

# Wrinkle Time

September 2010



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### Upcoming Gathering Dates:

October 10th, 11 am (Halloween Costume Contest and Party)

November 14th, 11 am (We are working on some bulldog education for this gathering)

All above gatherings are at Pet Supplies Plus in Burnsville, MN.

No Bull. Just fun

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# From Nose to Tail

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This section is intended for questions and answers (as well as opinions) about what has worked best in your house for things from nose wrinkles to tear stains to tail pockets. Keep in mind this is not veterinary advice and what works for one bulldog may not work for the next.

Our first topic is tail pockets. If your bulldog has an inverted tail, or tail pocket, what do you do and what do you use to keep them from getting nasty, and ultimately infected?

# Halloween Party

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Our Halloween Party will be here before you know it! October 10th, 11 am at Pet Supplies Plus in Burnsville, MN. I'm asking for your help.

I need:

- 2-3 people to help me set up about 10:30 am
- 3-5 people to bring human treats and possibly human beverages
- 2-3 people to help me tear down and clean up after
- Someone NOT entering the contest with a dog to be our judge

Don't forget to bring a costume for your dog so you can participate in the costume parade and contest! There will be prizes and lots of laughs, of course!

# BCARN in Minnesota

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RESCUE NEWS --- BCARN in Minnesota

*The Times They Are A Changin'*...it may be lines to an old Bob Dylan song, but it also applies to rescue activities here in Minnesota. Our group of Bulldog Rescue volunteers here in Minnesota operated as a kind of "subgroup" of BCARN. We have been operating under the guidelines of the Bulldog Club of America Rescue Network (aka "BCARN"), but had our own name for our local rescue group. However, because of new insurance requirements, we will no longer be able to refer to ourselves as "Love-a-Bull MN Bulldog Rescue". Instead we must refer to ourselves as: **BCARN in Minnesota**. So, say goodbye to Love-a-Bull Rescue, but "Hello" to BCARN in Minnesota. Personally, I thought the old name was catchier; but we are still the same people doing things the same way, just using a new name.

Since we are using a new name, we will also be using a new name for our updates on rescue...Instead of "Good Deeds", rescue articles for the Wrinkle Time newsletter will now be titled: RESCUE NEWS --- BCARN in Minnesota

All dogs that I spoke of in the last edition of the newsletter are now in their new "forever" homes and all are doing very well. We even got to see "Mia" at the last Wrinkle Time meetup. It was so nice to see her and new "mom", Kelly. Kelly said that Mia is doing great. She still gets a bit excited on walks, but is coming along. Her house-training is going better than expected and all in all, she is doing wonderfully. Also at Wrinkle Time last month was Diane and former rescue dog, "Spring". Diane said that Spring is finally coming out of her shell and is acting like a different dog...no longer is she the scared and skittish "Nervous Nellie" that she was when she first came into rescue. It took her long enough, but better late than never!

George was the Bulldog that was found as a stray in late June that no one ever claimed. He is all fixed up now and doing well. Word is he loves hanging out on the couch with his new mom and dad. No more life on the streets for George!

Some people might feel that an adult Bulldog won't "bond" to their family, but that is not true. Due in part to their easy-going nature and outgoing personalities, the vast

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majority of rescue Bulldogs adapt well and adjust quickly into their new homes. This update on Lily illustrates how well rescue dogs can settle into a great life with their new families.

This is from Lily's new mom...

*It's been a month since Lily came home and I thought I would just give you an update. She is wonderful! I am impressed by how well she has fit in from the start. She is healthy and happy and loves her new home. Lily and Beau are best friends. She hasn't been bitchy or bossy with him at all. She loves to snuggle up next to him and catch a nap on the deck. Beau has tried to convince Lily to hop in the puppy pool and do a little swimming but she will have nothing to do with that, she prefers just to drink from the pool rather than hop in and cool down. He curled his lip at her a time or two when food was involved but we put a stop to that immediately. Other than that we haven't had a problem at all. I was expecting a few weeks of adjusting and settling in but that just hasn't been the case. Lily came in knowing her place and Beau knows his and it's like they have always been together.*

