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Support – SOS-SRF

Save our Siberians, Siberian Rescue Fund has helped BASH with a number of dogs over the years. They raise money to help rescues with Major Medical bills and also have a fund just to help with heartworm positive dogs.

<http://sos-srf.org/OnlineStore.html>

They have a great on line store that has night-shirts, t-shirts and other gifts. They just decided to bring back a great polo shirt (many colors in both women and men sizes) with 3 embroidered huskies on it. They will carry men's in the store but are offering to

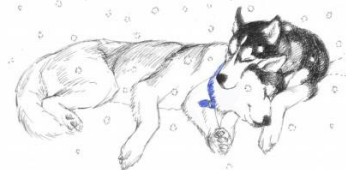
the women that you can preorder them for delivery after Sept 4 in the color and size you want. Check out the site.

Sept 18	BASH Ice Cream Social
Sept 24	Edwards preserve - HIKE
Oct 3-9	Siberian Nationals in Sturbridge MASS
Oct. 8	NORSLED So Mush Fun
Oct 16	Fall Furry Flurry
Dec 17	Christmas Party

AMAZON SMILES

We have signed up with Amazon Smiles. 1.5 % of sales on Amazon through Smiles comes back to BASH. Use the following link and earn money for BASH.

<http://smile.amazon.com/ch/77-0410632>





The Bay Area Siberian Husky Club
Presents the 25th
Annual

Ice Cream Social



Come join us for a fun day at the park! Bring the dogs and the kids! We have games, a Rescue Parade, a great raffle, merchandise for sale, carting/sledding presentation, and ice cream sundaes for the humans, with Frosty Paws for the dogs! Bring your lunch or order a Togo's Sandwich through us.

When: Sunday September 18, from 10am to 3pm

**Where: Cardoza Park in Milpitas (Kennedy Drive at No. Park Victoria)
Take Jacklin east off of 680, right on Park Victoria)**

Events: **10am**— Enjoy the opportunity to buy merchandise and raffle tickets.
Visit with old and new friends.



11:00 am official welcome by the President of BASH, Anthony Taskey.

11:15am games begin: Diving for Wienies, -and more

Noon lunch (bring your own) followed by sundaes and doggie Ice Cream (supplied by BASH)



1:15pm—Parade of Rescue Dogs

BASH Meeting following the Parade of Rescue Dogs

Adopted Dog info:

If you have adopted or rescued your dog please fill out the following and return it to be read at the Ice Cream Social.

Family' s Name _____

Dog's Name _____

Group adopted from _____

Foster parent _____

A little about your dog since you got it.....



September Husky Hike

Saturday Morning, September 24, at 8:00 am

Don Edwards San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge (East Bay)

Meet at Edwards Visitor Center parking lot, 2 Marshlands Road, Fremont, 94555.

Dennis, Kai and I will be at one of the picnic tables with coffee, hot water for tea, juice, and breakfast snacks. This is the parking lot near the Visitor Center, on the east side of Marshlands Road. There is a map at this link. <http://www.fws.gov/uploadedFiles/Headquarterstrailmaps.pdf#a>
http://www.fws.gov/refuge/don_edwards_san_francisco_bay/ has description, directions to get there, and maps.

About 8:30 or so we'll decide which hikes we want to take, depending on temperature and wind conditions; north along Marshlands Road to Coyote Hills on the Quarry Trail, or south along Marshlands Road to the Harrier Spur Trailhead and shoreline. I'll leave a note on the truck for any latecomers which way we've gone, or you can hike wherever and look for fluffy tails on the way back.

If we go north along Marshland to the Quarry Trail, we'll cross the pedestrian bridge on Highway 84 at the Dumbarton toll Plaza, and join Apay Way Trail, which is part of Coyote Hills East Bay Regional Parks.

