DoveLewis Canine Therapy Teams

February 2023 Newsletter

PORTLAND AREA CANINE THERAPY TEAMS

Messages of Love



Liberty & Lisa, They love their visits and each other!



Kiev & Kashi, I love you to the beach & back!



To my Jericho, you are always ready to PARTY!



Beryl Joy lives up to her middle name. Her tail never stops wagging. She is pure love.



Mia, you are my lifeline!



Gracie & Meg, I love you, my special valentines!



We were so lucky to welcome Cedar to our family this year. Cedar is sweet, gentle, and silly. We love our fuzzy polar bear!



Dolly & Farrah, These two amazing creatures give us unconditional love, and are a great excuse to get out and exercise.



Dearest Falla, On the day we met you, we took Otto (our Sheltie) with us. When when it was time for bed, we put you in your crate as instructed. I will never forget what happened next, Otto went over and lay RIGHT BESIDE YOU. You were the family member we were missing!



Buddy, You changed my life in all the best ways, and proved second chances are worth it! I love you, my lil Bud.



Donna & Venice, You are two very special dogs. Both of you have been so well trained with good house manners, loving personalities, and dedication to the humans that need you. You are always eager to be by other people's side to show them how special they are. So many people have appreciated their time with you, but perhaps I am the luckiest of all. Caring for you has been my joy and your daily shenanigans never cease to entertain!



Jones, You are such a gift! Goofy, sweet, intuitive, intelligent and loving. We love you!

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Lady Deathwish & Gravedigger, You are both my beautiful goblin children and my love for you is deeper than the Mariana Trench. You help remind me why I do what I do, even when it is hard and discouraging. Thank you for being there for me.



Jeep, You keep me on my toes in the daytime, and you keep me warm at night. You've taught me so much about patience and forgiveness. You've showed me the value in feeling loved, even when you don't feel very lovable. I couldn't imagine my life without such a goofy yet sensitive drama queen of a dog like you to light up my life. Thank you for being you, even when you're being a little more "extra" than we need.



Indie, you are perfect. Don't let Desna tell you otherwise.



Houdini & Holly, Dearest of friends from the start, source of mirth and mischief, joy and affection.



Here is Roger, captured in contemplation. Truth be told, he is more often captured in slumber. Here, he has just heard the news that we will be going to a school in Phoenix, AZ, to have first graders read to him



To my sweet little weasel bear! You came into my life when I was experiencing a great deal of sadness while physically unwell. Taking care of you as a tiny puppy pulled me through the most difficult time of my life. Thank you for being so goofy and weird. You make me laugh, and feel loved and needed, every day!



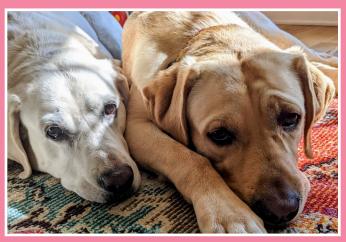
Kelsey is ready to go to the Tigard library for Read to the Dog!



Anakin was rescued from a trash can when he was just 2 weeks old. I got him shortly after and he is my heart. We saved each other.



A special poem for my special puppers! Said Anta to me with a leap, I'm happiest if I can stay asleep, But hearing the chopping, his eyes started popping, YES! Just give me a treat!



Limon & Presidio, Roses are red, violets are blue, my life would be dull without you precious two.



Sweet ol' Lil, 13 years of life and you are still absolutely delightful. Bringing you into my life was the best thing I've done for myself. I love your sweetness, and your mischief. You are a gold-star snuggler and quite the comic. Thank you for so many great years, here's to a few more.



Mick, you are the joy of my life. Everyone he meets goes forward energized from his bountiful love and sensitivity. Greeting him is Asher, folly of my golden years, fulfillment of a childhood dream. What happiness they bring!



Bliss, Thank you for being my constant companion, my best friend, my everything. The love you give, the love you crave, you are truly are an incredible gift to the world. I couldn't imagine a more perfect creature to be by my side. (Photo Credit: Jamie Montgomery)



Our precious naughty Stella Jane.



Nova, Whenever I am having a ruff day, I can always count on you to make me feel wonder-fur. I love you, paw-lways.



My precious angels, Orion & Doja, I love you more than words can ever express.



Oliver, Thank you for moments like with a resident who got on the floor in tears to see Oliver and they both shared the love.



Piccolo, You make us laugh every single day! You are a joy and we are so happy to have you with us!



Pippa, we know one of your favorite things is to just hang out with your stuffed animals and use them as pillows



Radar & Jobin, you make my life so much more complicated but also bring me so much joy and companionship. Thank you for being my light on the dark days.



