Suzanne



Roxie She looks like a little bee with the yellow. Jack LOVES her so much they sleep together at night now..... - Petra K

Update: Roxie left for the bridge before this newsletter published. She was home and had just eaten supper and collapsed, then she sat up and ate dessert as her mom held her and then she just went to sleep. God Speed sweet Roxie our little bee... Enjoy buzzing around at The Bridge until your mommy and Daddy get there!



Lacey Here is pic of Lacey in her new backyard. - David S



Abbi You just have no idea how I loved Abbi. She was such a great companion and she was such a good dog. She was perfect for me because she wasn't hyper, she was very quiet and when I slept, she slept. After Oreo I didn't think I could go thru this again but then came wonderful, sweet, loving Abbi. She was just so special. ...I think about her every day and miss her every day. -Gay

Daphne We HAVE moved...to Portland, Oregon, can you believe it? Daphne LOVES the cooler weather! -Erin

Bullet He is still with us. He's the perfect dog! -Jill R

Shiloh & Shelby The pups are fantastic! Just being their normal food obsessed selves! -Shasta B



Leo (Chief) He is doing great and is very happy beagle. He seems to be wanting to play a lot more recently than when he first came home, but he adjusted immediately and found his place on the bed, sofa etc. He's taking a snooze on the bed now and just said to say Hi and that he misses everyone in OK, but he

loves it in Texas! - Ira

Ruby & Rowdy Just wanted to write to you and let you know how much I (we) love our new home. I, Ruby, was pretty skittish at first, I stayed close to my brother and stayed in my crate even though I didn't have to. But now I'm right at home.



There are beds for Rowdy and I all over the house (even though we chose to sleep in Mom's bed now). Mom packed up our crate and put it in a closet because we didn't need it

anymore. We have a doggie door (that I'm not afraid of) and we get to go explore our 1.5 acre yard anytime we want. I personally like to go out real early in the morning and follow the rabbit trails. I haven't caught one yet but I'm sure I will soon. Here are some pictures of me (and Rowdy). My favorite one is of me with my new toys that Mom got for me. I'm still kind of scared of squeakers and she found me some that have crinkle paper instead!! I just love them, I carried them around with me for a long time so Rowdy didn't get them. Maybe I'll share with him sometime. - Ruby (and mom Cheri)

Megan She is doing well! -Pete



Molly She is doing well though she is aging. She can no longer take the long walks that we used to enjoy. But she is still in charge of the other dogs and much loved. -Mary B.

Cooper (Malcolm) It's hard to believe that it has been a year (June 4) since we adopted Cooper from the rescue! In the past few months, he has really settled in and I am pretty sure that he is the most perfect dog!....Kasey and I are so grateful to you for taking him in and for the care that you give all of the animals. - Jennifer

Roxi Awesome newsletter Roxi & Niki are doing REALLY well at age 10. Roxi is still my number one soulmate but she makes room for Hershey to sit next to me if he is really needy. Roxi is in excellent shape and still wary of any new people but she loves her family SO much, especially my hubby... Niki is still the gentle sweet loveable happy go lucky "clown" in the family who keeps Roxi from taking life too seriously. - Sue L

Bailey I still have Bailey!! ...She is doing just fine... she's always been a complicated girl, but I do love her For some reason Bailey has always been angelic to me... she's very loyal and protective of her mama! It's just hard for her to warm up to others.-Becca

We have received lots of updates, which we LOVE, there are too many to list here. **More UPDATES in next newsletter!!**

TWO + TWO = WHOO HOO!

FOUR of our **LONG TERM** hard to place dogs have been adopted! **TWO** formally "Forgotten Ones" and **TWO** formally "Solitary Confinement's"...

PINKY!



CARL the CowDog



COWETA



SHOOTER



READER COMMENTS:

- ◆ Love the newsletter on line, better than the hard copy. Thank you for making such a wonderful effort to spread the word of precious Dals for all to see. Unless you have had a Dal, you don't know what it is like to be loved. -Nancy C
- ◆ Love the newsletter online. I will take some new pictures of the Box o'Rox to send to you. - Kim J
- ◆ Aroos to all the spots and nots---great newsletter -Ethel
- ◆ Aww! You mentioned me! You need to know that seeing my name in there just MADE my day! -Ashely
- ◆ I like the online version -J Shelton
- ◆ Love it!! Great job! -MaRee
- ◆ Thanks for the newsletter --- please keep me on the list and I'll share with Alli and Tater! -Cindy Jo
- ◆ God Bless you, your family and all of your four-legged friends! -Victoria
- ◆ Looks GREAT! -Lisa
- ◆ Thanks for all you do. We feel blessed to be a part of the Rocky Spot family. -Dave and Jackie P
- ◆ Thank you for the newsletter. Please keep us on the e-mail newsletter list. - Paul and Freda



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Sammie Titus
Gus Herendeen
Roxie Kirchstein
Haylee Linden

"Just because they die, she said, doesn't mean they go away." - Brian Andreas

WELCOME TO OUR RSR/OKBR FAMILY

JAN

Haylee – The McPherson Family, Great Bend, KS
 Donna - The Ball Family, Mabank, TX
 Lucky Bones -- The Hung Family, San Angelo, TX
 Faith Petunia -- The Washington/Dozier Family, Oberlin, OH
 Tebow– The Einer Family, Broken Arrow, OK
 Bo – The Dubose Family, Edmond, OK
 Zena – The Jones Family, Edmond, OK
 Turbo – The Mattos Family, Oklahoma City, OK
 Tucker – The Beavin Family, Edmond, OK
 Depot – The Larson Family, Nichols Hills, OK
 Gretchen – The Wilson Family, Oklahoma City, OK
 Molly – The Fleming Family, Oklahoma City, OK

