



Foothills Animal Foundation



Critter Columns

March 2011



Scream it from the WOOF-tops!

Special thanks to Milli Barton, a FAS volunteer, for generously donating funds to support the creation and installation of the new FAS sign on the east side of the new facility. Milli donated the sign to help people find their way to the beautiful new building, and so those passing by will know who we are. Be sure to thank Milli the next time the sign lights your path to FAS.



Furry Feature: Tiny Tim



Tiny Tim, a four-month-old terrier mix, was brought to FAS after an Animal Control Officer (ACO) found him wandering the streets of Lakewood. Tiny Tim had a swollen back leg, and he seemed to be in a lot of pain. The ACO brought Tiny Tim directly to FAS to be checked out by the shelter's resident veterinarian. Dr. Cindy Hill examined Tiny Tim and decided that it was necessary to get x-rays of his injured leg to see if he needed surgery. The x-rays came back showing a shattered knee and a cracked femur. Fox Hollow Animal Clinic was very generous and donated the x-rays and surgery that Tiny Tim needed in order to get him back on his feet. Tiny Tim had a full and complete recovery and was available for adoption shortly thereafter. Tiny Tim found his forever home in March with a wonderful family that is excited to watch Tiny Tim grow up into an adult dog.

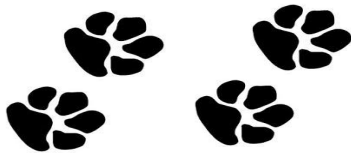
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If you would like information regarding our sponsorship opportunities, contact Megan Peters at mpeters@fas4pets.org or 720.407.5227

Furry Feature: Coconut

Coconut, a one-year-old American Bulldog mix, was brought to Foothills Animal Shelter by Lakewood Animal Control in September of 2010. Coconut was very high energy, and he quickly became very stressed and agitated during his stay in the kennel area. Coconut was immediately placed in the P.H.A.T. (Psychology, Health and Training) Program which allowed him to release his excitement by exercising, and receive some much needed training along the way. A few months had passed and the P.H.A.T. Program staff and volunteers noticed that Coconut wasn't responding to the behavioral modification as well as the other dogs on the team; something else needed to be done. In January, one of FAS's foster parents took on the challenge of fostering Coconut in hopes of encouraging new behaviors and exposing him to a home environment. Coconut's foster parent was able to help him learn new manners and appropriate ways to release his energy. He has become a much more relaxed and healthy dog. Because of the hard work and dedication of our staff and volunteers, Coconut is now available for adoption. Coconut's story is a testament to the mission of FAS: to give every animal the best shot at a better life. If you are interested in Coconut please visit www.FoothillsAnimalShelter.org.



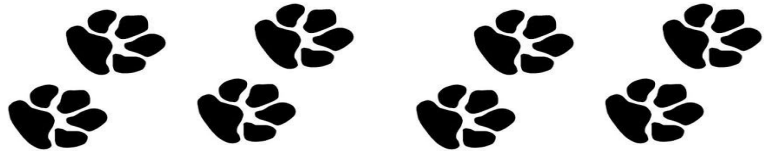
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Holiday Appeal Update



Frankie

Over the past few months we have received an overwhelming response to the Holiday Appeal letter that was sent out to thousands of FAS supporters and residents of Jefferson County. Your outpouring of kindness inspired us to share an update on the six animals featured in the letter: Hope, Frankie, Sunny, Belle, Chad and Sasha. All six of these furry friends were brought to FAS because they were abused, neglected, injured or sick. We are pleased to announce that **all six of these amazing animals have found their forever homes!** Your philanthropic support is the reason why Foothills Animal Shelter is able to give every animal the best chance at a better life. Thank you for helping to make this possible!



Hope



Chad and Sasha



Belle



Sunny



MARK Your Calendars!

Save the Date to Help Save Lives!

<http://www.foothillsanimalshelter.org/news-events/events/>

- ◆ **April 7, 2011:** 4th Annual Soup-er Douper Cook-off hosted by Lynnda Gies at Fidelity National Title Company located at 7125 W. Jefferson Ave., #160, Lakewood, CO 80227. All proceeds from the cook-off will be donated to Foothills Animal Shelter. For more details please call (303) 898.1212
- ◆ **May 21, 2011:** Zavella Eco Clothing will host a fashion show to benefit Foothills Animal Shelter. Please stay tuned for further details.
- ◆ **May 25, 2011:** Wystone's Tea Benefit Brew, Wystone's World Tea (Belmar Shopping Center). From 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., *25% of all food and beverage purchases* will go to benefit Foothills Animal Shelter.
- ◆ **June 13, 2011:** 6th Annual Mulligans For Mutts Golf Tournament, Lakewood Country Club, www.MulligansForMutts.org
- ◆ **July 21, 2011:** Denver West Percentage Days, Barnes & Noble and other Denver West retailers
- ◆ **July 23, 2011:** 2nd Annual Raise the WOOF! Gala, The Mathews Collection, www.RaiseTheWoof.org

Snapshots from the Park & Bark Ribbon Cutting Ceremony held at the Whole Foods Market Belmar on March 26, 2011

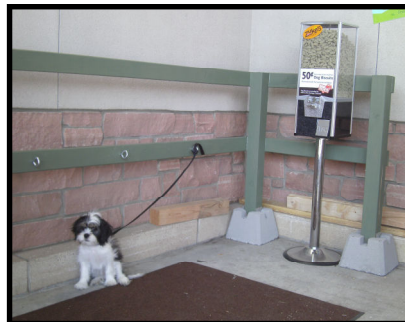


All proceeds from the Park & Bark benefits FAS!

The Park & Bark at Whole Foods Belmar is a doggie hitching station for customers who need to run inside for a few groceries. A special thank you goes out to Whole Foods Market Belmar and Zuke's Natural Dog Treats for generously donating all proceeds to FAS.



Buster patiently waiting for a treat.



Rowan waiting for his owner to pick him up.



John and Lucy were excited to use the new Park & Bark!

Foothills Animal Shelter Contact Information/Hours of Operation

Mon.-Fri.: 11a.m.-7p.m., Sat.-Sun.: 10a.m.-6p.m.

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