

Wrinkle Time

October 2009

Upcoming Gathering Dates:

November 1st, 11 am

Location: Pet Supplies
Plus, Burnsville, MN

Halloween Costume
Contest



What is Dracula's favorite kind of dog?
A blood hound.

What do you call a bug that bothers dogs on Halloween? A
trick-or-flea!

Why did the skeleton climb a tree?
Because a dog was after its bones...

How does a friendly dog greet you on Halloween?
"Lick or Treat!"

What would you get if you crossed a werewolf with a
vampire?
A fur collar that fastens itself to your neck or a mad
dog that chases airplanes!

What do skeletons have nightmares of?
Dogs



No Bull. Just fun

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Good Deeds

October Rescue News

Coming up in November during Thanksgiving week is the BCA Nationals. The Nationals is the "show of shows" for Bulldogs and people come from all over the country goes to attend this week-long event. The Bulldog Club of America Rescue Network (BCARN) is a national organization and our local rescue group, Love-a-Bull MN Bulldog Rescue is a local "chapter" of BCARN. Every year, BCARN holds a silent auction every year in conjunction with the Nationals.

The BCARN silent auction is the primary fundraiser for the BCARN Disaster Fund and to pay extraordinary expenses incurred by local rescue groups in the form of grants. BCARN Director, Stefanie Light has asked me to help get the word out to ask people to donate items for the silent auction. If you have any nice Bulldog-related items that you would like to donate to the BCARN silent auction, please contact me at: rita@reingoldbulldogs.com and I can bring the items along with me. If you are attending the Nationals, you may bring the item(s) yourself instead, if you prefer.

There will be a parade of rescue dogs at this year's Nationals in Kansas City, Missouri. If you would like more information about that, check out the Nationals website at: <http://www.2009bcanationals.com/pg016.html> or contact me for more info. Once again, there will be a "Sponsor a Rescue" fundraiser in conjunction with the rescue parade. For a donation of \$100 that you can split this with others for a total of 4 people/kennels your names will be announced at the time your "sponsored rescue" Bulldog is brought out. Every dog will have its own story told as it makes its way around the show ring and each entrant will receive a "goodie bag" and a rosette.

You can designate which BCARN affiliated rescue group you would like the donation to go to. Or if you prefer, you can designate that all or part of the donation go to BCARN, which is the national organization of Bulldog Rescue. See the next page for the sponsorship application or you can contact me for more info about sponsoring a rescue Bullie.

Now for some local rescue news:

Love-a-Bull MN Bulldog Rescue has three dogs that need new homes. First to arrive was Gizzy. She is four years old and is a "special needs" Bully. She has a very small trachea and as a result, has chronic bronchitis. She seems to manage OK, but sounds like a percolating coffee pot at times. She is cute as can be and very sweet tempered and well behaved. She was surrendered because owners had a new baby and said they didn't have enough time to give to Gizzy.



Good Deeds

Howie is just a youngster, just a year and a half old. He was surrendered because of housetraining issues at his former home. Hopefully, a change in environment and some behavior modification will help him stop this unfortunate habit.

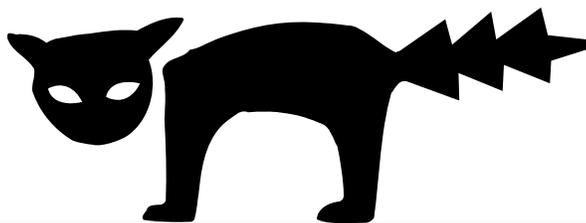
Bacon is also a young dog, as he just turned two years old in June. He is a casualty of the recession. His owners had to move in with relatives, but were not allowed to take their dog with them. Bacon is a happy, playful Bully boy who is in good health except for allergy "issues". He is on allergy shots and needs an injection every 21 days. So the family who adopts Bacon cannot be squeamish about needles. They are quite small though as insulin syringes are used for his injections.



Jill is coming into rescue because of health issues of the owner and he can no longer care for her. Jill is four years old. She has no serious health issues, and her temperament is good. She does have some difficulty moving her back legs. It is not a serious issue, but few stairs are necessary for the home that she will need to go to.

Bulldogs who are abandoned seems to be happening more and more these days. The recession has affected so many things in the US and Bulldog rescue is no exception. If you are able, please consider a donation to Bulldog Rescue.

-- Rita Guthmiller
Love-a-Bull MN Bulldog Rescue Coordinator



Sponsor a Rescue

2009 BCA NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW WEEK

KANSAS CITY, MO



2009 BCA National

"SPONSOR A RESCUE BULLY"

BCARN PARADE OF RESCUE 2009

Names & Kennel names to be listed (please print CLEARLY): _____

Sponsorship amount: \$ _____

(Minimum donation of \$100. You can split this with others for a total of 4 people/kennels.)

Rescue group to receive funds (you may choose any BCARN affiliated rescue):

If you do not specify, or chose a non-BCARN rescue the funds will go to BCARN's general fund

If you would like notification of when your chosen rescue group receives the donation please put email or mailing address below: _____

Make checks payable to Love-a-Bull MN Bulldog Rescue with memo line of "Rescue Parade".