FEB

Fernando – The Bakkensen Family, Portland, OR
 Freckles– The McKenzie Family, Tulsa, OK
 Dottie & Sophie – The Jones Family, Harrah, OK
 Nadia – The Buttry Family, Newcastle, OK
 Luna – The Roche Family, Blanchard, OK
 Ainsley – The Allee Family, Oklahoma City, OK
 Scrappy & Scooby – The Gibson Family (assisted), Guthrie, OK

MAR

Lemon- The Alworth Family, Oklahoma City, OK
 Nelline– The Hester Family, Yukon, OK
 Oliver – The Holden Family, Tulsa, OK
 Veronica– The Davis Family, Keller, OK

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Cinnamon – The Crofford Family (assisted), Oklahoma City, OK
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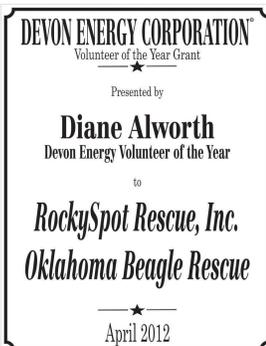
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A BIG thank you once again to **Shelley and Kevin Hogle** of Holly, Michigan, who coordinate on a model horse exhibition each year, gathering all the items to raffle and sell to which all proceeds benefit four animal charities. Thank you so much for once again choosing RockySpot Rescue as one of the chosen four! And a big thank you to Gina Hyatt and Karen Zorn, RSR dedicated adopted homes and long distance volunteers for making this possible!



From the Chesapeake Energy website: “Two Oklahoma City employees used their Operation Blue time to volunteer with an organization that they are passionate about – the Rocky Spot Dalmatian Rescue.”

Thank you Angie for bringing Tammi and you both volunteering your companies Operation Blue Time (and for getting us spotlighted on the Chesapeake Energy Website), but also for your dedicated, loyal, and dependable donation of so much of your personal time as well, to benefit the dogs at RockySpot and OK Beagle Rescue.



We are proud to announce that **Diane Alworth** won the **Devon Energy Volunteer Award for 2012** which benefited the dogs as well with a \$3,000 grant to be used for their care. Thank you Diane for your many long hours and dedicated work volunteering for the dogs at RockySpot/OK Beagle in order to help make their lives better!



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FEATURED DOGS IN NEED!



My name is TY-SON and I am a little boy who loves, loves, loves his human and will protect you endlessly. I am full of bouncy life which is very unusual for a middle aged guy like me. I get along with everything four legged and two legged and to top that off I am housebroken to a doggie door. All I want in my whole life is you... and treats, in that order. I do love them treats so much I can't tell what a finger is or what a treat is. But I am learning!! Would love to come home and be your love... even if you don't have treats. I will wait here for you.

Hello...my name is GISELLE. I'm a beautiful medium spotted sweet lady, about 5 years old, I think, since it hard to count on my toes. I am almost done with my L-O-N-G Heartworm treatment and ready to get OUT of these kennels cause I do NOT belong here. I need to be in the middle of your bed and make YOU the center of attention! Just you and me, and me and you. THAT IS ALL I WANT! I usually get along with kids and cats but they tend to start things and then blame me! HONEST! All you need is ME and all I need is YOU... are you ready?



SHELBBIE HERE! Middle aged beagle, happy with whatever life throws me, I will make the most of it! I am doing so now, as I am living at the kennels when I should be in a nice soft home! Come see my easy going nature and my happiness... It will infect you and you will be happy too! I am very outspoken though and I do not mind telling you how happy I am either, OR what I want and need. I will let you know!! Rright now I NEED YOU and I am for sure letting you know AROOOOOOO

I AM PAISLEY! The family who found me tried to keep me but I kept 'herding the 5 kids", someone HAD to keep them in line you know!!! But I guess a year old energetic half 'herding' dog like me was way too much work for the family to take on. SOOO I went to the shelter and now I am here! I was in a temp foster home for a bit and they LOVED me... but again I kept all the kids in line herding them ;-) AND jumping on the trampoline with them heh heh.. that is SOOOO exciting.. ok maybe too exciting.. Come see me and make me part of YOUR family. I will help keep things in line I promise! I am currently living in the rescue kennels.



My name is McBRIDE and I am around 4 1/2 -5 yrs old and just the most handsome boy ever as you can see. I am the bomb yes I am!! House broken and loving... I will love you FOREVER.. I just need someone who will love ME forever too. And not be afraid of my head tilt from Rocky Mtn Spotted Fever I had like FOREVER ago. It is gone now. The tilt makes me CUTE as I zoom around playing with you. Is there anyone out there who will think it is cute too? I will never give up hope! I know my forever home is out there! Mad about you!

Hi! I'm WILLIE! My family moved and left me behind. Some kind people made sure I made it to the rescue since

I'm only a puppy and wouldn't make it on my own. I love to play with other dogs and with my toys. I like playing with the tennis ball even though it is almost as big as my head and I am FINALLY house broken. I also love to cuddle and will sleep snuggled next to you if you let me in your bed. Please come and take me home with you so I can have a forever home. I promise I don't take up much space.

