

A Success Story:
The Adoption of Max

February 2011

Update

Dear City of Arlington Animal Services:

My wife and I visited your facility in December 2009 not expecting to find a new member for our family.

As I looked at cats, I once owned 3 a few years ago, my wife went to look at dogs. Only after I realized I hadn't seen her for 20 minutes I went to look for her. She was standing in front of a window in the last aisle and had been there the whole time staring at a big beautiful flat-coated Black Labrador Retriever/Chow Chow mix. Once I saw the dog I knew why she hadn't left the window and we both looked at each other and said "...let's get him...".

Max, as we named him, has now been a family member for just over a year. He has brought nothing but joy to our family, our friends and, honestly, to anyone who meets him. He has the kindest disposition, is the friendliest dog and just loves to play and cuddle. All this at 90 lbs is one big dog.

We quickly came to a family decision that we had to share Max's love with more people and to people who would benefit from his love the most. This started our journey towards Max been a Pet Therapy Dog. With lots of time spent on obedience training, we had so much fun watching Max grow into a well behaved (most of the time), caring canine.

Max had his Pet Therapy Dog evaluation on December 5th, 2010 at Cooks Children's Hospital in Fort Worth. He past his evaluation with ease and will begin his therapy work within the next few months.

We wanted to share this wonderful story with you and thank the City of Arlington Animal Services for giving Max to us.

The incredible work the Animal Service does and the fantastic, dedicated staff and volunteers you have are to be commended for everything you do for these animals in need.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,



Stephen, Kelly & Max Burn









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EMERIE D

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& SAMMY, 1918



IN MEMORY OF
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HAPPY BDAY LEGS
FROM THE EBBLES
ESTER & RUSH

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