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Sorry no meetings for  
Now...got an idea for a  
Zoom meeting???

*Christmas Party- Sunday  
Dec 6<sup>th</sup>. 3Flames again*

### AMAZON SMILES

We have signed up with Amazon Smiles. 1.5 % of sales on Amazon through Smiles comes back to BASH. Use the following link and

earn money for BASH.

<http://smile.amazon.com/ch/77-0410632>

## Vaccines for your dogs (and cats)

Dr. Rusher use to do a special vaccine clinic for BASH members. Many have now gone to the PAWS vaccine clinic that she does for the city of San Jose. With the current Shelter in Place and other restrictions many pet owners and we assume BASH members have been unable to update some of their pets' vaccines. PAWS has not been able to do the regular vaccine clinic either. Dr. Rusher has started an "by appointment only" drive thru clinic on Tuesday and Saturday mornings. The team only see 10-15 clients in a 2-hour period. She has offered to allow any BASH members to participate in her clinic. If you are interested, please send an email to [pawsvaccineclinic@gmail.com](mailto:pawsvaccineclinic@gmail.com) with your name, your pets name and what shots you need. State what days you can go to the clinic. You will receive an email back with a date, time and directions.

# DIY Fence Rollers

for Owners of Escape-Minded Dogs

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We were thinking of adopting a 5-year old Siberian Husky, and the foster dad told us our fence (which had adequately kept all our other dogs in) wasn't up to the task. We came up with this roller design to keep her from climbing the fence. This is similar to the Coyote Roller you might have seen online, but in fairness, we came up with this design before we were aware of them. Enclosing our 2,000 square foot dog yard cost around \$500 in materials plus about 3 weekends to make and install. The Coyote Roller would have cost around \$2,500. Roxi is now home with us, safe, and happy in the upgraded yard!mm



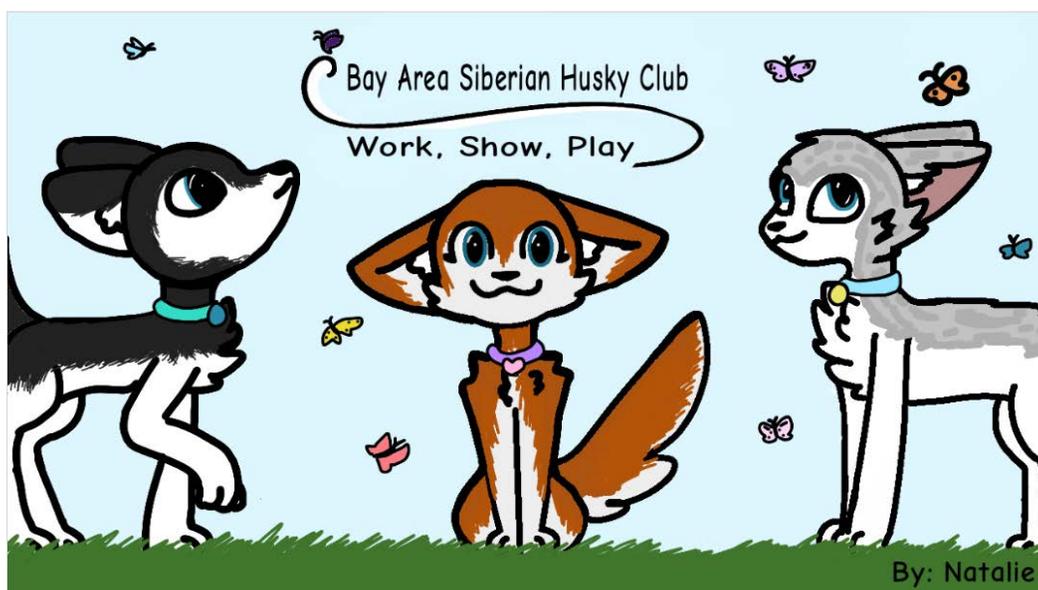
The basic idea is that if your dog can scale your fence, once they put a paw on the roller, the roller . . . well . . . rolls and the paw slips off. As an added measure, we mounted the rollers at an angle to over-hang the inside of the yard, but the rollers can be mounted above the top of the fence as well. This design assumes a fence with spaced vertical wooden posts that you can drive wood screws into. Some alternate mounting hardware would be needed for metal, like in a cyclone fence. A lot of the design choices for the roller assemblies were based on doing this at low cost and having the system work well enough to prevent most escape attempts. If you think that there are ways to improve the design, go right ahead!

Please feel free to use and share this document with whomever you think might get use out of it.

## T-Shirt Design Contest-----

And the winner of the T-shirt design contest was Natalie Hoagland... It was a very close vote 11 – 9...

It is listed as a fundraiser but basically it is a way for us to get a new t-shirt or sweatshirt without us having to inventory them... As a group we have to buy at least 16 shirts for them to be printed. (I am not worried about that part) Thanks for those that submitted (Natalie Hoagland and Michael Takamoto) and to those that voted. I talked with Custom Ink and for a small extra fee we can have both adult and toddler on the same fundraising page (makes it easier to order) We have toddler sizes to adults.



