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GPRA Update 1/21/2020

Dear Great Pyrenees Friends,

I have to apologize to our stellar organization. At the end of December I emailed our team that we had the lowest available group of PYRS in my memory. Apparently the universe heard me and responded with a vengeance. In just over half the month of January, we have rescued 35 Gentle Giants and have a long list of owner surrenders and shelter PYRS wanting to come in!!! Jenny, Dee, Tracy, Marla and Lourdes have been wizards and magicians as we have accommodations for all but I am afraid their heads will explode if we can't get relief. We rescue about 200 PYRS annually but if we were to maintain this rate, we will exceed 700 which is clearly not sustainable. Thanks to your support of our Thanksgiving Match, we are financially able to provide for this quantity but foster families are at a premium. Jenny will make fostering painless and we have been pleasantly surprised at how many young, healthy and good looking PYRS have arrived. Just look at the website. Click [HERE](#) for our foster application.

We have also had some wonderful successes to fabulous families lately like the adoption of Freyja, who was shot in the head with an arrow. We thought post surgery Freyja would lose sight in one eye and hearing in one ear but it appears her hearing is good and she has some sight in her bad eye. Bonded pair Sam and Mack have been adopted together and Dee saved Bingham in Polk County hours before his death sentence. We also have Astra's puppies and the new puppies below.

It's already been an exciting year and we hope you can engage with GPRA as we need you.

Thank you,
John
GPRA President and Founder



Freyja



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Sam and Mack



Bingham



New puppies



Join us Saturday, March 14th for the Atlanta St. Patrick's Day Parade

Well behaved PYRS and their owners are welcome to march with us in the annual St. Patrick's Day Parade parade in midtown Atlanta. Cutoff to sign up is February 29th.

[Click here to RSVP and for more info](#)



2020 Calendar

These special anniversary calendars are now available and include 10 years of GPRA alumni pictures.

Place your order [HERE](#) or stop by an upcoming adoption day.

SAVE THE DATE

Gentle Giants in the Park 2020

Saturday, April 25, 2020
Pickneyville Park, Gwinnett County
More information to come

We need Silent Auction Items
If you can help please contact us at:

[**SilentAuction2020@greatpyratlanta.com**](mailto:SilentAuction2020@greatpyratlanta.com)



Upcoming Adoption Days

Feb 8th Feb 29th

Saturday 11 - 1

[**Dunwoody PetSmart**](#)

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