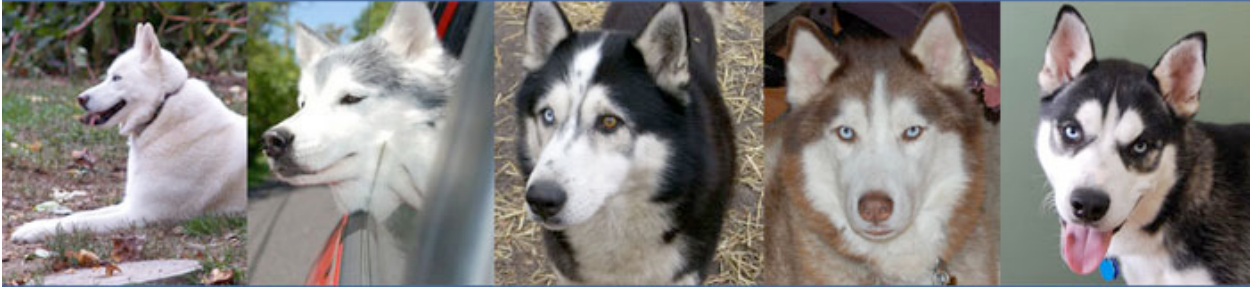




MaPaw

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Spring is here and the Huskies are soaking up the sunshine! Now that the nicer weather is here, we're looking forward to continuing the construction of the kennels...

Meet the Newest Members of the MaPaw Family

[Cassie](#) ~ Approximately 6 year old female Siberian Husky

[Frankie](#) ~ 10 month old male Siberian Husky

[Jasper](#) ~ 2 year old male Siberian Husky

[Meadow](#) ~ 5 year old female Siberian Husky mix

[Shelby](#) ~ 1 year old female Siberian Husky

[Tiger](#) ~ 10 year old female Siberian Husky

[Zeva](#) ~ 6 month old female Siberian Husky

Pup of the Month

Stryker is friends with everyone in the rescue, he gets along with all people and pups. He is crate trained, but is trustworthy loose in the house. Stryker came into rescue with a history of epilepsy and seizures and is on an inexpensive medicine which is quite effective. We have seen no seizures at all during his stay with us and we will continue to watch over this lovely boy.

[Click here](#) to learn more about Stryker!

Upcoming Events

Saturday, April 14th - Adoption Day at Petco, Royersford, PA from 10 am - 2 pm

Saturday, April 14th - Pet Valu (Customer Appreciation), East Greenville, PA from 3 pm - 6 pm

Sunday, April 15th - Adoption Day at Petco, Pottstown, PA from 11 am - 3 pm

Sunday, April 29th - Adoption Day at Petco, Pottstown, PA from 11 am - 3 pm

Spring Flower Power Fundraiser

To welcome Spring, the Huskies have decided to hold an online flower fundraiser. From now until April 27th, buy any of the beautiful bulbs available and MaPaw earns 50%!

What a great way to welcome Spring and help MaPaw! [Click here](#) to check out the selection of flowers!

Our goal is to raise \$1000 to help with the construction of the kennels and we are currently at \$147. Please help us reach our goal.

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Beef & Beer Fundraiser

MaPaw's Beef & Beer fundraiser was held at Gilbertsville Fire Company No. 1 on Saturday, March 10th. It was so much fun and a huge success!

MaPaw available pups, Luke and Zeke, made an appearance as shining examples of why we do what we do. Luke had been so very sick when he first joined his foster home. After weeks of antibiotic and nebulizer therapy, Luke was finally cleared to be neutered. He is now ready to find his forever home. Zeke had been surrendered to the shelter. An overcrowded shelter and the "escape artist" label meant that rescue was Zeke's only chance at finding a family of his own. Both boys are great dogs with amazing personalities.

There were over 50 raffle baskets that included everything from dog toys to Reading Phillies tickets. We had a silent auction that featured a beautiful handmade quilt (thanks Denise S.!), a 50/50 raffle and bake sale. After all of our expenses, MaPaw made over \$4500!

Thank you to all that joined us for an evening of good food, good beer and great friends!

MaPaw's Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser

On Saturday, May 12th, MaPaw will be having a pancake breakfast hosted by Applebee's. While Boston and the other pups generously offered to flip flapjacks, we thought it best to have them sit this fundraiser out.

Tickets can be purchased online by [clicking here](#). Tickets are \$7 or \$4.50 for children under 12.

Join us from 8 am - 10 am at Applebee's, 833 North State Street, Pottstown, PA and meet some of MaPaw's finest ~ our awesome volunteers!

Frankie's Fight

On Saturday (March 31st), Frankie made his way from the shelter to his MaPaw foster home. This 10 month old pup was happy to be out of the shelter and couldn't wait to play with the other pups at his foster home.

