



NEW HOPE CATTLE DOGS

Newsletter Launch

Third Quarter 2016

Welcome to the inaugural edition of the New Hope Cattle Dogs newsletter! With this publication we hope to bring useful and meaningful information to you each quarter, including features on our current adoptable dogs, inspirational stories of some of our past and more recent successful rescues, and educational tidbits about the ACD dog breed we all love so much. Along the way we hope to encourage an even deeper commitment to our cause and will highlight ways you can become more involved. As an all-volunteer organization, New Hope relies exclusively on the goodwill, energy and devotion of its supporters like you. The more participation we get, the more dogs we can rescue!

As we move forward we welcome feedback from you on how we can develop more effective communication channels with you and incorporate new and exciting events that raise awareness of our mission within the public at large.

2016 Initiatives

We're past halfway through the year already, but it's never too late to highlight some exciting initiatives we are focused on in 2016. One, a revamp of our website to improve our communication outreach efforts and provide a more effective means to capture and convey important information. Two, an enhanced focus on how we leverage the useful data we maintain around managing the intake/outtake of the dogs in our care. And three, we obviously remain committed to expanding our supporter community and developing improved ways to better serve the dogs in our care. We want to continue to expand the scope of our operations so that we can provide critical rescue services to a larger population all without ever losing sight of our ultimate purpose, helping discarded, stray, and unwanted Australian Cattle Dogs find a forever home while providing training and education to the public.

Profundity

"The greatest of a nation can be judged by the way its animals are treated."

-Mahatma Gandhi

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SAVE THE DATE!

When: September 25, 2016, 10:00am-4:00pm

What: Annual New Hope Cattle Dogs Reunion

Where: Jefferson County Fairgrounds

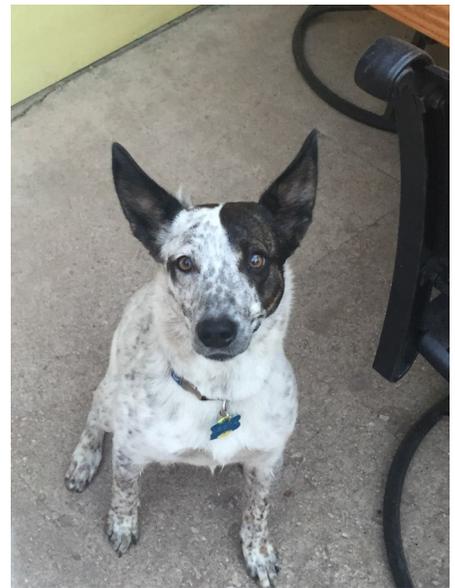
Why: Because there's nothing better than seeing 150 or more cattle dogs running around together!

*All fixed and vaccinated dogs of any breed are welcome to attend; look for a pre-registration option coming soon on our website

Featured Dog—Nesta

Hi, I'm Nesta! I "hear" you are looking for an awesome dog companion. Hear. Get it? 'Coz my ears are so big. Hah hah! I'm obviously pretty clever too! I'm a very sweet and loving young girl. I get along great with kids, other dogs, even cats! I have a lot of energy and would be a great running and hiking partner. But after that, at night time I love to lay up against your legs and cuddle. I can't wait to meet you and show you all my neat tricks. Are you the one?

Thank you Alex for fostering me while I wait for my new forever home!



Adoption Success Story



Patience is rewarded

June was a dog with a rough start to life. Just a puppy herself, she soon found herself pregnant and abandoned by a lake. Fortunately, New Hope was able to rescue June from the situation she had fallen into and place her with a caring foster home. There she got the nutrition, love, and attention she needed as well as a safe environment in which to bring her pups into the world. After giving birth to her litter of 7 and some time spent being the perfect mommy, June finally got to just be a dog. Soon her sweet personality and wonderful manners and charm emerged. A quick New Hope-sponsored trip to the vet to ensure no more visits from the stork, and June was ready for a forever home to call her own. As her puppies were adopted out, June waited patiently for her chance. And soon a wonderful family in Denver were smitten, and in a jiffy, no more life on her own for June, she had found her forever family.

Ways to Help

So you want to be part of the New Hope Cattle Dogs Rescue effort, but don't know where to begin? Here are some ways you can get involved:

- Volunteer: there are numerous ways to give of your time. As New Hope does not have a physical facility, one of our biggest needs is [foster homes](#). Simply put, the more foster parents, the more dogs we can rescue...
- Donate money or supplies...
- And of course, adopt one of our dogs!

[Link](#) to New Volunteers site for more information on our volunteer opportunities...

Hot Topics

Links to some of our online knowledge bases that might be of benefit to you...

[Is an ACD the right Breed of Dog for you?](#)

[Training your ACD](#)

More Adoption Successes

Two adoption events held in the summer heat this July yielded wonderful results. Dogs finding their forever homes were:

1. Echo
2. Ernie
3. Gypsy
4. June
5. Lana
6. Lancelot
7. Leah
8. Mandy
9. Smokey
10. Sweetie

The two events had 18 and 13 volunteers respectively braving the heat, so thanks to all! Fantastic work!!

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