The link to order will be active on Tuesday August 4 (I hope) We have unisex adult t-shirts, long sleeve t-shirts hoodie sweatshirt and toddler sizes. The design on the adults is larger than the toddler. Adult T-shirt and long sleeve is in both light blue and ash gray. The kids shirt is only light blue.

Here is the link <https://www.customink.com/fundraising/bash-2020> to Custom Ink to order shirts. It will be available for 3 weeks. You purchase now and at the end of the fundraiser it is about 2 weeks before you receive them.



**Buy A T-Shirt to help BASH**

All funds raised will go directly to **Bay Area Siberian Husky Club**

0 items sold of 50 goal 30 days to go

**\$15**

Gildan Toddler 100% Cotton T-shirt  
Toddler - Light Blue

**Buy / Donate**

During this Covid Crisis many of us aren't going out of town but we are driving around with our dogs to great places to hike. Many are finding that their new Siberian has trouble in the car with car sickness. Years ago many of us had a problem with this and found that giving them Ginger helps. Wayne Jueal searched out the internet and found these biscuits and made some for Abby. She loved them and car rides so far are going much better than before Ginger. Try them out and enjoy.

## Ginger Dog Biscuits

- 4 cups all-purpose flour
- 2 cups whole wheat flour
- 3 teaspoons ground ginger (Wayne used fresh grated ginger and put in about 5 loose teaspoons)
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves
- 3/4 cup molasses
- 1 cup plus 2 tablespoons water
- 1/2 cup canola oil

### Directions

- Preheat oven to 325°. In a large bowl, whisk water, molasses and oil until blended. In a small bowl, whisk remaining ingredients until blended; stir into flour mixture (dough will be stiff).
- On a lightly floured surface, roll dough to 1/4-in. thickness. Cut with a floured 3-in. squirrel-shaped or other cookie cutter. Place 2 in. apart on ungreased [baking sheets](#). (Any leftover scraps of dough can also be baked to make free-form bite-size biscuits.)
- Bake 25-30 minutes or until set. Remove from pan to wire racks to cool.

Wayne made larger biscuits and cooked them for 35-45 minutes.



# Dogs for Adoption August 2020

Karen Fenton 650-714-1922 [fendragn1970@yahoo.com](mailto:fendragn1970@yahoo.com)

I'm **Quill** Once I know you, I am affectionate, gentle, sweet and very playful. I will even sing with you. With patience and love, I will give snuggles. I love other dogs of all types and would do well in a home with another dog/Siberian. I am good with children as well. I would make a gentle, calm and loyal companion with your trust, time and love.



Hello! I am **Jax!** I am a happy, friendly and mellow senior dog looking for that wonderful home to spend my golden years. My story is sad why Iâ€™m here as Iâ€™m not as strong as I used to be. But I am big, curious, sweet, playful with young pups at my foster home, and have so much love to give. We can change my story. Do you have room for a loving senior dog? In return for endless affection, all I need is a loving home, gentle walks, kindness and support for my senior needs.



Heron Ho 510-921-6424 [snowlets8@yahoo.com](mailto:snowlets8@yahoo.com)

Meet **Togo**. A lovable friendly and sweet 6 years old 80lb Malamute mix that just loves to hang out with people. He loves to talk and walk politely on a leash. He is extremely chill and would be the perfect companion for someone that wants a more low key dog.



Alexandra Downs [adowns.obando@gmail.com](mailto:adowns.obando@gmail.com)

My name is **Kimchi** and Iâ€™m a petite and spunky girl! I weigh in at about 30lbs! What I lack in size I make up for in energy. I'm super playful and enjoy spending my days playing fetch or wrestling with my foster siblings. Not much is known about my past and the majority of my time with my foster family has been learning house manners; potty training, crate training, leash manners, and how to sit politely for grooming. I do very well with most dogs, children, and small animals (that do not run!). I got raving reviews from my current doggy daycare and while I have gotten a time out for playing a bit roughly, I do call off well and overall the staff likes me very much!



Owner: [Susan Simons](mailto:susansimons@cdsl.net), Phone: 707-543-6499, Email: [susansimons@cdsl.net](mailto:susansimons@cdsl.net)

"Quinn" -- Courtesy post on BASH Website

Quinn is a very smart girl but does seem to listen more to the husband than the wife. When she knows you she is loving and trusts you. She knows basic obedience, just doesn't yet when has the chance will take off so needs good fencing and more training for this lack of discipline. She does live with a small dog; it took time though because she can be a strong player. I think she needs another dog her own size. If given a chance Quinn will bring a lot of joy to your household.



# Bay Area Siberian Husky Club

Membership Renewal and Associate Application 2020-21

Membership \$35.00

To be a voting member you need to attend 2 general meetings and then ASK to be voted in as a voting member

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

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

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