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Spring/Summer

News & Stories of Courage, Love and Second Chances

The Newsletter of Beagles of **New England States** B.O.N.E.S

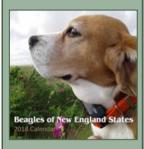








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Two Of A Kind

This pair will make a full and happy house. Meet Maisy and Baxter, a brother and sister pair of beagles who are looking for their forever home. We would love for them to be adopted together but it is not necessary. They can go to different adopters providing you have the right setting for them.

Maisy and Baxter are already house trained and both know the commands "sit, stay and come". That's pretty impressive, wouldn't you say?

Maisy really loves to be with people. She sticks very close to her human for snuggling and to get a treat. She loves food but don't all beagles? She also gets very excited, to the point where her whole body shakes, when meeting new people. She's so happy with humans!

Maisy loves to go for walks, though like most beagles, she does pull a bit. If she smells something, of course she wants to investigate. She learns quickly so a little patience and training will help her slow down and not pull so much.

She is not big on car rides. She gets very anxious and pants when she first gets into the car but eventually sits down and looks out the window. Majsy thinks if she can get more experience in the car, she will get over her wariness.

Maisy enjoys playing with her brother Baxter and likes to play with some other dogs, but she can be a bit selective with her friends. She would rather have a friend come over than go to a crowded dog park. Too much chaos for her!

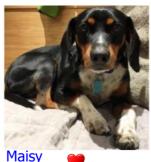
Unlike her sister, Baxter can sometimes be a finicky eater. He will eat eventually, but he doesn't want to necessarily eat at the exact time his meal arrives. Baxter prefers to relax first, and then eat leisurely, he has a more "European" attitude towards food!

Baxter loves his sister because he's not very confident and feels safe with her. However, if you have a dog that is confident and can help Baxter, he would love it!

Baxter loves to go for walks and loves to run. Are you a runner or a fast walker? Baxter would be perfect for you.

Sometimes he can be a bit skittish; loud noises and sudden movements tend to frighten him. If you drop something, Baxter might run away from you but with some gentle quidance, patience and training, he could get used to just about anything.

Baxter is not a huge fan of hopping into a car, but once he's in, he settles down guickly and goes to sleep. He says the movement of the car is good for naps. He also likes to snooze on the sofa, but what beagle doesn't? Another favorite thing is cuddling with his humans, he loves to be snuggled and cozy. This pair will steal your heart. ♥ ~S.V.



"Are you looking for a sweet brother and sister who want nothing more than to have a loving forever home?"

> "We sure hope to meet you very soon. It will be wonderful to have a family of our very own."



Baxter





The Journey Home

Thanks to our Volunteers, Beagles of New England States have helped over 1,480 beagles find their forever homes.





People Foods: Can I Feed My Dog...?



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Are you in need of a boarding facility?

Hoping to train and teach your hound some new tricks and manners?

Are you new to the area and looking for a vet for your pup?

Check out our list of Rescue Friendly Pros







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While your beagle may get all moon-eyed over your stack of flapjacks, there may be some better choices to offer them at breakfast or other meals. We all know how they love "people food", but remember, like in anything, moderation is the key, especially new ones to their diet. No one needs a rumblev tumblev!