Apay Way is a wide single lane dirt road along the shore side of Coyote Hills, and offers beautiful views of the bay, birds, jackrabbits, and dry grasses. On two headlands there are some nice benches for taking in the views. On a clear day you can see San Francisco skyscrapers and Mount Tamalpais; panorama photos from these locations can be incredible, so bring your camera. From here, we may return on the same trail, or on the higher ridge trail, Meadowlark Trail that loops back down to the quarry and bridge. This round trip takes about 1 ½ to 2 hours at a moderate pace.

http://www.ebparks.org/Assets/files/Coyote_Hills_map_0.pdf

The only water and restroom facilities along this planned hike are at the Edwards Visitor Center, at the beginning, so plan accordingly.

If we go south along Marshlands Road and then cross the road to Harrier Spur Trailhead, we'll meet Tidelands Trail and head to the edge of the salt ponds where it joins with the Newark Slough Trail, then head north a ways. We can swing back south and then loop up to the top of the hill for fantastic bay views (and pictures, and possibly snacks) and then head down toward the interpretive center (now closed) and back to our start over at the Visitor Center parking lot.

On this hike, benches, interpretive signs, and some picnic tables are along the trails, and porta potties are available on northern loop of the Tidelands trail (marked on map); fresh water and regular toilets are only available at the Visitor Center parking lot.

Wear comfortable shoes, dress in layers, expect high fog, or brisk cold wind and/or bright sunshine. You may need sunscreen/sunglasses, hats, gloves, jackets, and maybe dry socks for the trip home. It's too early to predict now what weather we may have at the end of September! Bring water, dog treats, 6 foot leash, pickup bags, a mat/blanket to sit down and maybe lunch if you want to stay. A camera will be great if the weather is clear ... Any questions, etc. e-mail me, (dkoehns@att.net) or the morning of hike I will have a cell phone in our vehicle 1-510-258-9447 .

14th Annual Fall Furry Flurry

Fun day with your pet ~ to benefit pet rescues

Sunday October 16, 2016 ~ Los Gatos Creek Park, Campbell



Each **registered Human/Pet** receives a wrist band for unlimited games, contests and refreshments for both.

\$5.00 of each entry **goes to the rescue** identified on your registration form.

Sign in – 9:30 to 10:30

Contests/Games – 10:30 to 12:30

Raffle Drawing – 12:30

Silent Auction – 1:00

Canine Good Citizen Test 10:00 (\$25.00) Photos with your pets 10:00- 12:00

Refreshments available all day

Safety Requirements

Dogs must be on a 6 foot or shorter leash (NO flexi leashes); be currently vaccinated for rabies; appear to be in good health.

Female dogs in heat cannot participate. Puppies must be at least 4 months old. Participants must pick up after their dogs, so be sure to carry poop bags.

Sign up for the games – bobbing for “hot dogs”, Costume contest and much more.....

-----Entry Form-----

Rescue you identify with _____ (5\$ of entry will go to this rescue) **Additional Donation to rescue \$** _____

To register for Fall Furry Flurry, please fill out this form and sign it. Each participant must submit a separate completed entry form, so feel free to make as many photocopies of this form as you need.

Name(s) _____ Pet's name(s) _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (_____) _____ E-mail _____

In consideration of accepting my entry, I, The undersigned, intend to be legally bound for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators to waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against the beneficiaries, organizers, sponsors, advertisers and employees, volunteers and committee members, federal, state and local governments or private parties on whose property this event may be run including but not limited to the City of Campbell, the County of Santa Clara, the State of California, Pet Awareness and Welfare Society for SJACS and the Bay Area Siberian Husky Club of any and all injuries suffered by me or my animal(s) while traveling to or from, or participating in this event.

Pre-Entry Fees must be received no later than October 12, 2016

Registrant's Signature/Guardian if under 18 years _____ Date _____

\$15* per person, # of people _____ \$ _____

or \$40* per family**, up to 4 _____ \$ _____

\$20 T-Shirt _____ \$ _____

T- Shirt sizes _____ S _____ M _____ L _____ XL

*Day of fees will be \$20.00/person, \$50.00/family ** (up to 2 kids under 18, 2 adults)

