



# GreyHeart Greyhound Adoption Newsletter - December 2019 Edition

### The President "Speaks"

Well hello to all! It looks like another year has come and gone in the blink of an eye. It was a good year for GreyHeart. I believe one of our best ever with right around 55 adoptions! We had a lot of fun this year including Linda Cliffel travelling from Florida to attend our annual picnic. She had time to spend with all of our great adopters, fosters and the pups she has supplied to us. We didn't have to take a break this year from the hot summer hauls thanks to Victory Lap Hauling! It was great meeting them and getting to know them personally!

My wife, Assi, and I had the opportunity to spend time at Sunburst Kennels in Florida. This started the chain reaction that led to our latest adoption of Toby or Barts Ooh Rah. That was an adventure I will never forget!

We're just beginning to work on plans for next year's events including our annual picnic which will most likely be held in June again. GreyHeart is also planning another Comedy night fundraiser. More details to follow at a later date. Within the next month or so we will be ordering new GreyHeart attire: shirts, hoodies and who knows what else we might come up with!

Our next haul is scheduled sometime mid to late January. Sunburst Kennels are bursting at the seams with adoptable hounds. **Please consider fostering!** This is not going to last too much longer and I'm hoping GreyHeart can step it up and help out with the current situation of available Greys. **Remember....without fosters we cannot exist!** And we are needed now more than ever.

GreyHeart would like to wish all of our members Happy Holidays and a Happy New Year! I personally want to thank everyone who has helped us out over the past year. Together we brought in well over 50 wonderful hounds. Something to be proud of. Let's do it again next year! Thank You All!

# **October Greyhound Haul**







**High Noon Wiggle (Wiggle)** is a red female fostered by Diane Manko-Cliff

**Fred Flintstone (Freddie)** is a black male fostered by Chris Sytek

Wilma Flintstone (Wilma) is a fawn female fostered by Vanessa Rowan

**Lee Utah (Utah)** is a red female fostered by Andy Bommerbach



AJN Little Torke (Tori) is a black female fostered by Scott & Lisa Bruni



**Barts Ooh Rah (Toby)** is a blue male fostered by Art & Assi Zylka



**L'Swizzle (Swizzle)** is a fawn female fostered by Scott & Sheila Prior

## **November Greyhound Haul**



**AMF All Through (Bonnie)** is a brindle female fostered by Ed & Anna Pietrzak



Monica Belluci (Monica) is a brindle female fostered by Vanessa Rowan



# If You Open Your Heart To Them, They Will Open Your Eyes.

# We still have a few calendars left so if you are interested in purchasing one, please contact either Art or Kelly.

### **Upcoming Events**

► **Meet & Greets** (*Specific maps/locations can be found on the GreyHeart website*)

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•	Sat, January 4	2:00-4:00  p.m.	Farmington Pet Valu
•	Sat, January 11	12:00 − 2:00 p.m.	Livonia Pet Supplies Plus
•	Sat, January 18	12:00 − 2:00 p.m.	Shelby Twp Purely Pets
•	Sat, January 25	12:00 − 2:00 p.m.	South Lyon Pet Supplies Plus
•	Sat, February 1	2:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Farmington Pet Valu
•	Sat, February 8	12:00 − 2:00 p.m.	Livonia Pet Supplies Plus
•	Sat, February 15	12:00 − 2:00 p.m.	Shelby Twp Purely Pets
•	Sat, February 22	12:00 - 2:00 p.m.	South Lyon Pet Supplies Plus

**Please Note**: We have temporarily discontinued the Grosse Pointe Pet Supplies Plus and the West Bloomfield Pet Valu Meet and Greets.

WANTED - VOLUNTEERS!! Please consider bringing your greyhound to one or more of these fun events. Not only are Meet N' Greets a wonderful opportunity to introduce our wonderful greyhounds to the public, it also gives us a great opportunity to educate possible greyhound adopters. It's a lot of fun to meet with other greyhound owners and share experiences!

Stay tuned for impromptu fun walks & other events. Check Facebook for announcements of dates & times when we will walk our hounds (i.e. Hines Park, Downtown River Walk, etc.) or organize play dates. This is a wonderful opportunity to showcase our amazing hounds and solicit potential adopters. If you have any other fun ideas, let us know!!

If you have any suggestions for future newsletters, please let us know. These articles can be about information you believe will be useful to all greyhound owners or stories you would like to share.

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- $\rightarrow$  Articles, photos and any items to be included in the next newsletter must be submitted to Ginnie by January 15th.

