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About this publication...

Welcome to the latest edition of the FOBA E-News Bulletin. If this is the first time you received our bulletin and you'd like to know more, please see page 3.

Ready for Adoption

Beckford — A Gentle Big Boy



Beckford is a large boy who is a gentle soul and is afraid of other cats. He would prefer being the only animal in the house, but would probably be okay with another gentle kitty who would not chase him around. He likes to be petted, but will let you know when he has had enough. Beckford was found in a basement before being brought to his foster home. He is neutered and up to date on his shots. He loves to spend most of his time outdoors in a safe enclosure, so he would do well on an enclosed porch, but he also loves to be in the house if he gets attention. To find out more about Beckford, contact Heidi Roberts at heidiroberts@comcast.net 978-927-4157.

Fur Ball 2014
ICC October 11, 7:30-11 PM

Save the Date!

Our Annual Fur Ball will be held on Saturday, October 11, 2014 at the Italian Community Center (ICC) from 7:30-11 PM. This is our largest fund-raiser of the year and is always a fun time, with lots of good food and music, dancing, plus great raffle and silent auction items. Our band this year is The Sellouts, a popular band who likes to play for good causes. Check them out at *www.**thesellouts**rock.com/*
Tickets are $25 each and may be purchased on our website friendsofbeverlyanimals.org or by calling 978-922-7190.









2013 Fur Ball Photos

(Yes, that's Beverly's Mayor Mike Cahill, upper left photo)

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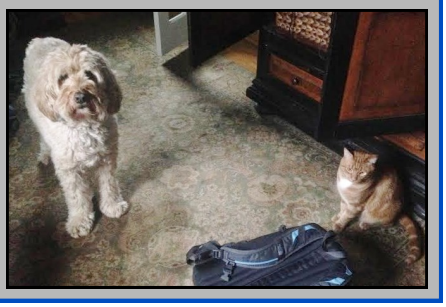
Friends of Beverly Animals is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Donations are tax-deductible to the extent permitted by law.

Happy Adoption Story

KC is doing great. He's a love. He greets me every morning with a tiny meow and wants to be picked up. He will put his front paws up on my leg, like a toddler asking to be picked up. He tries very hard to catch the red dot (laser light), and plays with just about everything. He can be quite persistent when he wants attention. He is coexisting well with our dog, Rusty, and I anticipate that they will be besties soon. We love the little guy.
The Muccis, from Lynnfield, MA, recently fostered two cats until the the kitties were adopted. Many thanks to them!



Deb Mucci & Family with KC



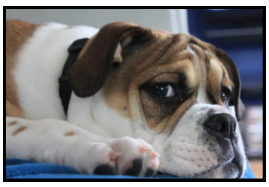
Bella's Ready for a New Home



Bella is a fun, loving ten-month-old who is spayed and ready for a new home. Super playful, she really enjoys her toys. She likes to rest on a bed. For more information about Bella, contact Jill at dsajill1@yahoo.com 978-969-2389

2015 Calendar

We've received a lot of great photos for the calendar. Here's Bruschi (top right), who belongs to Joe Cummings and Crystal (bottom) who belongs to Heather Littlefield. Thanks to all who sent us photos of your precious pets. We hope to have the calendar printed in time for the Fur Ball, October 11th.





Please "like" us on Facebook! Help us spread the word about the animal rescue work we do and our goal of having a shelter in Beverly. Only with your help can this dream come true!

More Kitties In Need of Good Homes



Macaroon



Macaroon, an adorable calico tabby, was found behind a condemned house in Beverly. FOBA trapped her at a young age and began the socialization process. She needs a patient owner who can pet and play with her, and listen to her purr until she gets to know you. She is about 12 weeks old, she currently lives with dogs, cats and kids. Macaroon is spayed and fully vetted. If you would like more information about Macaroon, contact Jill at 978-969-2389 or dsajill1@yahoo.com.

Sandy

This pretty, petite (6 lbs.) recent mother of five is herself less than a year old. She is extremely sweet, very gentle and would need a home with a kind, loving family. She is a medium-haired tabby (fluffy) with reddish fur on her back. She loves to play with her toys and to be brushed and petted. Before she was rescued, she spent all her time outdoors. Although she has settled down to being an indoor cat, she would probably enjoy going outside if it were safe to do so. Sandy has been spayed and has had all her shots. For more information, contact Gillian at gilliancharters@comcast.net 978-927-5306.

We need more foster homes!

FOBA provides food and supplies. Pease contact Heidi Roberts at heidiroberts@comcast.net or Cheryl Mezack at cmezack@aol.com for more information.



About This E-News Bulletin *(continued from Page 1)*

You have received this message because we believe you care about animals and that you support the rescue work we do. In these bulletins, we will inform you about some animals in need, our work, and upcoming events. We promise not to inundate you with emails!

Although FOBA has been around for over five years now, many people aren't aware of what we do. Some are surprised to learn that the City of Beverly does not have an animal shelter, our primary long-term goal. When we rescue animals (mostly felines because more of them are homeless and because we do not have the ability to keep dogs), we frequently have to trap them, provide medical care (including spaying and neutering), nurse them back to health, socialize them, and then try to place them in foster homes or loving adoptive homes. Besides money, one of our biggest challenges is having enough foster homes to meet the demand. If you or someone you know is interested in fostering or adopting, please let us know!

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Bonnie Hannable, Editor

Ellen — A Very Special Girl

Ellen's history is a mystery... She was first noticed about three years ago, roaming the woods in Saugus, by a kind elderly couple who notified FOBA. She was trapped and taken to the vet, who said that she had been spayed. She was missing her hind right foot and was very fearful. In foster care, she lived in hiding for three years, but she is much more trusting now. She can be picked up and generally seems happy, but she does not play. We think she may have been traumatized and never learned how. She was named Ellen after Ellen DeGeneres because of her pretty blue-green eyes. Please contact FOBA if you can give her a home, but it has to be a very special home, because Ellen is such a special cat. To find out more about Ellen, contact Heidi Roberts at 978-927-4157 or at heidiroberts@comcast.net





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Many animals need your help, and FOBA needs your help. Thank you for caring!