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MADE is THIS Month!

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April Hours: Tues-Sat 10am-4pm

As a reminder, please do not park in the lawyer's parking lot north of our shop. Extra parking is available in the south lot.

HAPPY TAILS: CHOCOLATE

Written by: Kathy Wiggins

In June of 2021, as Chocolate frantically ran along the river, she had no idea where home was or where to go. Fortunately for scared Chocolate Melissa saw her and being an animal lover, knew she couldn't leave her there. So after several tries Melissa was able to capture Chocolate, who is a 6 year old female toy Australian Shepherd, and brought her to her house.

Even though Chocolate was now in a safe environment with plenty of fresh food, water, and affection, she started coughing and having bloody diarrhea. Melissa took Chocolate to a veterinarian where she was treated for bronchitis, but no definitive diagnosis could be made. It was possible that Chocolate's symptoms were from the stress she had gone through while she was running loose.

Because Melissa already had 2 cats and 2 dogs she had no plans to permanently keep Chocolate. And because there was no sign of a chip when scanned at the veterinarian's office she posted fliers and put up posts on the internet, hoping the owner would be looking for this beautiful little girl. Eventually Melissa was contacted by a dog breeder who stated that Chocolate had come from her kennel, where she had had 2 litters of puppies. The woman offered to take her back but Melissa told her that she had become attached to Chocolate and had decided to keep her.

Having shopped at Rescued and because Chocolate was an unexpected rescue dog who was now going to be a full fledged family member, Melissa spoke to Erin about the various charges that were adding up for Chocolate's medical care. Besides the exams and treatment for the coughing and diarrhea, which included x-rays, bloodwork, antibiotics, pain medication, fecal samples, and anti-nausea medicines, Chocolate needed dental treatment, including removing several teeth, all her vaccinations, which caused an allergic reaction to one of them, and to be spayed. Rescued was able to cover about \$2,000 of the expenses.

Melissa also decided to possibly help Chocolate by no longer using any body sprays, plug-in room fresheners, or scented candles, since some pets can be sensitive to these products.

Chocolate is now doing well, according to Melissa, and gets along great with the other furry family members. "Without Rescued I probably wouldn't have been able to keep Chocolate and would have had to find another home for her. I'm forever grateful to Rescued", Melissa stated. And to let everyone know how she feels, check out the photo!



MAKER SPOTLIGHT: LISA

Lisa found Rescued one day when she and her sister happened to be driving by and saw the sign on 16th street. They both love to go to resale shops, and Lisa loves animals. She has a five year old black lab mix that she rescued as well as two cats. Rescued and Lisa were meant to be!

Lisa has been a nanny for 21 years and enjoys sewing. She decided she wanted to do something for Rescued, so last October she made and donated some hand made trick-or-treat bags that Rescued gave away as an incentive to bring people to the shop. Afterward, Lisa decided she wanted to do something similar for the next holiday, so for Christmas she started making smaller gift bags. She did the same for Valentine's Day, and now she is working on handmade bags for Easter!

You can find Lisa's wonderful creations in the shop as well as many other handmade creations that are so generously donated. Thank you for sharing your passion for animals and your sewing skills, Lisa. We are so grateful!



APRIL 'MEWS' & EVENTS

REVIVE CAFE

5% of April sale will be donated to Rescued! If you have yet to try Revive Cafe, they have so many tasty and healthy fresh salads, wraps, smoothies, smoothie bowls, juices, energy drinks, fair trade coffee, and soups. There is really something for everyone! Check out their menu on their Facebook page for all of the delicious options!



Call out for all jewelry, even broken jewelry!

SHARON MARTIN

Sharon will be donating a portion of proceeds from her booth at Crafts @ CASI Spring 2022 on Sunday April 3rd.

The event is being held at the Center for Active Seniors 1035 W Kimberly Rd. Davenport from 10am to 3pm.

You can visit the event page on Facebook for more information!

QCWC apparel is in the shop!



BUBBA'S BUDDIES MUGS

Bubba's Buddies supports research and treatment for Degenerative Myelopathy. They are dedicated to finding a cure and supporting DM dogs and their owners. And now you can get their mugs in the shop! Visit bubbabuddies.org for more information about DM and the Bubba's Buddies organization.

ALLEY SHOPPERS T-SHIRT DESIGN

Alley Shoppers is taking orders for their "Peace, Love, and Rescue" t-shirts available in gray or white. Send them a message on Facebook by April 9th to get yours!

The cost is \$25, \$5 of which goes to Rescued.

Find Alley Shoppers on Facebook to get yours today!



SAVE THE DATE FOR RESCUED'S ANNUAL Gift & Garden sale

Plan on coming to celebrate the welcoming of spring at Rescued's Gift & Garden Sale
Saturday, May 7th
10am - 4pm at Rescued!



LAWNMOWER TUNE-UP

Call 309-269-4828 for appointment. Services include new oil, air filter, spark plugs, clean and lube deck, wheels, cables, blade sharpening. Cost is usually \$35. All proceeds will go to Animal Aid Humane Society.

REGAN LAPAY

Thank you so much to the sweet and generous Regan Lapay for collecting wish list items for Rescued instead of gifts for her birthday. We are delighted to receive such a generous gift from you, Regan. Happy Birthday!



Special Thanks

HENRY COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY

Thank you to our friends at the HCHS for collecting donations for Rescued in March!

Thanks Coot's Cookies for donating cookies for our Women's Day Event!

DCP NATURALS

Thank you to our friends at DCP Naturals for generously donating \$75 from their recent event! Stay tuned for ways to support them this upcoming farmers' market season!