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The Siberian Breed winner on Sunday at the Golden Gate Kennel Show

Quinn and his daughter got best opposite.

Jan 30, 31 feb 1    SnoBASH- cancelled  
Feb 7                Hike in Fremont  
Feb 22              General Meeting  
March???          Reschedule SnoBASH  
Dec 12              BASH Christmas Party

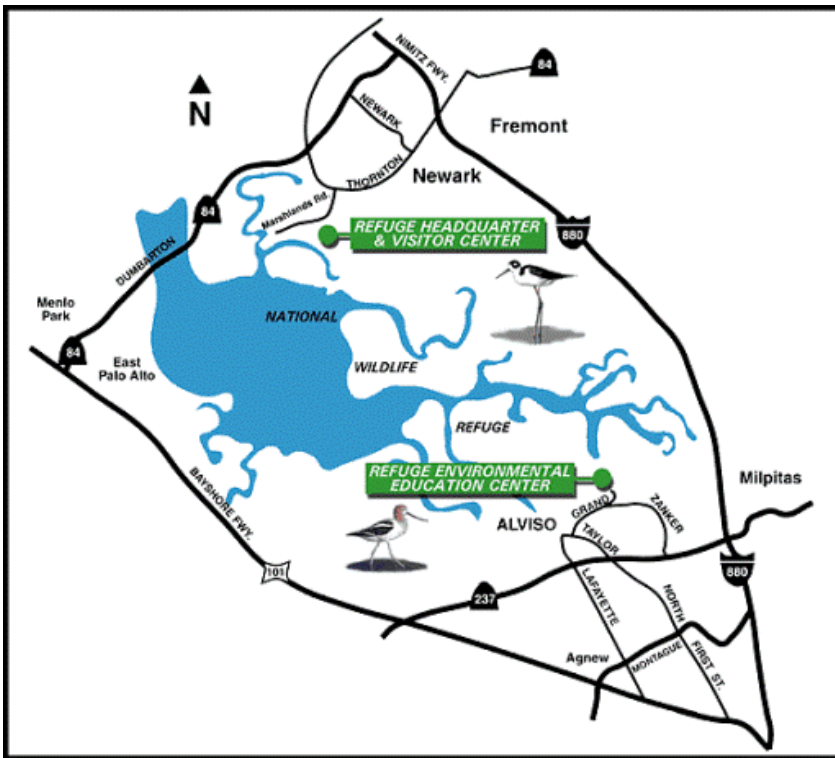
## AMAZON SMILES

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.

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# Husky Hike Saturday Morning, Feb 7, 8:00 AM Don Edwards Wildlife Preserve Refuge Headquarters Visitor Center Parking Lot, Newark near Fremont



From Freeway 880, take the Thornton Avenue and head west toward the bay. From Highway 84 (at the east end of the Dumbarton Bridge), exit at Thornton Avenue. Travel south on Thornton Avenue for 0.8 miles to the Refuge entrance on the right, at Marshlands Road. Turn right into the Refuge and follow signs to the parking lot. The Visitor Center is located by the first parking lot to your right. We'll be at the south end of the parking lot with muffins and beverages

About 8:45 we will head out south along Marshlands Road to the Harrier Spur Trailhead, then east on Tidelands Trail to the edge of the salt pond/bay edge 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 to the interpretive center. People that want extra walking can head up to the Quarry Trail and view a very deep quarry with water at the bottom (interesting geology there), then come back around to the parking lot and eventual departure.

[http://www.fws.gov/refuge/don\\_edwards\\_san\\_francisco\\_bay/](http://www.fws.gov/refuge/don_edwards_san_francisco_bay/) has descriptions, directions to get there, and trail maps

Any BASH members, friends, adoptive homes, and owners of any other breeds may come along with us. I will need a very approximate count by Friday, the 6th. (email [dkoehsn@att.net](mailto:dkoehsn@att.net)) OK to come at the last minute.

At 10:30 there is a guided nature walk in the bird habitat (but no dogs on this one) if someone wants to learn more about the preserve....

Dogs must be on a 6 foot leash and may only travel trails marked for dogs. Bathrooms and dog water available at the north end of the parking lot. Due to the salt air, our dogs always seemed to get thirsty half way through the walk, so bring water along for your dogs. Porta Potties are available at the northern loop of the Tidelands trail (marked on map.) Dress for cold or windy conditions, sunscreen, comfortable shoes.

This is my favorite walk in Fremont -- the expansive vistas and salt air, the varied terrain, and well maintained trails are a pleasure. I always leave here with refreshed and elevated spirits. It is a compact area, but the concentric loops of the trails and the vistas make it seem much larger.

