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It's All for the Dogs!

On Friday, July 25, the HRI Reception will be held at the *Havanese Club of America National Specialty* in Portland, OR. Our reception is

Letter from Home: Annie & Desi

Fur babies have always played an important role for me and my husband, Nick. But, since our two cats prefer sleeping to taking long walks, in 2011 we decided to adopt a Havanese. When it came time to adopt, we knew we wanted a rescue Havanese. Although there are ethical, reputable breeders out there, we just didn't know enough to make a good decision. We found HRI and knew this was an organization we wanted to support!

We've been fortunate to adopt two Havanese fur babies from HRI. We adopted Georgie (North Carolina) in 2011 and Desi (Illinois) in 2013. Both Georgie and Desi were 8 years old at adoption time. Adopting an older Havie was the right

a great time to get together with friends while raising funds for our Havs in need of rescue.

You can visit our Pinterest Board to see some of the incredible items already donated for the raffles and live auction that will be held that night.

Interested in bidding for an auction item? *Email:* auction@havanaserescue.com

If you're attending the Specialty, you'll definitely want to get to the HRI Reception. Even if you're not in Portland, you can be a part of things by donating an item to this very important fundraiser. Contact us at auction@havanaserescue.com.

Our Havs thank you!

Golden Paws

HRI has created the Golden Paws Program to provide for long-term foster care for any dog in our care whose advanced age and/or health or behavior issues make it difficult to find an appropriate adoptive home. For more information please visit our [Golden Paws](#) page.

Adoption Corner

As we neared the deadline for the April Newsletter, we found ourselves in a strange - yet nice - conundrum. There were no dogs we could feature, as each Hav in HRI's

thing to do for us. We felt strongly that even if our time with our babies would be shorter, they deserved a great home with lots of love (and lots of toys)!

After the tragic loss of Georgie in late 2013, we knew we wanted another Havie and that was when Desi came to us. Desi was adopted on Christmas Eve near Chicago, IL. It just happened to be the same day that I was discharged from a hospital in Chicago after having a stem cell transplant.

Now in my fourth month of recovery at home in Minnesota, Desi continues to be my enthusiastic coach. Georgie had been the perfect match for our furry little family -- but I have to say that HRI has done it again! Desi is a wonderful fit. He knows that he is home with Mom and Dad fur-ever!



HavToHavIt **General Store**

Our new Havanese items are not just for Christmas anymore! While you may choose to keep them under wraps until the holiday season, we think they are just too cute to keep in a

care was either set for adoption, not quite ready for adoption, or on the cusp of completing the adoption process. Stay tuned. That may have changed already!

Changing Lives

Because of technical difficulties, we were unable to run our planned article for this column that features one of our own volunteers. It is our hope to run the article in the very near future.

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