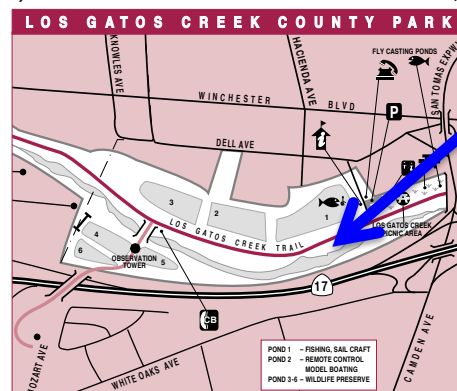
Enter on our website and pay with Pay Pal ~ paws4sjacs.org

Or Make checks payable to PAWS and mail your registration to

PAWS ~Fall Furry Flurry, 2633 S BASCOM AVE, CAMPBELL CA 95008

For more information and additional entry forms, call (877) 729-7475 or

visit our Web site at www.PAWS4SJACS.org or Bayareasiberian.org



Fun
starts
here

\$6 parking fee inside of park

Husky Hike Early Sunday Morning

August 14, 2016

Dennis and I arrived at the Portola Parking lot about 7:30 am to find a few other early arriving vehicles already parked – among them, Gail with little Leila. As we put out the coffee and snacks a few more people arrived – Ken and Michelle with their two big ‘Mute mixes, (beautiful multicolor fluffy guys that were anxious to get walking) Candace with Stella, and Bobby with his new adoption, Zulu. By the time we finished introductions, snacks, and started on our way, the parking lot was pretty much filled and we were congratulating ourselves on the early start.

We'd had a couple of very warm days in the East Bay, so it was delightful that we were here – it was cooler with some overcast that was quickly evaporating, and a kind of foggy mist from the coast was drifting through the area, sort of like the classic Asian mist and mountain paintings.

Most of the group headed out at a quick pace along the steady incline of the well shaded Betsy Crowder /Meadow trail, while Gail and Leila and I moved along behind at a more reasonable and moderate rate. Our plan was to walk up to where the Hamms Gulch trail trail to the falls breaks off, the harder hikers could continue up, and we slow pokies could then head back down along the lower part of the loop, the Spring Ridge trail, back to the parking area. Of course, we poked along up hill, stopping frequently to look at incredibly beautiful old knarled trees of all sorts – Oaks, Sycamore type trees, madrone – some with many huge trunks twisted around each other, with every shade of green leaves you can imagine. A few places you could look out at the hills and valleys below, beautiful vistas of mist, clouds and blue sky.

A few other people were out – a couple runners, and a few walkers with their own dogs along. Not nearly as many as the number of cars in the parking area would suggest. Eventually we lost sight of our other companions, reached the top of the loop, and then opted to return along the same leg of the trail we had come up. We anticipated we had plenty of time, so stopped to rest, take pictures, enjoy the view, and just generally dawdle along.

We were surprised to see Dennis and Bobby trotting up the trail with concerned expressions, very glad to meet us! We'd lost track of time somehow (you know how us girls tend to gab) and the fast group made it back to the lot and had waited 20 minutes for us, and were terribly concerned we'd met with some disaster along the way!!

Back at the lot, we enjoyed some cold ice tea, the remainder of snacks, talked about dogs, admired the handsome dog that Bobby is adopting, and admired the unique wooden folding chair that Gail had brought with her – a souvenir of one of her trips to South Africa. We were on our way home just about noon – another good morning spent with our dogs!

Thank you, Heron, for suggesting this beautiful hike! More information and details are at

<http://www.openspace.org/preserves/windy-hill>

and http://www.openspace.org/sites/default/files/map_WH.pdf



Northern California Sled Dog Rescue (NorSled)

So Mush Fun VI Fundraiser

October 8, 2016

Lagoon Valley Park

4681 Pena Adobe Rd
Vacaville, CA 95696

Schedule

7:00 Registration
7:30 Dog Race (pods of 2-3)
9:30 Human 5K Run or 3k Walk
10:00 Musher's Relay Race
10:30 Introduction to carting demo
11:00 Raffle and Silent Auction
11:30 Awards

*Times subject to change/delay



NorSled rescues, fosters and rehomes unwanted, abandoned and abused Northern breed dogs: Siberian Huskies, Alaskan Malamutes, Samoyeds, and mixes of these breeds. NorSled rescued 260 northern breed dogs in 2015.