# Garin/Dry Creek Pioneer Park Hike

January 10<sup>th</sup>'s walk at Garin /Dry Creek Pioneer Park was a fun outing for about 10 people and at least that many dogs -- We had breakfast snacks and drinks ready at 8:00 while people arrived, and then, at 8:30, got started on the walk. Paths were dry and the grass was brilliant green, a nice flow of water in Dry Creek. Not much sun, it was cool and comfortable, the trails weren't at all crowded this time of day, but views of the bay were hazed over.

This was a first time visit for some to the park, and a revisit for several who come here often.

The dogs set a brisk pace, and we were back at the staging area about 2 hours later for conversation and dog socialization, and we left to head home for tv football and golf and other weekend stuff.

Consensus was we should do this again -- maybe monthly. There are a few more trails at Garin/Dry Creek that we can try, and we're open to suggestions Any dog friendly walks in the vicinity of the bay area good possibilities, particularly if they are close to some of our other events like adoption fairs -- please advise if you have favorites, or suggestions for improvements, or dates that are clear of other dog activities ...

Thank you for everyone who came out, as well as a big thanks to Richard for posting his scenic photos --

Greta and Dennis --





# BASH General Meeting

## February 22

(changed date)

## 6 pm



Marie and Greg Stevens Home  
1924 Foxworthy Ave  
San Jose

RSVP to find what to bring  
[sleddingshopper@pacbell.net](mailto:sleddingshopper@pacbell.net) or 408-377-1180



Meeting at 6 pm with dinner to follow

We will talk about Snow...whether we have it or not and what our plans should be. We are talking about setting a date in March to go????

Northern Breed Fun Match--- should we do one closer to home this year.

Hikes- where can we do more of them

Umunhum – camping and carting



Whatever else people want to talk about.



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**BASH** received a \$20 check for people that have walked their dogs on our behalf. It is a great way to raise funds and get exercise. Get the APP and sign up for BASH when you go on the next hike or just walking your dog around the block. Two people came to me at the Golden Gate Kennel show and told me that they walked for BASH and they weren't even members.

### **Take your Walk for a Dog**

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### **Latest News**

#### **Donations to 4,000 rescues & shelters!**

In December we are sending donations to over 4,000 rescues & shelters. Please share the app. The more people walking for your selected organization, the more we can donate. Visit the About Tab on the app to see how many are walking for your organization.

### **About Us**

WoofTrax, through the Walk for a Dog mobile app, creates fundraising opportunities for shelters and rescues while encouraging dogs and their humans to exercise together regularly.

### **Get the APP**

<http://www.wooftrax.com/get-the-app/>

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## **SnoBASH~ Cancelled**

Watch the website.... We are trying to set a weekend in March to go up but waiting for more snow.

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## **Like us on Facebook**

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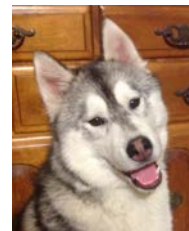
# Rescue February 2015



Pat Hannum [PatHannum@aol.com](mailto:PatHannum@aol.com)

Frankie- a 3 year old Siberian Male that was hit by a car. His leg has been plated and he will be available for adoption soon.

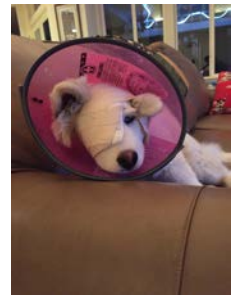
Beth Chamberlain 408 859-3101 [b.d.c@comcast.net](mailto:b.d.c@comcast.net)



Max is a 7 month old AKC siberian. He originally went to a show home but he is not able to be shown in conformation so he was returned. We were asked to place him in a great pet home. He is a great dog that is crate trained, loves riding in the car, housetrained and over all very sweet. He is a puppy though...and likes to check things out and be mischievo

Michelle Suarez [-Msuarez100@aol.com](mailto:-Msuarez100@aol.com)

Izzy is a sweet 8-10 week old puppy that was surrendered to the San Jose Shelter for an eye injury the owners couldn't afford to fix. It wasn't fixable so we had to have it removed. They said she was a Siberian but we think she is more Samoyed and maybe malamute. She will be a big girl. She is very sweet, sleeps in a crate, plays well with the other dogs in the foster home. She is very quiet. She had adopted to only having one eye before we got her so as soon as all heals, there should be no issues.



Thank you to all that have adopted a Siberian from BASH, Norsled or shelters in the area.

# Bay Area Siberian Husky Club

Membership Renewal and Associate Application 2015-2016

Membership \$30.00

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Name(s) _____
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Make checks payable to BASH. All memberships and subscriptions are valid through March 31, 2016. 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](http://www.bayareasiberian.org)

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### Upcoming Adoption Fairs

First Saturday  
PetsMart, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.  
850 W. Hamilton, Campbell  
408-371-1841

Second Saturday  
PetsMart, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.  
175 Ranch Road, Milpitas  
408-258-9806

Third Saturday  
Pet Food Express 11 am to 1 pm  
1152 Blossom Hill Rd, San Jose,  
[\(408\) 269-3333](tel:4082693333)

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