Due by November 1st, 2009

Mail to: RITA GUTHMILLER

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BELLE PLAINE, MN 56011

COME TO OUR HALLOWEEN PARTY

November 1st, 11 am
Location: Pet Supplies Plus, Burnsville, MN
Halloween Costume Contest

I need volunteers!

I need help for the November 1st Halloween Costume Contest and party...

I need a volunteer to organize treats [human (and dog if wanted!).]

I need at least 3 people to show up a little early and decorate.

I need at least 2 people to stay late and clean up the decorations.

Thank you,
Karen



Awards This Year:

Best Costume
Scariest
Cutest
Most creative
Wildest
Silliest
Dressed to Kill
and possibly
Honorable Mention

You Wrote the Caption



Andy

Circle me, Bert!
This fall fieldwork is killer!
Shh...I think the hose is attacking me....
Hey, Ma how about hosin' me down again???? It's hot out here:
A bulldog's best friend in the summer
Why won't anyone play with me. I have this fun hose and everything.
I am so confused right now.
Did you purchase this trap at Cabela's? That bait is huge!
Bulldog Feng Shui, position the bulldog in the circle of life and point in the direction of the shade.
Bulldog terrible two's.
When you said a trip to Cold Stone I thought I was getting ice cream.
Ha-ha! They will never see me behind this hose!
Okay, I am helping out with the whole watering the lawn thing.
Water all around and nary a drop to drink!
Tag, you're it. I'm on safety, you can't get me!
The evil hose has trapped our hero, will our hero awake in time, will the hose grow tighter, tune in next week...
"Mom said that a Bulldog should always have water available in the summer time...think this is what she means?"
"Water, water everywhere, but not a drop to drink."

You Write the Caption

Cupid



**You write the caption. Send your caption to Karen at
karen@pantheonbulldogs.com
*Now remember this is a FAMILY newsletter. :)***

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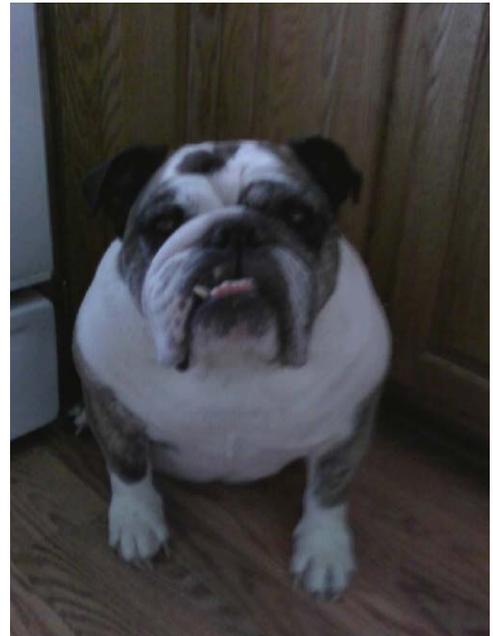
Billy's birthday september 1st, Betty's birthday october 1st. Billy turned 3 September 1st, Betty will be 2 October 1st!!! Thanks, Ryan Gina Billy and Betty!



Cupid is 4 on October 4th.
Deb & Don

Emmy is going to be 9 on October 28th! -
Tara

Winsor will be 9 on Oct. 28, Olivia will be 5
on Oct. 17 and Elvira will be 3 on Oct. 23 -
Sheryll



Upcoming Shows

Shakopee, MN
November 21st and 22nd

St. Cloud, MN
December 5 and 6th



You Know You've Been Owned by Bulldogs Too Long When...

You Know You've Been Owned by Bulldogs Too Long When:

- ◆ the Snoring, Yawning and Farts are second nature!
- ◆ you have a lint roller in every room of the house
- ◆ you can't walk out of pet store less than \$100
- ◆ their food sounds more appetizing than yours
- ◆ they start taking you for walks
- ◆ there is a 2' high snark ring around your house...and your car interior
- ◆ you can't fall asleep on your non-dog vacation because there's no snoring in the hotel room
- ◆ you hear screaming kids on an airplane and for the life of you can't figure out how your bully friend could be any worse
- ◆ you think a sneeze in the face is a sign of love
- ◆ you prefer puppies to children
- ◆ your idea of a perfect mate is chubby, short, and wrinkly
- ◆ your vocabulary consists of one word sentences
- ◆ you see your veterinarian more than your human doctor
- ◆ when you are feeling ill you go to the dog medicine cabinet before calling your human doctor
- ◆ you've had to add on to the house to hold your bulldog collectibles
- ◆ you've ever ordered a happy meal for the toy because it looked like a bulldog
- ◆ cars, homes, and beds are all bought with the bully's comfort in mind
- ◆ you are tripping all over a lazy Bulldog who won't get out of your way, but yet you find yourself automatically telling him/her you're sorry
- ◆ you make clothing purchases based on how whether or not slobber/dried drool will easily show up on the fabric
- ◆ you never notice your dog snoring unless a visitor asks you about it
- ◆ they take up more room in the bed than you do!
- ◆ you consider dog hair an accessory and a spice!

Keep sending them and I'll keep adding them! We will see what we can do about putting this list to good use on merchandise!