NorSled's 6th annual "So Mush Fun Fundraiser" is timed bike, scooter, sulky and cart races around the 2 mile lagoon. All dog breeds welcome!

We have a beginner's musher's class, NorSled t shirts, silent auction and raffle.

Don't miss the chance to promote and/or sponsor your favorite teams! It's easy- just select "Set Up and Donate" www.crowdrise.com/somushfun2016.

Fees |

Early Registration thru 10/1/2016 \$35 per event
Registration 10/2 - 10/8/2016 \$40 per event

All proceeds go toward rescuing and rehoming northern breed dogs around Northern California.

Please join us and help us help the dogs!

Waivers will be available at registration and **must be signed prior to race start**. Copies available upon request.

Please indicate #of dogs on this entry or register online via PayPal at www.norsled.org

Tax ID# 68-0459331

1 Dog Bike/Scooter/Sulky

Dogs _____

2 Dog Cart/Sulky

Dogs _____

3 Dog Relay

Dogs _____

4 5k/3k Run, Walk

Dogs _____

First _____ Last _____

email _____ Phone _____

Northern California Sled Dog Rescue (NorSled)

rescue@norsled.org

www.norsled.org

P.O. Box 30877, Walnut Creek, CA 94598

<https://www.facebook.com/norsled>



Sierra Nevada Dog Drivers

Dirt Fun Run!!!

Sept. 24 & 25, 2016

- Hobart Mills -

Just minutes North of Truckee, CA

This weekend event is a fun get-together for all levels of experience. Come run your dogs, meet other mushers, learn more about the club and sign up for other upcoming events.....

**Plenty of places to camp!
Or go into Truckee and stay at the Hotel....**

Directions to Hobart Mills; Go north on Highway 89 from I-80, in Truckee. Drive about 3 miles to the Hobart Mills intersection. Turn right. Go past the Hobart site and just past the local shooting range. Make a right turn and look on the left after the first rise.

For questions or more information contact:

Hugo Antonucci:	Sierra Nevada Dog Drivers:
phone: (530) 299-3512	email: sndd@sndd.org
email: topaza@jps.net	web: www.sndd.org



Sierra Nevada Dog Drivers

Annual Mushing Clinic

October 22 & 23, 2016 – Truckee, CA

This weekend event is an opportunity to have hands-on mushing training from some of California's top dog drivers & trainers! You will receive one-on-one personalized training in teaching your dog the basics of pulling in harness, how to safely experiment with different types of equipment (sled, carts, scooters, etc.) and have the opportunity to experience working with trained dog teams in action! Plus group mini seminars to learn even more!

All of this is followed up by a wonderful dinner and a chance to mingle amongst everyone for chance to get to know them better.

We supply the equipment - you supply the dogs!
All breeds welcome!

COST: \$158 per person (includes Saturday night dinner)
Bring a 2nd family member to train with you for an additional \$75!!!!

Space is limited so please register early!

For questions or more information contact:

Hugo Antonucci:

phone: 530-299-3512

email: topaza@jps.net

Sierra Nevada Dog Drivers:

email sndd@sndd.org

www.sndd.org

Peanut Butter and Pumpkin Dog Treats

Recipe By: Kelly

"Baked dog treats filled with pumpkin and peanut butter."

Ingredients

- 2 1/2 cups whole wheat flour
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 cup canned pumpkin
- 2 tablespoons peanut butter
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon

Directions

1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C).
2. Whisk together the flour, eggs, pumpkin, peanut butter, salt, and cinnamon in a bowl. Add water as needed to help make the dough workable, but the dough should be dry and stiff. Roll the dough into a 1/2-inch-thick roll. Cut into 1/2-inch pieces.
3. Bake in preheated oven until hard, about 40 minutes.

OLD Newsletters are now online.....check them out.

I found the first one that was ever published....go read how things have changed over time.. that is fun...

