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Providing safety and healing for Maltese dogs in need

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Another success story!

Madison Now Free of Pain for the First Time in Her Life

Madison lived for 6 years in a puppy mill in constant pain because of a badly deformed leg. The foot bone was not attached to her leg bone; and when she tried to walk on it, she was actually walking on the end of her leg bone. Her foot just flopped around. We made the decision to amputate the leg. Since the operation, she is doing amazingly well. In fact Madison was dancing around the day after surgery!

In addition, Madison was so badly matted and her hair was so full of feces, it was impossible to shave her. So she had to be sedated to be shaved down. And look what a little doll was hiding under all that mess! The great news is that Madison has been adopted and is now loving her life in Florida with her new family!

Pictured above is Madison at the airport meeting her new mom, Maureen West. Surgery like Madison's is expensive. SCMR could not save dogs like Madison without the generous donations of our wonderful supporters. Remember, donations are tax deductible. 🐾



Love at First Sight for Charlie *by Evelyn Brevard*

The last of August I went to pick up a rescue dog, part Maltese and part Poodle. He was a shy and afraid little fellow that had been in a couple of foster homes. I went to Louisville, KY to pick him up.

I live in the mountains of Western North Carolina. Charlie met me at the door and let me pick him up and I believe this was love at first sight for both of us. We started bonding from the beginning.

He has become a wonderful dog; and is not very shy now. He meets everyone at the door with a bark and a wagging tail. He goes up to them and wants them to pet him. He loves to play in the yard and will even venture to the neighbor's for some petting. He loves to play fetch with a ball. He goes and gets them every time. However, he doesn't bring them back because they are his balls. He has a box of toys and knows they are his. He is very protective of them, especially his toy duck foster mom "Jeanie" gave him.

He eats very well and now needs to be put on a diet. He sleeps with me and my two other Maltese rescue dogs. He likes to snuggle up close to me in the bed. He is a lazy boy in the mornings and likes to sleep in some. If it is raining he uses the paper I have in the house.

The biggest part of Charlie's adjusting so well was because of the care the foster mom's gave him. They have given him a wonderful start for the adoptive mom.

Well, what can I say about Charlie but he is like a rose bud that has flowered out into a beautiful rose. He is a perfect little dog and so special to me. 🐾

PILOT MIKE'S SPOT



Mike Krizansky, a pilot with Pilots N Paws, has been of incalculable assistance in helping SCMR by flying rescued dogs to foster homes! On October 18th, Mike flew a planeload of new dogs to New Jersey to be fostered. Flying ace that he is, Mike turned around on the 24th and again flew his namesake, "Pilot Mike" (as pictured), and several other puppy mill survivors to New Jersey!

November saw another trip to New Jersey with nine dogs! And another life saving flight is scheduled for just before Christmas.

Little "Pilot Mike" has since been adopted and is calling the shots in his new home! Thank you Mike and Pilots N Paws! Your generous donation of time and resources is helping to save many deserving lives. 🐾

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Arthur Deserves the Royal Treatment!

Talk about sweet... this little guy will steal your heart in a minute! Arthur came to SCMR along with eleven others from a puppy mill bust in Kentucky. Unfortunately, Arthur has tested positive for heartworm disease. He is going to have to undergo an expensive treatment which is difficult for them to go through. Arthur will not be available for adoption for another two months; but if you are looking for a five pound cuddle bunny, Arthur's your boy! A donation for Arthur's treatment in someone's name would make a meaningful Christmas present! 🐾

Missouri Puppy Mill Six Find Sanctuary

SCMR received a call from a fellow rescue about six Maltese who were in need of being placed. We took these terribly neglected and scared kids under our wing and have given them the best care available. Each dog was badly matted, the hair embedded with feces. Their nails were so long, they curled around and made a full circle. Several dogs could not see because the hair on the top of their heads was matted to the hair on their faces. Many could hardly move because of dense matting on their legs. We were unable to determine where Melony's ears were because they were completely matted to her neck. It took two hours to slowly cut through the matts to free her ears, so they could be shaved. Already, three of these six have been adopted!!!!!! With your continued support, we can save more puppy mill victims! 🐾

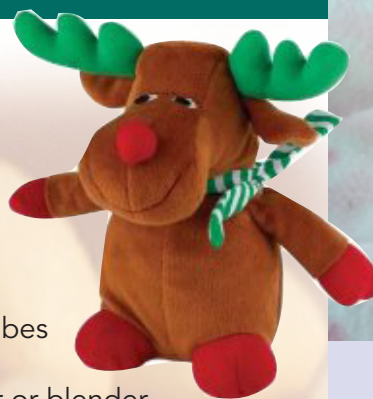


TREATS FOR TRICKS!

Muttzoh Balls

- 1 cup Any natural dry dog food
- 2 Eggs, beaten lightly
- 1 teaspoon Polyunsaturated oil
- 1/3 cup Cold water
- Sprinkle of garlic powder
- 1/2 cup Chicken soup OR 2 chicken bouillon cubes

Grind dry dog food smooth in a food processor or blender. Lightly beat egg and add oil. Mix all moist ingredients together except soup. Add to dry ingredients. Form into 1/2" balls. In large pan, bring 1 quart water to boiling to which you have added 1/2 cup chicken soup or the 2 bouillon cubes. Drop balls into boiling water. Boil for 3 minutes. Remove from water, drain and cool. Refrigerate. 🐾



Angels Among Us

Thank you to our Angels! We appreciate every kindness, whether it be a donation of Frontline, towels or assistance with a transport. Any and all monetary donations are greatly appreciated, no matter how large or small! 🐾



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Little Marshmallow Saves the Day

by Nikki Franko

Hi! I adopted Marshmallow (16 years old) on October 9, 2009. His foster mom Wendy drove him to me from Lexington, KY to Greeneville, TN. He is loving his new home. He likes to go to the barn to see (and smell) the horses. He has learned to ask to go for walks in the woods and to play with his new siblings.

He loves curling up on the bed on his electric blanket and watching TV at night. He's not liking not having teeth anymore but is not letting that stop him from eating all he wants!

His new best friend, a Maltese named Isabella, and he are never more than a few feet apart. I think he's happy with his life, and has adjusted very well.

We thought we were saving him, but it turns out he was saving us all along. We thought he needed us, but it turns out that we're the ones that needed him.



Marshmallow snuggles up to his new brother!

I thank God for all that you (SCMR) do. Please don't ever stop. You gave us a piece of our family that we didn't even know was missing.

Thank you, God Bless
Nikki Franko 🐾