*I did pick up 2 wire crates so they both now have one. Beau seems to prefer Lily's crate and often in the mornings when I'm heading to work they both are in her crate and I have to kick him out and get him in his own. The first time they both got in her crate I laughed my head off. At that point I knew she was the right one, he doesn't want to be away from his girl ;-)*

*Lily has figured out toys and we do catch her playing with them from time to time. And, I have never seen someone so excited for a treat! Lily does this sideways run at you when you head to the cookie jar, makes me laugh every time.*

*I guess that's about it. I just wanted to thank you both for helping us with Lily. She is truly a sweetheart and we are all happy she has joined our family. We are truly*

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*blessed. Thank you!*

Rescue dogs can make great companions if the proper home is found for them. They all have their own unique needs and personalities. For some of them it takes us longer than others to find just the right home, but we try to make sure each dog has a family that is just the right fit. We've had a good success rate in finding these dogs the perfect "forever home" and we hope that continues. Thanks to all of you who help support our efforts in finding these good dogs great homes.



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# You Wrote the Caption



Too....many....margaritas.  
I feel soooo sick could someone lift the lid?  
Oh, my, I'm not 21 anymore!  
Mom, I'm too sick to go to school today!  
Think I'm gonna barf.  
Morning sickness...gonna kill me  
Can't believe I ate the whole thing?  
What did I eat!!!  
Oh', I shouldn't of had that last drink!!

Swine flu?

I heard Dad call this his throne, so I'd better do a good job of guarding it for him!  
Don't bother me, I might puke again!!!! Ohhhhhhhhhh my hango-  
ver!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Is it just me or is the room spinning?

Ohhh those ice cubes weren't frozen water!

You missed a great party.

Apparently what happens in Vegas does NOT stay in Vegas!

Jose Quervo is **not** a friend of mine.

I'm staying here until I get a bath.

Best place in the house to take a nap.

Did someone whisper TREATS?

They will never think to look for me here!

Bull flu?

Where am I?

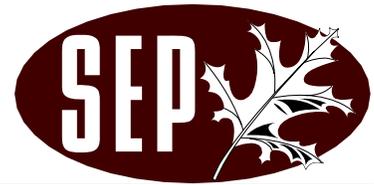
Dad said this was the "throne" but I don't really feel like royalty.

# Matilda

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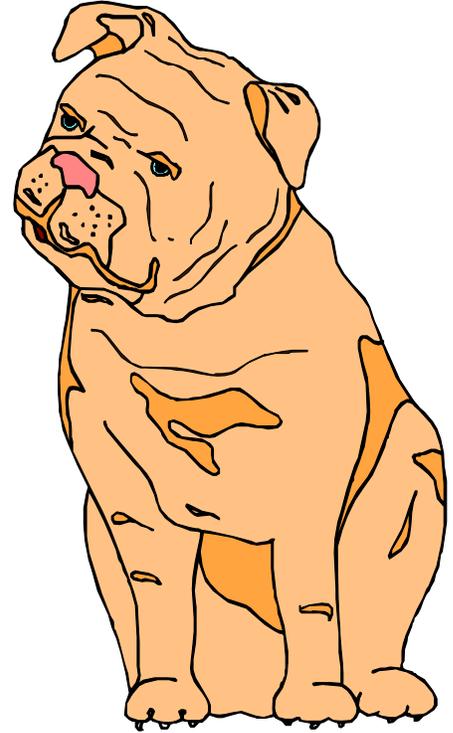


# Braggs

We have another famous Wrinkle Time Member! Sean and his bus are Vikings famous!  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jFOYrdm4p-6I>

BOB would like to give a Happy Birthday greeting to all his litter mates, Kai, Rubi, Matilda and Max!

Ch Nub CGC, TD received his second qualifying for agility over labor Day and his second qualifying in Rally obedience at the Albert Lea Show, 3 qualification competition runs are needed to earn a title in Novice. Nub is a French Bulldog.  
--Sonya



RIP Tank  
Tank - 8/7/2006 - 8/1/2010 -Robin

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