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## Ways to Get Involved With BASH

- Adopt a Husky
- Join a BASH email list
- Buy a sweatshirt or T
- Give a membership as a gift
- Help with an adoption fair
- Donate to BASH
- Attend a bi-monthly general meeting
- Foster a Husky
- Help transport a Husky

## Upcoming Events

MARK Y OUR CALENDAR

Watch the BASH list for info on possible reschedule of SnoBASH 2

May 22 Vaccine Clinic

June 19 Fun Match

May – Nov Umunhum Runs  
will be scheduled

September 18 Ice Cream Social

October 16 Fall Furry Flurry

December 10 Christmas Party

## Calendar 2012

We will again be doing a Calendar for 2012. Start sending your pictures now to Cheryl.

[wj54@sbcglobal.net](mailto:wj54@sbcglobal.net)



Last year's calendar was great as will the upcoming one.

Hope to see many pictures of our dogs.....

# Husky Eyes Grain Free Doggie Treats

They come in the following flavors in 8 oz packages

1. Mint & yogurt \$ 2.00
2. Pumpkin pie \$2.00
3. Peanut butter & bananas \$2.00
4. Sweet pototo & coconut \$4.00

Shipping is \$3.95

So give them a try your dogs will be howling for more.

If you would like more information or pricing and even samples you can email or give me a call.

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P.O. Box 305  
Pacific grove ca 93950  
[Brndy2133@yahoo.com](mailto:Brndy2133@yahoo.com) or  
(831) 970-2360



The shirts are in but we already need to make another order so if you want one or two, let me know and I will add it to the order

Cost

Hoodie \$35.00

Crew \$25.00

SS Henley \$25.00

We ordered shirts but can order more if you missed the deadline.

We will add shipping if you can't pick up

at my office.

E-mail order to [BASH@com-ctl.com](mailto:BASH@com-ctl.com) or mail a check to  
BASH, 2633 S Bascom Ave, Campbell CA 95008  
Send me size, color and style.

# SnoBASH 2 March 25, 26, 27” Postponed/Cancelled....???

I have been a member of BASH since 1992 and we have had storms that kept us from sledding for a day but never like this. In 1996 the group stayed in the parking lot at Bear Valley Cross Country cooking hot dogs and letting the kids get pulled around by our dogs. The next day was beautiful. Other years we had to un burry our gear on the second day and two years we have high tailed it out to beat a storm on Sunday.

This was quite a year though. In January we left early on Sunday because of a big storm and In February races were cancelled because of LACK of snow...and warm weather. We scheduled SnoBASH 2 earlier than usual because Easter is so late all feared there would be no snow at the end of April..... Well this year we got the biggest snow storm of the last 10 years and maybe longer when the totals are in. We postponed going because it would not be fair to the dogs. We would have had a blast but we would not be able to blaze our own trail. They would have been in the cars for 3 days and we could only



walk them. The Cross Country Meadow had a total of 15 feet of snow by the end of the storm. When we postponed they had 5 feet and were expecting more. They would not be able to put a trail in for us. We could run the housing area, but that might not stay



clear either. Arnold had a lot of trouble with power, but Bear Valley was fine.

So instead, we met at my house Saturday night to eat the dinner , desserts etc that had been cooked/bought to eat at the lodge. We had a great time. On Sunday we ran the dogs on Umunhum and ate what we were to have for lunch at SnoBASH. Attached our some pictures of our SnoBASH – Umunhum.



We did discuss having another chance at SnoBASH this year. We talked about the last weekend in April or possibly later in May. All depends on the weather. If we think we can get the lodge and there is snow we will post it to the BASH list.

## TIME TO RENEW YOUR DUES

Many have already done it, but if you haven't they are due by May 1, 2011. If you get a newsletter your expire date is on the label. If you get the e-mail list and aren't sure if you have renewed, just e-mail Randee at [BASH@com-ctl.com](mailto:BASH@com-ctl.com).

If you have adopted a dog from BASH, Norsled or a shelter in the past year, you can just ask to have your membership renewed for a year. All who have adopted get put on our e-mail list but not all want to continue. It is easier for us to just renew those that want to continue to receive information from the list.

After the May Newsletter is sent, if you have not renewed, you will be removed from the mailing list.

Dues     \$25 Associate                      \$30 single                                      \$35 Family



# Presents-

## Karen Ramstead

*Iditarod finisher and Siberian Husky that both sleds and shows her dogs know as "Pretty Sled Dogs"*

Ever fantasized about running the Iditarod behind your own 16-dog team? Thought about how you would find the trail when you are out there in the wilderness by yourself? Worried about how you would go to the bathroom? Karen Ramstead, the first Canadian woman to complete the Iditarod, will be talking about her personal experiences in running this race multiple times. She will talk about training, showing and more.

Karen owns North Wapiti Kennels in Alberta, Canada, where she breeds and trains her dogs. They are beautiful purebred Siberians, hence the name "pretty sled dogs". We will stroll through her kennels pictorially, and meet many of her dogs. We will hear about the mischief they get into, as well as their love of running. Many of her racing dogs are champion show dogs also.

She will have a fantastic slide show with pictures taken during and after the running of the race which show the teams running along flawlessly while the musher stands on the runners looking at ease. She will tell us the true story. Ever try to park a 16-dog sled team next to multiple other 16-dog sled teams? For those of us who have problems parking the family car, this sounds very daunting!

