



Petey's Playground



*Establishing, Improving and Preserving the Relationships
Between Seniors and Their Pets*

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Year End **2016** Mews-Letter

2017 marks the beginning of our **6th** year of operation. So hard to Believe!. We have had really successful events, the **Fishbake**, **Trivia** and **Treasure Sale**. We've attended great events sponsored by other organizations and met some great people who have in the past and continue to make major contributions to Petey's Playground. We have done wonderful things with people and their pets. We could not continue to have the impact that we do without the support of so many people we have come to know. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.
Happy New Year to all of you!

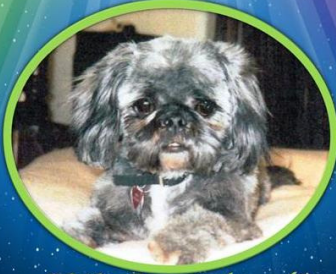
Well, here we go!



The land is cleared, other than a little polishing up after Blue Stake. Bids are in and selected, permit applied for and in process. We have been bursting at the seams with dogs the last few months and are excited about being able to offer a place for them to run off some steam. It is a \$5,000 price tag not including the agility equipment and other enrichment items we will be adding after it has been enclosed. If you would like to make a donation specific to this project please let us know. The dogs and my living room furniture will thank you!



PETEY'S PLAYGROUND
2017 CALENDAR



"Otis Remembered"



If you have not purchased a 2017 Petey's Playground calendar yet, we have a special deal for you. A colorful inspiring calendar full of wonderful pets and rescues and a pair of paw print earrings. Such a deal! All for only \$10.00, available at Muleshoe Animal Clinic, the Yarnell Community Center or by mail. Contact Kim for delivery the next time there is a trip to Wickenburg or Prescott.
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Petey's Annual Treasure Sale

When we developed our mission statement in 2012 we chose not to address feral cat situations. As we continued to address the needs of our community it became apparent that the un-owned outdoor cat colonies needed us too.

Our annual **Treasure Sale** raises funds to help with spay/neuter, food, medical treatments and re-homing of these cats where appropriate.

This year our **Treasure Sale** will be held

Friday, February 17th & Saturday, February 18th from 9am-4pm,
at **Muleshoe Animal Clinic in Peeples Valley.**

As a special treat, the **"Biscuit Boys"** will be cookin' up **"Cowboy Style" biscuits and gravy** over a campfire in cast iron Dutch ovens on **Saturday from 9am-2pm,** for a donation.

Contact Kim: 928-713-1375 or Kathy: 928-237-8659

If you have anything to donate for the **Treasure Sale.**



Duncan became the newest addition to our dogs for adoption when his owner recently died. He is 8 years old and weighs about 15 pounds. He gets along well with other dogs and also with cats.

Call Kim if you would like to meet Duncan, he just might fit in with your family.

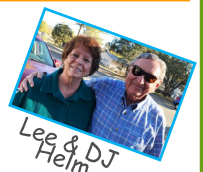


Shadow's owner hurt herself in a fall. Despite her best efforts to recover fully, after almost four months of re-hab she decided it would be best for her companion of four years to be in a home with someone who could walk and play with her. Denny K lost his best friend a year and a half ago and decided it was time to start looking for another one to share his home with. Shadow and Denny met and it was a perfect match.



Dick & Jane Meyers

Petey's volunteers were volunteers at UAF's annual Rummage Sale in November. They were happy to help the animals in Prescott, too.



Lee & DJ Helm



Curly and her sister, **Princess**, come from an over-crowding situation and they have a lot of catching up to do. These two girls and the others that will be coming behind them need a foster home that can devote time to getting them comfortable in a wide range of circumstances. They look sad here but they are really happy, sweet girls once they trust you. They are good with other dogs. Petey's addressed another over-crowding situation with 17 cats that has us bursting at the seams. Please consider opening up your home to help these dogs along. All tools and equipment will be provided.



Most days in a helping profession roll along like a healthy well-fed river, fast and steady. Then there are the days when you get dropped right in the middle of the rapids. All rivers have them and you do the best you can to navigate through them. We are working on two over-crowding situations. One with 10 small dogs, Curly and Princess are the first two, and one with 12-17 cats. All the animals will need medical care and fosters until they are adopted. We are still sorting through the cat population to determine the best course of action. The dogs are all sweet but shy and will need work with house training. I have worked with shy dogs for 20 years. They are by far my favorite type of rescues. When you break through to them it is the best feeling. If you can help with fostering please let me know. **928-713-1375**

TRIVIA ~ APRIL 22, 2017

**IT'S NOT TOO EARLY TO START
GETTING YOUR TEAM TOGETHER FOR:**

2017 TRIVIA EVENT!

HELD AT YARNELL FIRE STATION

22558 S. LOOKA WAY

DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM

GAME STARTS AT 5:30

TICKETS ARE \$15.00 PER PERSON

IN ADVANCE. GET THEM AT

MULESHOE ANIMAL CLINIC OR

CALL KIM~928-713-1375

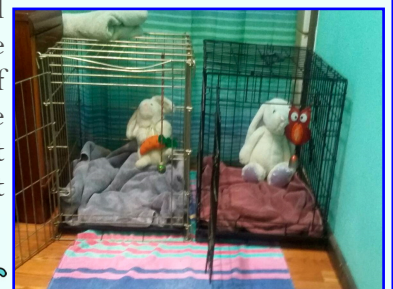
ALL PROCEEDS GO TO

PETEY'S PLAYGROUND'S GENERAL FUND.

**A GREAT NIGHT OF FUN WITH DOOR
PRIZES, FOOD, AND BEVERAGES.**

**COME WITH A TEAM OR
PICK ONE TO JOIN UP WITH.**

When we first entered the overcrowded cat house we saw several cats in need of immediate medical care. Three kittens barely weaned had eyes matted shut with symptoms of upper respiratory infection and several adult cats had similar symptoms. This "cold" is very contagious and Dr. Kate could examine and prescribe treatment for them but keeping them in the clinic presented danger to other client's cats coming in. The call went out for immediate fosters and as usual our area people stepped up. We don't have just ordinary fosters here. In addition to the "Homeless Cat Hilton," at Kathy Fitzgerald and Wayne Keller's house, Cathy Vinyard opened her house for the first time to our animals in need. The "Homeless Cat Hilton Annex" at the Vinyard household welcomed two of the cats to this! Talk about winning the lottery! Thank you Kurt and Jerry, Connie Callen, Cathy Vinyard, Theresa Kuhn, Kay Morefield and of course Monica Eastwood and Wayne & Kathy for fostering when the call went out. As we grow the need becomes greater. If you can foster even once we can't promise we won't ask you again but you just might get hooked on the feeling.



"Homeless Cat Hilton Annex"

Donation Form

Please make checks payable to *Petey's Playground*

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Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Amount Donated _____ PayPal-see Website-www.peteyisplayground.org

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Calendar of Events

***Treasure Sale**
Feb 17th & 18th
Muleshoe Animal Clinic

***Trivia April 22nd**
Yarnell Fire Dept.

***Fishbake November 4th**
Model Creek School

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