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Dear Friends and Supporters,

The past year has seen SADS save the lives of hundreds of beautiful companion animals. Animals which would otherwise have been killed.

SADS has driven 3 times each week to retrieve dogs and cats from country pounds.

SADS has saved companion animals, which would otherwise have no help, from across Metropolitan Melbourne.

SADS has also taken dogs and cats from owners, who for many reasons, have not been able to, or have not wanted to, keep their companion animals.

SADS has provided veterinary treatment, both routine and lifesaving and cared for these creatures, sometimes for years, that they may be happy, treasured and live out their natural lifespans.

SADS has also contributed and helped the human community in innumerable ways.

None of this could have been achieved without the help and support in so many ways of you, its supporters.

As another financial year ticks over.... thank you all so much, SADS could not exist to do the vital work it does without you.

Yours Sincerely, Pamela Weaver OAM Founder and President. Look into our eyes

We would all be dead but for Save-A-Dog Scheme. We are your loyal and loving companions.

Please help SADS to continue to save dogs and cats like us by giving generously this end of financial year.







## DONATIONS YOU MAKE TO SADS OF \$2 OR MORE ARE NOW TAX DEDUCTIBLE ON YOUR ANNUAL TAX RETURN

Save-A-Dog Scheme (SADS) was established in 1985 to offer a humane alternative to the killing of unwanted dogs, especially dogs of good temperament, that would otherwise be destroyed at pounds and shelters.

SADS is an incorporated, non-profit, community based organisation controlled and operated by volunteers with the help of paid staff. It operates as a registered animal shelter and combines this with foster care in the community. Each dog is desexed, vaccinated, wormed, microchipped, vet checked and temperament assessed prior to adoption.

SADS has a no kill philosophy and believes that the dichotomy of a dog being "Mans Best Friend" on the one hand and an unwanted article for destruction on the other is

totally unacceptable. SADS is a "coal-face" organisation, which saves hundreds of dogs each year and which seeks, by example, to provide a better way of treating non-human animals.

Save-A-Dog Scheme relies on donations for its continuing existence and does not receive any government funding. Donations to Save-A-Dog Scheme are now tax deductible and help with the general care of the dogs and the maintenance of the organisation.

The greatest expense is for veterinary treatment for the dogs, which includes the care of sick and injured dogs. These dogs are nursed back to health rather than being destroyed as they may be elsewhere.



# $\mathcal{M}$ aye

Beagle X
Female
~6 months old

Maye has that lovely happy beagle nature and all the traits of a beagle! For that reason she would not be able to be left alone all day. She has lived with a dog in the past and to help keep her out of trouble she will need to continue that arrangement. Ideally a home that understands the breed would suit Maye. She is going to grow into a tall dog



# Cheryl Jack Russell Terrier X

Jack Russell Terrier X Female ~12 years old

Cheryl is an active senior dog who has a happy personality and thoroughly enjoys being out and about on a walk. She is very comfortable with other dogs and would be more than happy to share with another senior or quiet placid dog.



#### Ella

Kelpie X Female ~2 years old

Ella is a nice dog who, at this stage is quite timid. She will need a home with another friendly, playful dog.



#### Bindi

German Shorthaired Pointer Female ~18 months old

Bindi is a very frightened dog and will need to live with another kind canine to help her gain confidence. She will need a new human companion that has experience with dogs and can give her the reassurance and training she requires to cope with the world



#### Patch

Blue Heeler X Staffordshire Bull Terrier Male ~16 months old

Patch is an energetic, goofy friendly boy who needs an experienced owner.



#### Euro

Labrador Male ~11 years old

Euro is a happy dog and even though he is a senior he has lots of energy and thoroughly enjoys his walks. He would very much like a home where there is someone around during the day and he would live with another canine that wasn't too young and bouncy



### Captain

Domestic Short Hair Male

~14 months old

Captain is social cat looking for an active home. He is energetic and enjoys playtime so would probably best be suited to older children. He will need a home that provides him with plenty of social interaction. He enjoys his time outside and will also need access to both indoors and outdoors during the day. He may also be happy living with a friendly dog.



#### Ronnie

Domestic Short Hair Male

~13 months old

Ronnie is looking for a quiet home with someone to give him time to gain confidence. For this reason he is best suited to a home without young children and someone with a bit of cat experience. He is still learning to trust people but loves a good head rub and shows his appreciation by purring and kneading.



#### Pirate

Domestic Short Hair Male ~8 years old

Pirate is a confident cat looking for an indoor home or one with a cat run. He is friendly and affectionate. He is happy to accept pats and seeks out attention when people are nearby. Despite his age he is still a playful and active cat. He may be happy living with a friendly dog.



#### Mo

Domestic Short Hair Male ~5 years old

Mo is a beautiful cat and so very affectionate. He will make a wonderful family cat and could possibly live with a female feline or a dog. He will settle into his new home with ease and soon befriend everyone. Mo is a great explorer and will never be happy as an indoor cat. Consequently he must be able to access the outdoors, but because he is a wanderer, he will need a cat run .



#### Carmen

Domestic Short Hair Female ~7 months old

Carmen came to us as a kitten with very little human interaction. She is slowly learning that people are not to be feared and is even learning to enjoy pats. Carmen will need a friendly feline companion in her new home and a cat experienced owner. She is playful and once comfortable enjoys all the usual kitten games of chasing and pouncing.



# Hancy Domestic Short Hair

Domestic Short Ha
Female
~3 years old

Nancy came to us with a litter of kittens. Her kittens have all since been rehomed but Nancy is still waiting. Nancy will need a quiet adult home with a patient owner. She will take time to settle in but once comfortable will be happy to accept pats and will rub up against you to show her affection.



#### TiTi

Domestic Short Hair Female

~17 months old

At first Ji Ji may be a little shy but she will quickly overcome this diffidence to allow her truly loving and companionable personality to shine through. She would love to share your life and your home as an inside cat.



### Bridget

Domestic Short Hai. Female ~2 years old

Bridget is a friendly cat looking for a quiet home. She can be shy at first and will take time to settle into a new environment. For this reason she is best suited to an adult home or one with older children. Once she is comfortable in her surroundings she will happily give you head butts while loudly purring. Bridget also enjoys the company of other cats and may be happy living with a friendly male cat

## Location and Hours of Shelter

36 Weir Street Glen Iris (Past Tait Timber off Carroll Cres.) (Melway 59 F5) Open 7 days: 9am to 5 pm

(Please refer to our website or phone for hours on public holidays) (Animal Viewing: 10am to 4pm)

# A Very Big Thank You!

To Kerry Buckley, Stephen Cornips and H&B Fashion for the wonderful gift of uniform vests, jumpers, polo tops and raincoats.

For many years now SADS has been the grateful recipient of these items of clothing for its team of workers.

These items have been supplied in wonderful shades of navy, green, purple, cherry red and black and each carries a beautifully embroidered SADS mascot dog with the organisation's name underneath.



Kerry and Stephen...we are most appreciative, and thanks to you, the team is not only kept warm and dry in winter but also cool in summer. and SADS is able to present as a professional and well turned out organisation well equipped to represent the noble cause of animal welfare.

#### Have You Become a Supporter Yet?

Annual Subscriptions are due by the end of June each year. Please fill out the subscription form below and post to

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or other proper officer of the Association shall be complete discharge to my Trustee for any monies paid to the Association"