



## Chesapeake Cats and Dogs, Inc.

“Working to provide a life of love  
and dignity for all animals. “



(These kittens are looking for their forever homes. Many more are at the Center and in foster homes.)

Dear Friends,

August 26, 2007

### Adoptions

Lydia went to her new home in Chester. She is a beautiful, lovable kitten. The new mom Karen reports that they are really enjoying this cat. Mookie also went to her home in Grasonville. She sits next to her new mom to watch television. After being seen at Safeway our dog Lassie went home to her new family in New Jersey. Congratulations to all the new adopters.

### Safeway Opt to Adopt Day

On Saturday, August 18, we had a big day at the new Safeway in Chester. Many people stopped by our display to see the cats, dogs and to buy baked goods. Thank you to everyone who made this a successful event for our animal friends.



### Thank You Volunteers

We have said it before but we say it again, thank you to the many volunteers who help keep this organization running. This month we would like to thank 4 very special people who help in many ways. If there is a need, we know we can depend on them. Thank you Sharon Robertson, Kass Dushel, Nancy Hall and Bryan Hall. Also thank you to all the people who come to the Center in the mornings or evenings to clean, feed and love the cat residents. They include Bill and Joyce Barnes, Sheila Wentzel, Peter and Phyllis Lee, Kathy Hunter, Cindy Jenkins and her son, Judy and Matt Cravett, Anne Alberro, Nancy Wiley, Teresa Peruchi, Brian Lawn and Diane Bedlin and family. We welcome 2 new volunteers. Johnna Wentzel from Grasonville will be at the Center on Wednesdays from 10 AM to 2 PM to have it open to visitors and will be on the cleaning schedule plus driving kittens to Bev's Grooming. Glennis Beal has begun cleaning and feeding at the Center on Fridays. She will also help with driving cats to vet appointments. The Board welcomes you!



Thank you to everyone who has contacted us with their Food Lion MVP number. The Food Lion grocery stores have a Shop & Share program where a portion of every shopping purchase will be donated to your designated charity. Chesapeake Cats and Dogs Inc has been accepted into this program and will begin receiving quarterly checks from Food Lion. If you have not signed up with us yet, please call Phyllis Lee at 410-643-9351 or Joyce Barnes at the office number 410-643-9955 and give us your 12 digit MVP card number, your name and your daytime phone number. We will get your numbers registered and each time you shop, the cats and dogs will benefit. Again, thanks!

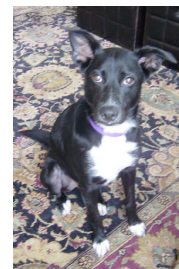
### Update on Rita

Our little kitten Rita who has severe nerve damage on her front right leg was taken to the veterinarian for the leg amputation. The bottom half of her leg is now contracted back to the top half. After observing Rita walking in her office, the vet decided she did not need to have the leg amputated at this time. It was not hindering the kitten's mobility. She was doing well on her 3 good legs. That was good news to all of us! The money we collected for her amputation has been set aside for a special medical fund called the Nelson Cheddar Fund. The money will be there for the next special needs animal we get.



## New Dogs in Foster Care

Two dogs and a puppy have entered our foster homes. Princess Diana is a very young lab mix. Isn't she a doll? Our snowy white Akita, Kiana, was a real hit at Safeway. Zach, a one year old Border Collie mix, is seen to the right. He is a real sweetheart.



## Wish List

At the Center we go through many paper towels in clean up plus the cats use a large amount of clumping cat litter. We do accept open bags of dry cat food and any type of canned food for the feral cat colonies that we feed daily. Don't throw out any cat food when the feral cats are hungry.

## Sheila & Ken Wentzel Visit Dog Shelter in Romania



For the past 2 years, Sheila and Ken have been helping Carmena and her daughter Patricia who run a shelter for 450 dogs in Romania. Sheila collected cash donations from CCAD board members and friends to bring to Carmena for the care of her dogs. Carmena is in desperate need to get some of the dogs moved out of her country and into homes. Sheila and Ken are making contacts to seek help for this center. The website is [proanimals@xnet.ro](mailto:proanimals@xnet.ro).



Go to this site and see some of the dogs you could sponsor. If you know anyone who could help this situation, please contact Sheila at 410-827-3148. Thanks to everyone who did donate to this worthy cause.

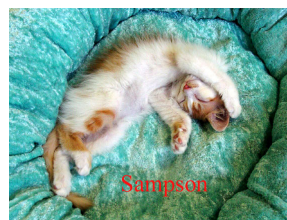
## Center Hours

The Center is now **open on Wednesdays from 10 AM until 2 PM** the same as **Thurs, Fridays, and Saturdays**. Then on **Sundays from 12 to 4**. We also open the Center any time that someone wants to make an appointment to see the cats. Our dogs are in foster homes so appointments with the foster parents are necessary to meet the dogs. The Center is in one of the green buildings across from Western Auto and next to Queenstown Bank on Kent Island. If you know where McDonalds is, our building is easy to spot.

## Whole Foods "Giving Grill"

The Annapolis Harbour Center is the place to go for lunch on Saturday, September 8<sup>th</sup>. The Whole Foods grocery story will have a cook out called "The Giving Grill" to benefit Chesapeake Cats and Dogs. Come and enjoy a good lunch between 11 AM and 4 PM while your lunch benefits the animals. See you there!

## Some of Our Adorable Cats Waiting For Homes



## Future Events

**Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> – Whole Foods in Annapolis Harbour Center** cook-out to benefit CCAD from 11 AM to 4 PM.  
**Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> – 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Island Bay Day** behind Thompson Creek Mall from noon to 5 PM.

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