Reginald B. Artherton of the Salisbury Arthertons, You are the love of my life, my soul pup, and my perfect little grumpy man. We have spent 12 wonderful years together, and I can't wait to spend 100 more.



Rosella, My loyal companion who shares her love with all.



Sandy & Izzy, You two "Black Beauties" saved my sanity over the past year. Thank you for being SO intuitive and loving. Big SMOOCH to the both of you!



Seinfeld, I want to tell you how much I love and cherish you. You are the most loving and caring dog in the world and I love those kisses. Happy Valentine's Day to my Love Bug!



Sherbert and Limerick, you captured my heart from the moment I met you! Has been so much fun being your dog mom!



This is Salsa after a long visit at OHSU hospital. She is 12 now and semi-retired.



This is Volvo with his newest toy after donating to the blood bank. He volunteers at a memory care facility, mental health(and other) court and fills in at the Ledding Library.



Trino & Freely, Thank you for bringing joy to so many kids everyday....and for occasionally being a pillow.



Wren, Thank you for always making me laugh with your sassy corgi ways!



You, my sweet Marvin, have my heart.

A Special Gift from Multnomah Co. DA's Office

We wanted to take a moment to send a big thank you to DA Mike Schmidt and the entire Multnomah Co. DA's office for selecting PACTT as the recipient for their internal holiday fundraiser. They presented us with a big check and gratitude for your work! Thank you to every team for making such a difference in the court system.

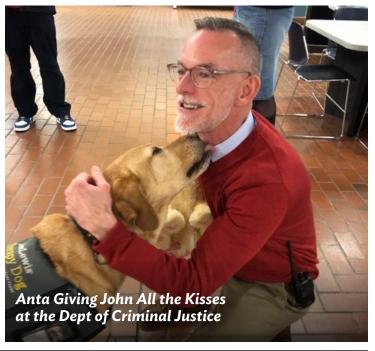






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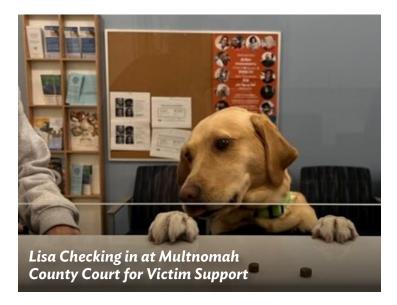










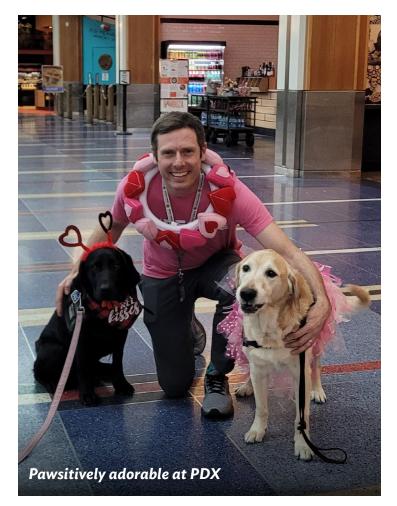


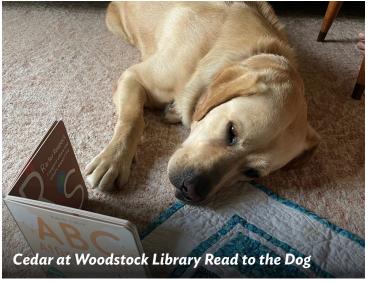






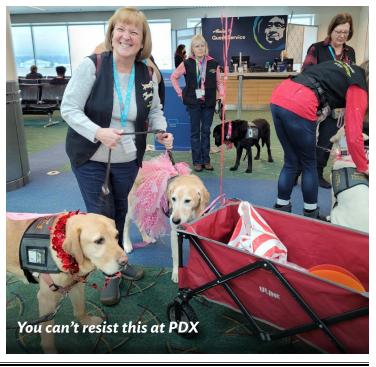












To All the Smiles You Provide

A patient we visited is nonverbal and has cerebral palsy. Yesterday, Lars was asked to lay next to her and in this position so she could touch him. She smiled for the first time since we have been visiting. It was a breakthrough moment and made me so proud of Lars, and the impact of a dog was so evident in therapy/healing work. It made my day. - Pat & Lars

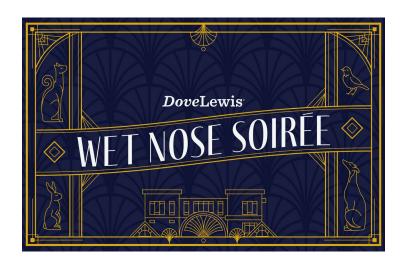


Join Us for a Night of Celebration at Wet Nose Soirée

Saturday, April 22 | 5:30pm-9:30pm Hyatt Regency | 375 NE Holladay St.

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