

...the WAY HOME©

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Introducing Papillon Haven Rescue group. www.paphaven.org

This group came about through the love of a small deaf puppy that needed to be transported halfway across the country to her new home. It took the effort and dedication of people from Texas to Washington D.C. and on to Ohio. It took the cooperation of three other rescue groups. In the end, it took the hearts of every one. It is this good will and renewed faith in the goodness of people everywhere that has led us in forming Papillon Haven Rescue. We are a 501 c 3 non-profit organization, all volunteer National group specializing in Papillons and Pap mixes and their rescue and rehabilitation.

Since then Papillon Haven Rescue (PapHaven) has grown dramatically and continues to grow and evolve to try to meet the changing needs of rescue and the on-going saga of Papillons in need..... where ever they are.

We would like to invite you to join in our rescue efforts. With hands reaching out across the country, we can form a circle of love and caring that refuses to let even one Papillon in need fall through the cracks. We are not in competition with any other rescue groups. In fact, it is our goal to work hand in hand with every rescue group and shelter that will join us in this effort. We will not ask for perfect lineage, looks or origins. We will coordinate with other groups for transporting each other's breed.

We welcome volunteers, sponsors, contributors, interested folk and especially kind words.

Our Newsletter will try to bring informative articles, up-coming events, announcements, feature stories and Urgent Alerts about situations where the need for rescue is great.



BITSY's STORY

Foster Mom – Jan Jorolan

My name is BITSY, because I am itsy bitsy. I weigh only 4.4lbs, but they tell me I am a dynamite little Papillon. I have spent all my life in a wire cage making babies. My owner decided I could not “produce” so I was discarded. A really nice lady Vet saved me and sent me here. I also have really bad back legs. I was born with a condition called patella luxation and because I could never find a stable walking surface, they got really bad and deformed. (Someone said I looked like a frog with rickets...sigh..) Now that I am 8 years old, arthritis has set in and I will have to have surgery in order to be able to walk normally again, and since I might live for another

8-9 years, I sure would like to not have to suffer anymore. When my foster mom got me, I sorta would sit and scoot my back half along. She got me some pain medication and is trying to make my leg muscles stronger so I won't fall down so much, and so I can do the "bathroom" thing without laying down. On some days, I feel good enough to run on 3 legs – tripod style and you should see me GO! You see, I have never been able to run before and even though it hurts, it is sooooooo much fun.

My surgery is gonna cost a lot of money (what ever that is) and we need help in getting enough to get me all fixed up. So, if you can help, please send some along with my name on it.



"I am only one, but I am still one.
I cannot do everything, but I can still do something.
And just because I cannot do everything,
I will not refuse to do the something that I can do."
----- Helen Keller



Papillon Haven Rescue *The Pumpki n Patch*



Furbabies are in the Pumpki n Patch

Click the Pumpkin

Make a donation of \$15 and your furbaby can join the Pumpkin Patch



Naomi & Happy (above) give permission to *crosspost*.....the pumpkin patch! *Please crosspost*

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Papillon Haven Rescue Virtual Foster Angels



Have you ever dreamed of helping a Papillon rescue but don't have the time, the space, or just plain don't know what to do?

[Become a Virtual Foster](#)

(click)

DID YOU KNOW?????

Training can be the difference between a "good" dog and a "bad" dog. Dogs are just like children - they need love, security and guidance. They do NOT raise themselves and instinctively know NOT to chew the couch or your favorite slippers! They have to be trained in a loving manner to exhibit appropriate behavior. Even though it will take effort on your part, you will be amazed at the results consistent training will bring. Don't forget, your dog is learning all the time, whether you are teaching or not determines "what" he is learning.





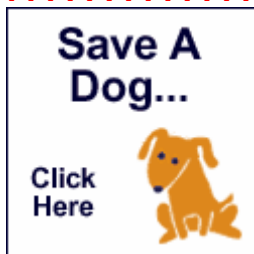
QUESTIONS

1. How can I be the one in charge?

<http://www.trainsdogs.com/alpha.html>

Questions – you have questions? Send to the Contact link below.

-----*Holidays are Coming*-----



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