**Come Join us –**

**Where:** Harry's Hofrau  
390 Saratoga Ave  
San Jose CA 95129

**When;** 12:00 Noon

**Date** June 18, 2011

**Cost:** \$32.50 per person  
(includes a great buffet lunch) paid by June 1, 2011  
or \$35 if paid after June 1

**Pay via Paypal on our website : [SNDD.org](http://SNDD.org)**

# Semi-Annual Vaccination/Microchip/Prevention Products Clinic

To support



Bay Area Siberian Husky Club

***For Dogs and Cats***

Sunday May 22, 2011

10:30 am to 12:00 noon



2633 S Bascom Ave  
Campbell CA  
(intersection of Bascom/Union  
Communication and Control)

For Dogs- DHLPP, Rabies, Lyme,  
Bordetella  
For Cats- FVRCP, FeLV , Rabies



All \$10.00 each

Heartworm test - \$25.00 (should be done yearly if you don't give prevention and bi-annually if you do)

24 Watch chip- \$25.00 (free registration)

Advantage, Heartguard, Frontline and more available to purchase (call and ask- we will try to get it). ***Our prices are comparable to internet prices.*** Heartguard for 50-100#'s 6 pack- \$35 and a 12 pack \$ 68.00. 10% off preorders of 4 packages or more.

RSVP - # of dogs, # of cats and what shots and supplies you plan on buying. If there is something you would like and it isn't on the list, please call and we will see if we can get it. Rande McQueen – 408-377-2900 or e-mail at [BASH@com-ctl.com](mailto:BASH@com-ctl.com).

The next clinic will be in November 2011

All proceeds benefit BASH.





This fun match is for all, not just those that do confirmation. You don't have to know what to do either. This is a match for those that show to practice and the rest of us just to have fun with our dogs.

For those that have AKC registered Siberian Huskies, Alaskan Malamutes and Samoyeds, they will enter confirmation.

All of those that look purebred Siberian, Malamute or Samoyed that have been rescued or acquired without papers but have been altered, can enter Conformation Spay/neuter for that breed.

All of those that have taken our wonderful mixes enter Sled Dog - Sib, Sammy, Mal, and all those in between can enter Sled Dog.

There are classes for puppies, adults, veterans and champions. We will be happy to help you with which to enter..

You don't have to know what you are doing, nor does your dog. This is an event that is meant to be fun and expose all of us to having more fun.

Traveling North on I-680 you would need to exit at Stone Valley East and turn right at the stop sign. The park will be on your right hand side about 1.5 miles down the road.

Traveling South on I-680 you would need to take the Stone Valley Road EAST exit. The park will be on your right hand side about 1.5 miles down the road.

It is located next to Monte Vista High School and you may park in the school parking lot.



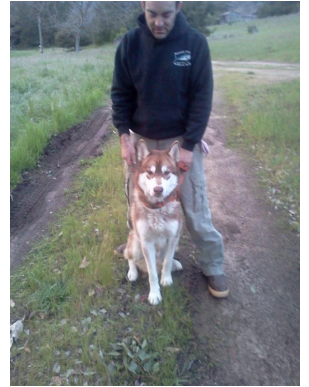
# Rescue April 2011

## Serving the Bay Area & Northern California

Descriptions of the dogs listed in this newsletter, including evaluations of their temperaments, are furnished by the people placing them. We are providing an exchange of information only and we do not attempt to verify the information given

Mlise A  
831-970-2360  
[brndy2133@yahoo.com](mailto:brndy2133@yahoo.com)

Chinook is a striking 2 year old male siberian husky. He is very affectinate and a people person that needs to be right next to you. He gets along with large as well as medium dogs, but not cats or small dogs. If loves playing in water he knows how to gives his paw and sit, no pulling on his lead. He is large but very gentle. He loves chewing on bones and playing with rope



Karen Fenton  
650-714-1922  
[fendragt1970@yahoo.com](mailto:fendragt1970@yahoo.com)

Nanook was adopted from the Los Banos shelter and returned because she is a puppy and does puppy things. She is very sweet and gentle. She will chew the wrong things if you don't re-direct her to the correct things to chew. We are just getting her so call if you want more info.



Randee McQueen (408)371-1841 [BASHRR@com-ctl.com](mailto:BASHRR@com-ctl.com)

Adopted - Sabrina, Coffee, Creager, Odin

# Bay Area Siberian Husky Club

Membership Renewal and Associate Application 2011-2012

Membership enclosed for: \$30 Single

\$35 Family

\$25 Associate

Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Area code and phone \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I would like the newsletter mailed to me.

Make checks payable to BASH. All memberships and subscriptions are valid through March 31, 2012. Send membership renewal form and check, or inquiries about becoming a voting member, to:

Marie Stevens, Bay Area Siberian Husky Club, 2633 S Bascom Ave, Campbell CA 95008

## Bay Area Siberian Husky Club

[www.bayareasiberian.org](http://www.bayareasiberian.org)

2633 S. Bascom Avenue

Campbell, CA 95008

### Upcoming Adoption Fairs

First Saturday  
PetsMart, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.  
850 W. Hamilton, Campbell  
Coordinator: Rande McQueen  
408-371-1841

Second Saturday  
PetsMart, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.  
175 Ranch Road, Milpitas  
Coordinator: Bill Otto  
408-258-9806

Not in December  
Third Saturday  
Pet Food Express 11 am to 2 pm  
15466 Los Gatos Blvd., Los Gatos  
Coordinator: Rande McQueen  
408-356-7600