A few days after first joining MaPaw, Frankie didn't seem to be acting himself and soon became lethargic. His foster Mum quickly took him to the vet and he was prescribed antibiotics for his elevated temperature and cough. Remembering what Luke and Dora had gone through just a few short months ago and how quickly their illness had progressed, we chose to take Frankie to the emergency hospital.

Within hours, x-rays showed that Frankie had pneumonia in both lungs and was fighting for his life. We were told that there was a good chance we could get a call in the middle of the night. The next morning brought good news ~ Frankie had improved, but still wasn't completely out of the woods.

Frankie was receiving the best care ~ IV fluids, several antibiotics and 4 - 6 nebulizer treatments. With each day, Frankie improved and his bright, puppy personality slowly started to shine through. Finally on Friday (April 6th), we got the news we were waiting to hear ~ Frankie could return to his foster home!

He has a long road ahead of him. Frankie will be on several antibiotics for the next 6 weeks. He will also need to visit the doctor every 2 weeks for a check up and x-rays to check on his progress. His foster Mum reports that Frankie is a good patient, taking his medications without complaining. He is going on short, leisurely strolls so he doesn't stress his system.

Please check back for updates on our little fighter!

Congratulations to Our Newest Happy Tails!

After being with MaPaw for 1 year and 4 months, Ozzie has finally found his forever home! When he first joined MaPaw, he was the typical young husky ~ full of energy and definitely full of himself... He soon found comfort in his routine and matured a bit. Ozzie has found the perfect home with humans that will love him and a sibling to spend his time with! Ozzie was adopted on March 9th.

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Zelda had come to MaPaw after being returned to the shelter because she had a seizure. Zelda is on inexpensive medications to control her epilepsy. When she first joined MaPaw, she seemed to be missing something. She soon warmed up to her foster family and her canine housemates. Zelda's personality started to show and we knew she was ready to find her forever home. She did just that and found herself a sibeling as well! Zelda was adopted on March 11th.

March's Dog of the Month, Trudi, found her forever home on March 24th. When Trudi first joined MaPaw, she was an unbelievable 107 pounds on an average Husky frame. This poor gal was so uncomfortable. A trip to the doctor and blood work confirmed that Trudi was hypothyroid. With the help of her medication, healthy diet and exercise, she soon started shedding the weight (and some fur Husky-style). She had always been a singer, but she soon showed she had some "dance" moves too. When Trudi is excited, she dances and howls ~ it truly is quite a sight. Trudi now has 2 canine housemates - Max to play with and Goldie to nap with.

Caspian had been with MaPaw for a month before he was truly ready to begin his search for a forever home. Within days of making his debut on the MaPaw website, he soon became Mr. Popularity. It could have been his soulful eyes ~ everyone who saw his photo seemed to fall in love with him. Once you meet him, you'll find that he has an incredible personality to match those eyes. Caspian has found a wonderful home with a canine housemate. Caspian was adopted on March 31st.

Rehnquist was the most recent happy tail. He was an owner surrender who remained with his family while we helped him find a new family. When our volunteers first met Rehnquist, they fell in love with his wonderful personality (and his typical Husky good looks). He is so loving and a true cuddler, which is good cause he's helping to heal some broken hearts in his new family who are dealing with the recent loss of their beloved canine family member. Rehnquist was adopted on March 31st.

Congratulations to all of our lucky pups! We are so excited for you and your new families! We look forward to many photos and updates...

Foster Homes Needed

Our network of foster homes is MaPaw's greatest asset. While we wait for the construction of the kennels to be completed, our foster homes are what allow us to bring more dogs into rescue. Once the construction of the kennels is complete, we will still need our foster homes to help the dogs in rescue to settle into family life and learn their manners (housebreaking, crate training, walking on a leash, etc.). While the kennels will allow us to bring more dogs into rescue, our foster homes will help those dogs get their second chance at becoming a member of a family again.

Please [contact us](#) if you have any questions about fostering or [click here](#) to submit an application to foster a MaPaw dog.

Shop the MaPaw Store

We have some great gifts for Husky lovers! T-Shirts, Car Magnets, Siberian Love Bead Bracelets and MaPaw Cookbooks! We just added the "Proud Companion of an Independent Thinker" tee (available in 4 colors). [Click here](#) to start shopping! Check out our [CafePress store](#) for additional designs!

Ways to Help MaPaw

1. Search online using [GoodSearch](#). Sign up today and start searching!
2. Shop with [iGive.com](#). For every purchase you make from any of the many stores available through iGive, you help MaPaw earn a donation.
3. [Sponsor a MaPaw Permanent Resident](#). We currently have 8 dogs that are permanent residents of MaPaw, which means that they will stay with their foster home for the rest of their lives. Some of our residents have behavior issues, while others have medical/health issues.
4. [Donate a Kuranda bed](#). Our dogs love these beds, but we don't have enough for everyone. Our senior pups especially love these beds and benefit greatly from lounging on them.
5. Donate any item(s) found on our [wish list](#). We also have a [wish list on Amazon](#).
6. Like us on [Facebook](#) and follow us on [Twitter](#).