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A Message from CMF President

Happy Dog Days of Summer everyone.

We are so thankful for all your support which allows us to support non-profits and causes which meant something to Carrie and Greg Mehdi. Carrie and Greg were both generous individuals and continuing on their legacy really means a lot to us.

This issue of our newsletter contains photos from our annual Haute Dog Picnic in May 2019. It was another wonderful afternoon in the park. Please save the date for next year: Saturday, May 16, 2020. We hope to see many of you there.

Please follow us on Facebook: Carrie Mehdi Foundation. Please email me with any inquiries: dejones@carriemehdifoundation.org. Thank you for your support.

Diane E. Jones
President, Carrie Mehdi Foundation



Haute Dog Picnic day, May 4, was also birthday of Evelyn Cortes. Along with picnic we also had a birthday celebration for Evelyn. Happy birthday, Evelyn!
From L to R: Zafar, Evelyn, Candy, Mike and Dick Cortes.



From L to R: Zafar Mehdi, Diane Jones holding George, Candy Culton, and Mike Culton.



Gathered around silent auction items, ready to bid, are from L to R: Susan Warmbier, Zak and Qudsia Zaidi, Tammy Fouzia, Ashmead Niamat, and Azra Zaidi.

Our 7th Annual CMF Haute Dog Picnic, held on May 4, was a great success. We have raised over \$8,000 so far in 2019. Organizations and causes we have supported are:

- Dachshund Club of California
- DCA National Specialty Show
- Dachshund Club of America Health & Welfare Trust Fund
- Knickerbocker Dachshund Club
- East Bay Dachshund Club
- Point Lobos Foundation
- California State Parks Foundation
- The Salvation Army
- Los Angeles Mission
- National Kidney Foundation
- USC Norris Comprehensive Cancer Center
- Avon 39 Walk for the Cure
- Union Station Homeless Services
- Vietnam Veterans of America
- HB Care Packages for Military Dogs
- Homeless Health Care Los Angeles
- The Midnight Mission
- AKC Canine Health Fund
- Flintridge Preparatory School
- Canine Hope for Diabetes
- Rabies Challenge Fund Charitable Trust
- Morris Animal Foundation
- Justice for Doug (Doug David Medical Fund)
- Stand Up and Play Foundation
- Sierra Dachshund Breeders Club
- Dachshund Club of Santa Ana Valley
- Channel City Kennel Club
- Santa Barbara Equine Assistance & Evac Team
- Kevlar for K9s Organization
- Companion Animal Alliance for Baton Rouge
- The Beauty Bus Foundation
- Desert Valley Dachshund Club
- Red Cross – Hurricane Disaster Relief Fund
- Books for Houston Kids
- Downtown Dog Rescue
- Sanctuary Centers of Santa Barbara
- Hemopet Canine Blood Bank, Garden Grove
- Parkinson Association of San Diego Walk
- Medical Mission Adventures

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Photos taken at CMF Haute Dog Picnic, May 4, 2019.



From L to R: Zak and Qudsia Zaidi, Saara Niamat, Zafar, Tammy Fouzia Niamat, Azra and Asad Zaidi.



Diane holding George.



Zafar and Michele Huntoon.



Dick Cortes with Mike and Candy Culton.



From L to R: Paul Blumhorst holding Tiger Lily, Janet's mom, Janet Georgeanne, Sue Rucker with her grandson Mason.



Mike Warmbier with Susan holding Harvey.

Enjoying lunch at the picnic:



Hot dog grilling. Dick Cortes, Diane and Mike



Zafar doing one of his selfies with Dick and Mike.



Lynne serving lunch.



Mark Imfeld and Michele Huntoon.



Susan Warmbier showing her lunch plate.



Enjoying lunch Zak, Qudsia, Asad and Azra.



Cathy Hubbling with Manny.



Zafar with Dick Cortes, Mike and Candy Culton.



Zafar with Saara Niamat, Michele Huntoon and Mark Imfeld.



Sue and Ernie Havner with Buster and Oliver.



Candy Culton with Sheri and Larry Patterson.



Asad & Azra Zaidi and Ashmead Niamat relaxing.



Qudsia, Saara and Tammy Fouzia enjoying the picnic.



Dogs and owners lining up for the Hot Dog Contest.



Ellie Mae competing in the Hot Dog Contest.



Elie Mae ready to participate in the Crazy Hat Contest. Elie Mae, along with her owners Nora and Mark Imfeld, has attended Haute Dog picnics for the last five years. After many years of being loved and adored by her family and friends, we are very sad to share that Elie Mae passed away in June 2019. May you rest in peace sweet girl.



Candy Culton with (from the left) Megan, ZuZu, Sam, and Max.



Manny and Maude owned by Cathy Hubbling ready for the Crazy Hat Contest.



Buster owned by Sue and Ernie Havner ready for the Crazy Hat Contest.



Oliver owned by Sue and Ernie Havner ready for the Crazy Hat Contest.



Evelyn and Dick Cortes getting Sam and Megan ready for the Crazy Hat Contest.



Sam and Megan ready for the Crazy Hat Contest.



Susan Warmbier with Harvey ready for the Crazy Hat Contest.



Paul Blumhorst and Tiger Lily.



Tiger Lily ready for the Crazy Hat Contest.



Sue Rucker with Elke.



Elke ready for the Crazy Hat Contest.



Cathy Hubbling with her dogs Manny and Maude all dressed up for the Crazy Hat contest.



Mike Culton and Zafar relaxing after the picnic with George and ZuZu.



Silent auction tables loaded up for bidders.



Dick Cortes with Megan and Mike Culton with ZuZu enjoying the picnic.



Susan and Mike Warmbier with Harvey and two of most sought after items in the Silent Auction.

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