















A few benefits of volunteering at Mackenzie's

- **1. Be part of the solution**. You'll join a network of hundreds of people working to make a difference.
- Get warm fuzzies. You'll never find a more grateful and accepting comrade than a dog you've comforted.
- **3. Keep good company**. You'll make lots of new friends—and not just the four-legged kind.
- 4. Meet the new you. You'll discover skills you never knew you had.
- **5. Gain a new career**. Employers and college admissions officers look favorably on time spent in volunteer service.
- **6. Enjoy a wagging tail and a smile**. Didn't someone once say that the best things in life are free?

Volunteers are the BEST!

'VOLUNTEERS ARE LOVE IN MOTION'

When you become a Sanctuary volunteer, you're giving the animals what they want and need most: personal attention, handson care and LOVE. Whether you volunteer for a day, a week or longer, the dogs at the Sanctuary truly appreciate the time you spend with them!

Volunteer activities include spending quiet time socializing our dogs, walking, feeding, grooming and assisting with the cleaning of their areas. Taking some of our dogs on outings to town or other near by locations is another way our volunteers help give them new and valuable experiences.

All of these volunteer activities are very important for our dogs and we look forward to having you join our MackPack today!

Thank YOU for being part of this work of love and compassion!

Considering volunteering?

No better time than today! Contact volunteer@mackpack.info to get started!

Mackenzie's is dedicated to finding forever homes for abused, abandoned and neglected dogs. Up to 115 dogs receive daily care, food, training, medical care and the affection of staff and hundreds of volunteers. Our nonprofit is supported entirely through the charitable donations of individuals, business, foundations and caring people like YOU! Thank you for all you make possible!

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A Place to Call Home This Holiday Season

"Our faces may be white, but our hearts are pure gold. There is no shame in growing old."

In a perfect world, every senior pet would spend its twilight years surrounded by a loving family. Sadly, many people are quick to adopt puppies and younger dogs, often overlooking dogs who are 5 years and older. Just like puppies and younger adoptable dogs, older dogs can also make great, loyal, loving companions. Love truly has no age limit! Consider adopting a dog like Daphne, she's the beautiful girl on the cover, she just turned 7. There's also Roger, who's 7. Indie, Cletus & Zeus who are 8 and let's not forget about our handsome boy, Pistol, he's 9 (but acts like he's 4). You would be giving them the best gift of all, a forever home!!





Your continued support ensures Mackenzie's is 'a home along the way' for many dogs and a life-long sanctuary to those who are unable to find a home outside of Mackenzie's. As resident

dogs reach their golden years, our veterinary clinic is a vital component to assist in keeping these aging patients comfortable while addressing chronic diseases and ailments. Mackenzie's efforts include not only finding loving forever homes for rescued dogs, but also maintaining the highest standards of care for all dogs during their stay. Our on-site veterinary clinic allows us to offer high quality veterinary interventions in a timely manner and regular preventive medicine.

Please help continue our efforts of giving the very best to the dogs in our care. Your support is vital! Not only are you helping our dogs get the medical care they deserve, but you are also giving them a second chance at life. Thank you!









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HAPPY TAILS

You can't change a dog's past, but you can rewrite his future...



Ace, EVERYONE'S Shining Star, has lived at Mackenzie's since 2013. To say he was a spoiled at M.A.S would be an understatement.... this farewell was extremely bittersweet. However, our hearts our full that this incredible boy will live out his golden years in a loving forever home. We can't thank this family enough for opening their hearts and giving this senior boy the 2nd chance, he has been waiting for.



On 8/10/2022, Ned also received the life, family and home he has been waiting for since 2017.... .He also gained a canine sister, who was adopted from MAS back in 5/3/2019, (some of you may remember her, her name is KC).

No matter how long it takes, we never give up! We know there's someone for everyone...