- Cottage cheese is high in protein and calcium and it can be a good way to add some extra protein to your dog's diet. Be aware that cottage cheese is a dairy product and some dogs don't do well with dairy, so make sure you start with just a small amount.
- Peanut butter is a healthy, high-protein treat for dogs. Try smearing some inside or on one of your dog's toys and let the licking begin! Be aware that some peanut butters have Xylitol as an ingredient, Xylitol is extremely toxic to dogs. Even small amounts of Xylitol can cause low blood sugar, seizures, liver failure or death in dogs.
- Eggs are a great source of very digestible protein, riboflavin, and selenium. For some dogs that are prone to digestive upset, eggs can give them a little protein boost. Adding eggs to your dog's food is a healthy treat. Make sure to use cooked whole egg, as raw egg whites can cause biotin deficiency.
- Rice is good to feed when your dog has an upset tummy and needs a bland meal. There are a variety of different types of rice, but brown rice is a little higher in protein and a little lower in fat compared to white rice. White or instant rice is an easily digestible carbohydrate which makes it a good source of energy when your dog has an upset tummy or if you are feeding an older dog.
- Squash, like pumpkin, can be added to bulk up a dog's stool and is a good source of betacarotene (provitamin A). Hint: remove the seeds and then slice and freeze the squash to make it a fun, crunchy snack for your dog.
- Popcorn that has been air popped with no butter or salt is a great low calorie treat for your dog. Popcorn contains potassium as well as the bone-building phosphorous, calcium and magnesium. So snuggle up and share that popcorn with your furry friend next time you watch a movie.
- Parsley has long been thought to improve doggie breath, so next time you are baking treats for your dog, try adding a few tablespoons of chopped parsley for added flavor and color. Parsley can also be a good source of calcium, potassium, and beta-carotene.
- Peas can be added right to your dog's food, frozen or thawed. Peas are a good source of the B vitamin Thiamin, phosphorous, and potassium.
- Yogurt is a good source of available calcium and protein. When choosing yogurt, pick one that has live active bacteria and no sugars or artificial sweeteners. The active bacteria may act as probiotics. If your pooch is pudgy, make sure that you pick fat-free yogurt but not one that contains fat substitutes (e.g., Simplesse or Olestra).

And yum! Frozen yogurt is a nice summer treat for dogs (and for us) too!

For more examples of tasty and healthy treats for your hound, go to Modern Dog Magazine



Hot Dogs



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Mackey (in the cab)



and make it so!



Follow Bella on her Good Deeds





It is the month of June, and Summer is here! That means warmer weather and more walks on pavement, car rides to dog parks, cookouts and family get-togethers. Warm days are great for us, but how do those temps affect our pups?

How hot would the sidewalks would be on your bare feet? How bright the midday sun would be without your sunglasses?

As the days get hotter, maybe you can schedule your walks during the cooler part of the day and provide cool water when you take a break.





It is also time to remind everyone how deadly it can be to take your buddy out to run errands, how quickly a beautiful day can turn tragic.

If you need to stop at a store, stop and think first. Be kind and leave your dog at home; they will be safer, cooler and excited when you return!





Lean On Me...



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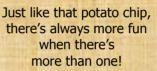














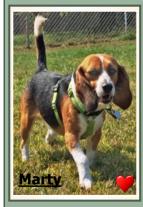




Got Beagle?











AROOO! The B.O.N.E.S. 2019 Calendar Contest is Underway!

You are invited to submit your best color beagle pictures for the annual calendar photo contest. There will be an entry fee of \$10 per picture and there is no limit on how many adorable pictures you may submit!

- All photos are due by July 4, 2018. Please see the contest rules and the photography tips (on the <u>Calendar website</u>) to make sure your photos fit the standards for use in the calendar.
- Voting will take place a few days after the photo submission deadline.
 More details to follow.
- The calendars will be available for sale at the 2018 Beagle Bash on September 29, 2018. They will also be available online via the B.O.N.E.S. website.

Thank you in advance for supporting the beagles!



Contribute to our Winter 2017 Annual Appeal and help beagles like Peter and Jake

In fourteen years B.O.N.E.S. has rescued more than 1,475 beagles that were surrendered, abandoned, neglected or abused and found loving, adoptive homes for them throughout New England.

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BELLA'S GOOD DEEDS

"Do you think of your dog as a person because of all the remarkable things she does or do you think of your dog just as a dog?"





Read about the National Reading Week at the Springbrook School in Westerly, RI

MACKEY IN THE CAB

Greetings from Kittery, Maine!



Follow John and I with our stories of life on the road & on the water!

Read all about our recent trip from Tennessee to Maine!



