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Second Chance Animal Refuge Society

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SCARS is a no-kill, non-profit, 501(c)(3) animal rescue organization relying solely on donations from people like you. In order to maintain our non-profit status, a certain amount of our operating costs must come from donations, and this annual newsletter is our only fundraising request. While there are many worthwhile animal charities, we believe we occupy a particular niche with our dogs “at large” on 50 securely fenced acres, two ponds with docks, and endless excursions into our living quarters. Visit our web site to donate, read testimonials, watch videos, sponsor, adopt, or just admire the more than 50 dogs who call this place home on any given day.

Thanks to the following donors for their continued support.



2011 Dogbreedsinfo.org Website Award



In loving memory of Natalie Gibson, pictured with her dog Annie.

“You can’t live a perfect day without doing something for someone who will never be able to repay you.”

- John Wooden

Dear Friends of SCARS,

As we wind down another year of uncertainty in the markets, unemployment, and housing/banking concerns, we find that here, at SCARS, our adoption rates have slowed. While this is somewhat understandable, it has required us to house, feed, and care for more dogs who have been abandoned or surrendered. And most of our dogs are large – more food, more space. Our vet bills have skyrocketed, as have our food and maintenance costs. Add to that one of the hottest summers in recent history, with related high energy bills due to our need to keep the dogs cool and healthy, and you can understand our need for donations to keep SCARS open and caring for these wonderful animals. I know we ask every year, and all of us are struggling in one way or another, but we hope you can find it in your heart to send a few dollars our way again this year to keep our shelter in business.

These precious dogs count on you each year and, because of you we have been able to adopt out over 400 dogs in the last five years. Please keep SCARS working and donate as generously as you can.

Thank you for your support
Maureen and Terry Cummins and the Dogs of
S.C.A.R.S.



Come take a walk with us...

A Day in the Life of a SCARS Dog



Waiting for my ride around our 50 acres.

Working for our keep.



Hanging with my buddies...



Adoption Day!!

Your SCARS Donations At Work

SCARS now has a state of the art facility with eight indoor runs, four of which are indoor/outdoor. It is air conditioned and heated, and each run has a Kuranda bed which the dogs love.



It has a grooming area, a bathing area and has been painted mauve to produce a calming effect. All of the dogs can access the building through a large doggy door that goes inside to an open area.



This new facility has been a blessing during the hottest summer on record. There is a bench for visitors so they can meet a prospective adoptee in comfort and privacy!



Favorite Photos from 2011!



