

Nebraska Rescue Council – July 2014 Newsletter

July 29, 2014 Meeting: Panera Bread, Lincoln, NE

Rescues in Attendance

- Pug Partners
- Feline Friendz
- Good Dog Rescue
- Airedale Terrier Rescue & Adoption
- JRT Rescue
- Missouri German Shepherd Rescue
- Pets in Omaha
- Horse of My Heart
- Bailing Out Benji



July Guest Speaker

- Mindi Long from **Bailing Out Benji**
 - Educational organization to give individuals the power to change the lives of the animals around them.
 - They provide free lectures and presentations about various humane education topics in schools, libraries, and other public venues, as well as, utilizing social media channels and the organization's website to provide facts, statistics, and solutions to helping animals in harmful or less than ideal situations.
 - Their programs include sending out ambassadors to raise social consciousness about these animal welfare issues on a local and national level and holding fundraising events in order to raise awareness about said issues or to provide immediate relief to animals in need.

News and Updates

- Business Sponsorship/Partnership available for flyer distribution: We are considering print sponsorships for local businesses. Business logos will be printed on our redesigned flyer for distribution at local shops. Mellow Mushroom in Lincoln is participating as our first brochure partner and is distributing our information to their patrons. If you know of a business already expressed interest and venues in Omaha are also being considered.
- On September 17th, from 6:30-9:30PM, Canvas and Cabernet in Aksarben Village will offer a **Paint Your Pet** night for only \$50.00! NRC receives 15% of all proceeds! For more information and to register, [click here!](#)

Emergency Response Network Planning – Volunteers Needed!

- The July meeting discussed emergency training and establishing a state-wide response team for deployment during disasters and large-scale breeder releases. If you are interested in participating in emergency response training, let Jessica know at president@nerescue.org. We are also seeking contacts for a statewide emergency email list.
- National deployment opportunities are available as well. [Click here](#) for the requirements, restrictions and application materials to assist with specific national deployments. You can also register your rescue or shelter as an [Emergency Placement Partner](#).

Supplies & Services

- A social group for Omaha rescuers is available on FaceBook at: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/omaha.rescue.leaders.social.group/>. You'll receive notices of social events, rescue placements, etc.
- SitStay.com has free piddle pads available. Email Jill at jill@sitstay.com for more information!
- Pets in Omaha is motivated to help educate the public on utilizing rescue services. Please use this important resource!

Funding Resources

- AnimalSheltering.org, [click here](#).
- For The Lowell Fund, [click here](#).

Schedule for Upcoming Regular Meetings:

- Saturday, August 23rd at 5625 O Street, Suite #7 (2nd level) in Lincoln from 1:00-2:30PM. Please use the South entrance. This meeting will offer a discussion on declawing felines and the Pets for Life program.
- Thursday, September 6:30-7:30PM, The Green Spot (1110 S 71st St) in Omaha.
- Saturday, October 18th, in Lincoln, 10:00-11:30AM. Location TBD.

Upcoming Meeting Topics/Invited Guests

- Holistic Dog Care
- Addressing the sale of puppy mill dogs

We invite speakers to present at our meetings to discuss various issues including burn-out, rescue supplies, work-life balance, etc. If you or someone you know would be interested in presenting to our group, send an email to president@nerescue.org.

Advertising & Promotions

Links to www.nerescue.org:

[Click here](#) to link your website to The NRC!

Ways to Get Involved?

Join us on [Pinterest](#)

Join us on [Facebook](#)

Download our [brochure!](#)

Business Sponsorships available starting at \$50.00. Contact president@nerescue.org for more information.

For a list of current events, visit: <http://petsinomaha.com/events>

If you have an event you'd like posted, contact lee@petsinomaha.com

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The Nebraska Rescue Council is a 501(c)3 organization formed for independent, state-licensed, animal shelters and rescues to work together to promote one another, reduce euthanasia and provide information to the public. Volunteer opportunities are available.