Rescue September 2016

Randee McQueen 408-371-1841 bashrr@com-ctl.com

Sweetie Boy is a probably an Alaskan Malamute/ German Shepherd mix. His owner surrendered him because he was diagnosed with a terminal illness. Sweetie Boy fits the name he came with, he is very sweet.

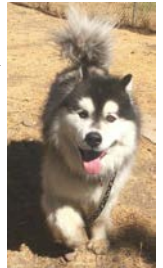
He is being returned from his first home because they live in the hills and they can not adequately fence their yard (rental)

He rides GREAT in a car. Loves having kids around Is fine with my dogs. He loves to have his belly rubbed, likes to be brushed and is happy just hanging around where i am at. He is house trained. He has been with little dogs and if fine. He also lives with a cat. He will chase a cat that runs though. He is a neutered Male, 1 years 9 months old, Housetrained, Lead Trained, has Obedience training, good with Children, good with Small Children, good with Large Dogs, good with Small Dogs, good with Cats, has Rabies vaccinations, has DHLPP vaccinations, microchipped.



Hachi came to us from San Francisco. He was surrendered because his family decided he was too big. He has good leash walking skills, he is good with other dogs his size, both male and female. He takes food nicely. We are just putting him in a foster home so as we learn more, we will update his bio.

He is a neutered Male, 4 years old, Housetrained, Lead Trained, has Obedience training, good with Large Dogs, has Rabies vaccinations, has DHLPP vaccinations, microchipped.



Bella was an owner surrender to the Santa Cruz shelter. Family adopted her from shelter in LA and moved up here into a place that didn't allow dogs. She is an active dog that is fine with other dogs her size. They were both boys. We have been told she can be snarky but not aggressive with other females. She is a spayed Female, 3 years old, Housetrained, Lead Trained, has Obedience training, good with Large Dogs, has Rabies vaccinations, has DHLPP vaccinations.



Heron Ho snowlets8@yahoo.com

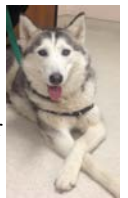
Meet Kiana a very special 11 month petite black and white female with silky soft fur and a bushy, fox like tail.

She is a mellow, well behaved and sweet young husky with the most beautiful singing voice.

Although not a social butterfly, she is friendly but she just needs the extra few minutes to warm up.

She is truly a special young dog, tolerates all forms of handling without bearing a grudge and so far she has not shown any desire for destructive chewing. She is relaxed all day but will perk up when it's time for a walk or a play session.

She loves her crate and beds and walks beautifully on a leash plus she has the softest mouth when taking a treat from your hand, such a lady! Kiana is such a unique husky with a gentle soul, she had a rocky start to her life and is now waiting for a family to show her how wonderful the world can be and what it feels like to be a part of a loving pack and She will give her all the love she has.



Kiana does have a medical condition called asymmetric cataracts. She is blind in her left eye (though that eye can still sense light) and her right eye has blurry vision due to the cataracts. However she has adapted to blurry one eye vision for most of her short life and has learned to navigate the world.

She has been seen by an ophthalmologist and her prognosis is good based on her current condition. If you are interested her foster mom will give you more information.

Bay Area Siberian Husky Club

Membership Renewal and Associate Application 2015-2016

Membership \$35.00

Date _____
Name(s) _____
Mailing address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Area code and phone _____
E-mail Address _____
Amount Enclosed \$ _____

_____ I would like the newsletter mailed to me.

Make checks payable to BASH. All memberships and subscriptions are valid through March 31, 2017. Send membership renewal form and check to:

Bay Area Siberian Husky Club, 2633 S Bascom Ave, Campbell CA 95008

Bay Area Siberian Husky Club

www.bayareasiberian.org

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Upcoming Adoption Fairs

First Saturday
PetsMart, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.
850 W. Hamilton, Campbell
408-371-1841

Second Saturday
Pet Food Express 11 am – 1pm
1902 S Bascom Ave, Campbell,
(408) 371-5555

Check with foster homes if they will
be at a specific adoption fairs.