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Time to renew memberships...
Individual is \$30
Family is \$35

Renewal of membership due
4/1/14

Upcoming Events

MARK Y OUR CALENDAR

Mar. 1 Iditarod Starts

Mar 8 Hike

April Watch for meeting date
(any one want to host it)

May 31, June 1 Maddie's Fund

June 15 Northern Breed Fun Match

Dec 13 Christmas Party



Finally getting snow...but a little late
for SnoBASH

SnoBASH-

Cancelled.... There isn't enough snow as of now and even if we have a great March...we start running out of dates to go. A few people in the club have gone to Hope Valley to sled. Snow was sparse and the temps were in the 60's but they did have some snow to sled on. The predictions are for El Nino next year....we can cross our fingers....

Elections?

Patty LaCava was voted in as the new Vice President of BASH. Thank you to Greg Stevens for all the years of doing the job.

Like us on Facebook

Mlise Avedian has offered to keep up entries on our Facebook pages.

Using social media, like Facebook is a GREAT WAY to help bring awareness to Club Events, Fund Raisers, Adoption Fairs, and Dogs Available for Adoption!

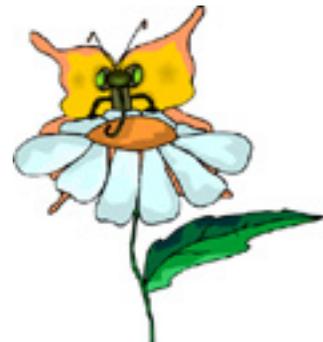
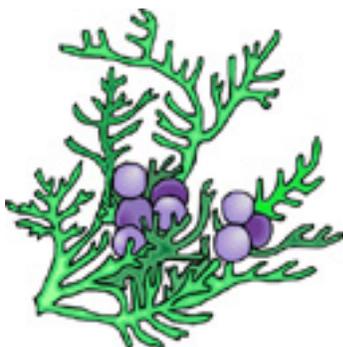
If you haven't already, Please "Like" our pages on Facebook... Be sure to ask your friends and family to "Like" us as well!

We have two pages (Be sure to like them both):

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/The-Bay-Area-Siberian-Husky-Rescue-Referral/154737834550732>

and

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/The-Bay-Area-Siberian-Husky-Club/129080940474219>



BASH Hike-----

Saturday March 8 (trying again)

Coal Creek Open Space Preserve/Russia Ridge Preserve

Lots of people expressed an interest in hiking with their dogs. So Kim Flores and I have worked out a plan to start. The first walk will be Sat, Feb 8th....we will go the Coal Creek Open Space Preserve/Russian Ridge Preserve. this is up near Redwood City, so a bit of a drive for some of us. we would like to meet at the parking lot for the Russian Ridge Preserve (the 2 preserves are next to each other and the entrances are close) around 9:30am. everyone should bring water for themselves and their dogs, plus snacks/treats, if you want. And be dressed for walking....comfortable shoes, etc. From The San Jose area, you should take Saratoga Ave, which turns into Skyline Blvd/CA 35. You stay on Skyline Blvd until you go past Alpine Rd by 0.4 mi. There is a Caltrans vista point pullout area on Skyline Blvd (opposite Russian Ridge Preserve gate RR01, approx 1.2 mi past Page Mill Rd, and you can access Coal Creek Preserve from there. (I have to say I am terrible on directions so it might be wise for all of you to do a mapquest direction search.). Please let me know if you will be hiking with us. Hope to see you there.

If so, let Marie Stevens know at sleddingshopper@pacbell.net

Umunhum Run February

We had 28 dogs, 2 ATV's, 1 - 3 wheeled cart and 14 people. We had a good run even though it was warm for this time of year (60 degrees)

Until summer we will try to do these on Sunday's when I have time.

I will usually post them on the BASH list. Weather is always a factor this time of year so it is really hard to plan to far in advance.

Here are a few pictures of us running.



Rescue March 2014



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Aldous is an all white male Akita/Siberian mix with a beautiful shiny coat and sky blue eyes. He looks stellar and he is in great physical health. He has the head, tail and personality of an Akita and the blue eyes of a siberian. He is about 65-70#'s. He is very people friendly and always likes to meet new people. Unlike all of my dogs, he likes to play fetch. He will bond to one person if given the chance. When he respects someone he will bond to them and sit quietly waiting for them to return. He loves going on walks and going for rides. I have taken him to the park, the beach, and the local river and he seems right at home. He loves other dogs especially young ones his age that like to play. One of our dogs is a small Yorkie named Mops and he is the same age as or maybe a little younger than Aldous. We are working on his leash skills and with time and patience he could be very obedient. He is definately a highly active dog and he is very strong. In my opinion, a very active family would best suit him. He seems to be good with kids too. He does like to counter surf, even though he knows he is not allowed, but he likes to test the limits. That's Aldous folks!



Humane Society Of Silicon Valley
408-262-2133

Huey is at the Humane Society. Due to emegencies on the part of our foster homes we had to board him. HSSV partners with us and when they found out they offered him a space at the facility.

Hi there, I'm Baby Huey. I just flew into the humane society and man are my paws tired! Two things you should know about me are I'm a very active boy and I'm a social butterfly. I'm ready to find my new family, so come down, see me, and ask my Adoption Counselor friends to meet me.

Baby Huey is an eighteen month bi-eyed beauty. He is a bit overweight at 68 pounds, he needs to lose at least 5 pounds. Huey walks well on leash. He sits and shakes paws for treats. He does have very bad kitchen manners and will keep your counters very clean. Huey loves to play. He wants to play with every dog he meets. But as he is a Baby Huey he could accidentally hurt a small dog. He probably should not be allowed to play with small children either. Huey is a bit fussy in a crate but does eventually settle down.



We will be working with Maddie's Fund again this year on May 31st June 1st

Bay Area Siberian Husky Club

Membership Renewal and Associate Application 2014-2015

Membership \$30.00

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, 2015. Send membership renewal form and check to:

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Upcoming Adoption Fairs

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

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

Third Saturday
Pet Food Express 11 am to 1 pm
15466 Los Gatos Blvd., Los Gatos
408-356-7600